Galleries & Museums

Level 1, Original Chronicle Building. Corner Rutland and Drews Avenue Hours: Sat 9-3/ Sun 10-2 Or open by appointment 0277522472

AWA ART HUB GLASS-ENAMEL GALLERY & SCULPTURE COURTYARD

Heina Petzold & Eva Busch 1 Gloucester Street, near Dublin Street Bridge Thurs, Fri and Sun 11am to 4pm or by appointment Phone 0226282103 www.evabusch.co.nz

Ceroc Dancing

Wednesdays from 6.30pm Fridays from 6.00pm Peat Street Studio, 82-92 Peat St Facebook and www.ceroc.co.nz Liz Frith 02102054038/lizfrith01@ gmail.com

Creations Gallery

25A Drews Ave; Open: Mon/Tue; Thu-Sat 10am

Powertex Textile and Stoneart Powder: Make sculptures and altered art items for inside and out. Chalk Painting; Up-cycling treasures. Items for sale. Workshops available on request. Jan Penn certified instructor

Ph: 063453121. Facebook: rishworth tatty mixed media

Craig Winton Jewellery

Open by appointment. Come and see my latest creations or commission a hand-made piece of jewellery. Also offering jewellery workshops. Ph: 021 145 1440 www.craigwinton.com

OPPORTUNITIES

2018 SARJEANT GALLERY

Tue 27 Feb; 10.30am to 4.30pm

Sarjeant on the Quay, 38 Taupo

artist living or working in the

available at the Gallery.

This selected exhibition is open to any

Whanganui region. Work must have

been made in the last 12 months and

can be in any medium. Entry to the exhibition is \$30 or \$15 for current Friends of the Gallery. Entry forms

ENTRIES

RECEIVING DAY

WHANGANUI ARTS REVIEW

EXPRESSIONS: ART GALLERY/ STUDIO WORKSHOP 56 Guvton Street

Fine Arts Whanganui Gallery

www.fineartswhanganui.com

Sat 9.00 – 3.00 Tues – Fri

except public holidays

Fredette School Of Arts

Suite F. 96 Victoria Ave

skill levels welcome!

Small collective; emerging artists

welcome; Working studio. Contact

and Sun 10.00 - 3.00 Closed Monday

Contact: 06 3482080 / 027 535 8669

Come learn to paint and draw! All

www.facebook.com/FredetteArts

Wed-Fri 12pm-4pm, Sat 10am - 1pm

Ivan Vostinar Gallery and Studio

85 Glasgow Street, Whanganui

www.raynerbrothers.com

Pens, Ink and NZ artwork

Mon-Fri 8:30am-5:30pm

7 Rangiora St, Castlecliff

Other times by appointment

Ph: 06 927 6828 / 021 256 9236

Mon-Fri 10am-4pm, Sat 10am to 1pm

leftbankartsupplies@gmail.com

INKT Shop/Gallery

17 Victoria Avenue

Sat 9am-2pm

Ph 06 262 8080

www.inkt.co.nz

Thursday 10-4

Saturday 10-4

Sunday 10-4

www.vostinar.com

19 Taupō Quay

Ph 06 345 0949

Leftbank Art Supplies

Friday 10-4

Wed-Sat 11am-3pm

Steve: 0214 26731

17 Taupo Quay

Registrations open now for this, its Years 7-13. The Whanganui/ Manawatu/Rangitikei regional Festival will be held on Sat 7 & Sun 8 April 2018. Check out: www.sgcnz. org.nz for more information. Or contact the Regional Rep, Karen

27th Year! It is open to students from Craig, on kebcraig@gmail.com or

SGCNZ UOSW SHAKESPEARE

021 132 3939.

Gallery, Gifts, Garden Art 112 Carlton Avenue (Opp. School) Open Thursday to Sunday 10 - 4 Watch a Potter at work See a range of local art & craft Phone 06 3477970 http://www.outrageousgallery.co.nz/

LOUISE HERDMAN MOSAIC

Mosaic workshops available

Mon - Friday 10am to 4.30 pm

sandra.helen@xtra.co.nz

New Zealand Glassworks

10am to 4:30pm, Every day

2 Rutland Street, Whanganui, 4500

Tūhua o Te Ao (NZG) is the new

New Zealand Glassworks - Te Whare

national centre for glass art located in

Sat 9 am to 2pm, Sun 10am - 2pm

Contacts: green.gables206@xtra.co.nz

Open Wed - Fri 12-4pm, Sat 10-4pm

Now selling mosaic tiles and bases.

027 375 4715 / www.mosaicpictures.co.nz

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And by appointment

MiNZ Shop/Gallery

1 Victoria Avenue

Whanganui.

OUTRAGEOUS

RAYNER BROTHERS GALLERY

85 Glasgow Street, Whanganui Wed-Fri 12pm-4pm, Sat 10am – 1pm www.raynerbrothers.com

Renata's Art & Framing

17 Taupō Ouav. Mon 12.00pm - 4.00pm, Tue-Fri 10am-5.00pm, Sat 9.30am - 1pm Ph: 06 348 4463 www.artandframing.co.nz

Sarjeant Gallery Te Whare o Rehua Whanganui Sarjeant on the Quay

38 Taupo Quay Mon - Sun, 10.30am - 4.30pm Also upstairs in the i-site. Wanganui Visitor's Centre, 31 Taupo Quay Weekdays 8.30am - 5pm, Sat/Sun 9am-3pm www.sarjeant.org.nz

Space Gallery & Studios

64 Taupō Quay Tues - Thurs 9am-1pm Friday 12-4pm Sat 9am-1pm Ph 027 371 8595 www.spacestudiogallery.co.nz

Wanganui Arts Society

Cook's Gallery Trafalgar Place, Wanganui Open Saturdays 10am to 3pm. Mondays & Tuesdays 10am to Noon. Also open Saturdays & Sundays 17th -18th & 24th 25th March.

Whanganui Regional Museum

62 Ridaway Street Mon-Sat 10am - 4.30pm NOW FREE TO ALL VISITORS www.wrm.org.nz

Out of Town Galleries

FEILDING AND DISTRICT ART SOCIETY

104 Manchester Street, Feilding Open: Mon-Fri: 10am to 4pm Sat: 10am to 2pm; Sun: 1pm – 3pm www.fadas.co.nz / 06 323 2323

YELLOW CHURCH GALLERY

SH1 Mangaweka Resident Artist Richard Aslett OPEN Weekends and most other days 10am - 5pm 06 382 5774 / 027 52 666 12 www.freewebs.com/mangawekagallery

FUTURE EVENTS

For a full list of future annual events go to: www.awaeventguide.co.nz. See I-Site Wanganui for details on all events.

New Zealand School Triathlon Championships

March 2018 <u>www.schooltrichamps.co.nz</u>

ARTISTS OPEN STUDIOS

16 Mar - Launch 17 & 18/24 & 25 Mar - Arts Trails 19-23 Mar - Workshops <u>www.openstudios.co.nz</u>

M2C Mountains to Sea Race

April 2018 Ohakune-Whanganui www.m2c.kiwi.nz

Festival of Cultures

Oct 2018 www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz

NZ Masters Games

February 2019 www.nzmg.com

Glass Symposium 15-17 Feb 2019

Mainstreet Christmas Parade

December 2018 www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz

Christmas Late Night Shopping

www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz

Wanganui Opera Week January 2019 – 25th Anniversary

www.wanganuioperaweek.co.nz

Vintage Weekend January 2019

www.mainstreet.co.nz

NZ Masters Games February 2019

www.nzmg.com

Glass Symposium 5-17 Feb 2019

Advertising and listings:

www.awaeventguide.co.nz

Deadline circa 20th of the month for publication on the 1st of the month.

\$10 per event listing and adverting rates start at \$60 plus gst for a quarter

WE PRINT, TWEET AND FACEBOOK YOUR **EVENTS**

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COVER IMAGE



The Tempest

Twelve years after he and his infant daughter are kidnapped and abandoned to the mercies of the sea, the Wizard Prospero has his chance to exact revenge. He and his sprite, Ariel, have everything organised, including encouraging the "Romeo and Juliet" love affair, but the unforeseen murderous intentions of a couple of the characters could throw a spanner in the works...Local actors, musicians, and dancers will bring Shakespeare's "The Tempest" to life outside in the beautiful Bason Botanic Gardens. Bring something to sit on; book a picnic hamper with your ticket or bring your own. Tickets available from Royal Wanganui Opera House. (Rain delay weekend will be the 1st, 2nd, 3rd March information will be posted on Facebook, the website, the RWOH website, the AWA Event Guide Facebook and radio.)

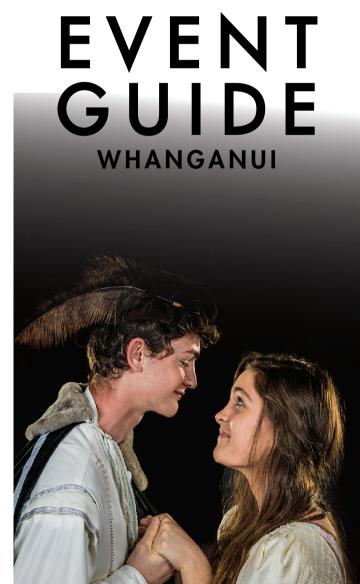






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For more details www.openstudios.co.nz



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FEBURARY 2018

ART GALLERY **EXHIBITIONS**

For details on opening hours and locations, please see our Gallery

EXPRESSIONS GALLERY Thu 1 - Wed 28 Feb Sue Kumeroa is a re-emerging artist who believes it, "Calls and sings to me." She deconstructs existing items, cuts, paints with acrylics, stitches, layers, reinvents and reassembles. Sue's pieces makes you want to reach out and touch. Sue is inspired by her neighbourhood, diversity and people. This medium of multi-media art is unique in New Zealand and will be an added stand out when she later exhibits from her home studio during Artists Open Studios. Jack Michaleski is highly esteemed part of the Whanganui arts community. Jack is a multimedium artist whose current exhibition is based on his time in Chicago and the inspiration of Jazz music. Stunning installation pieces, along with deeply moving black and white photography that's reminiscent of classic French

THE LICHEN DINNER SERVICE

silhouettes. For opening times please

see Gallery listings.

Sat 3 Feb; 5.30pm Opening To Fri 16 Feb Space Studio & Gallery Lichen - a quiet fascination for many of us; Leigh Anderton-Hall's 'Lichen Dinner Service' is a ceramic dinner setting with sprigs of lichen and fungus found growing across trees, rocks, footpaths and buildings with traces of traditional tableware patterns.

See Gallery listing for opening days

WANGANUI ARTS SOCIETY

Mon 5 Feb to Fri 30 Mar Open Studios exhibition for participating members Cook's Gallery

See Gallery listing for opening days

NORTH COMES SOUTH

Mon 12 Feb – Sat 31 Mar; 8am to 4pm daily Yellow House Café, Crnr Pitt & Dublin Sts

Showcasing some of the Northern artists from Mangawhai who are sharing their work with us in the South. This will coincide with the Whanganui Artists Open Studios

OPTIVIOI HALL OF FAME

Fri 16 Feb; 5.30pm Opening To Thu 22 Feb Whanganui Arts @ the Centre, 19 Taupo Quay Optiv101 Studio Artists induct a Hall

of Fame with portraits of their favourite artists, recognising their influences and cultural impacts.

CATHARSIS

and hours

Fri 16 Feb; 5.30pm Opening Gallery 85 A show of new ceramic works by Katerina Smoldvreva. See Gallery listing for opening days

THE SILENCE OF THE SHEEP

Fri 16 Feb; 5.30pm Opening Rayner Brothers Gallery An exhibition of new works by Lauren Joan Lysaght. See Gallery listing for opening days and hours

WO:MAN 'WOMEN AS SEEN BY MEN'

Sat 17 Feb; 5.30pm to 7pm Opening To Fri 2 Mar Space Studio & Gallery Join in the official launch of La Fiesta Number 9 with this Group Exhibition featuring a fine array of men artists celebrating women. Please note the opening will close promptly at 7pm due to a ticketed event beginning at 8pm. See Gallery listing for opening days

CLOUDS

Sat 17 Feb to 27 May Sarjeant Gallery Te Whare O Rehua

A selection of works from the Gallery's permanent collection depicting the many moods of clouds as represented over several centuries of artmaking. See Gallery listing for opening days

CONTINUING **EXHIBITIONS:**

KIRK NICHOLLS

To Fri 2 Feb Space Studio & Gallery New works See Gallery listing for address and

opening days and times

WENDY FAIRCLOUGH -GLASS EXHIBITION

To Sun 11 Feb 2018

Sarjeant Gallery Te Whare O Rehua Whanganui

Australian-based, Whanganui born glass artist Wendy Fairclough was artist-in-residence at Tylee Cottage in 2016. Her exhibition "Common Ground" will features new cast glass and bronze works exploring Māori and European food sources. Running alongside this is a selection of the artist's work from 2007-2014. See Gallery listing for opening days and hours

RIDDLE

Enigmatic Works from the Collection

To Sun 25 Feb

Sarjeant Gallery Te Whare O Rehua Whanganui

Inspired by a selection of recent additions to the Sarjeant collection, this exhibition features works that are intriguing and elusive in their use of materials, technique or subject matter.

See Gallery Listing for more information

ON THE HILL

A Century of Depicting the Sarjeant To Sun 25 Feb

Sarjeant Gallery Te Whare O Rehua

A small selection of works from the Sarjeant Gallery's collection inspired by the architecture of the Gallery building on Queens Park. See Gallery Listing for more information

WEKA DESIGN

To Wed 28 Feb

INKT

Silver jewellery hand-made in Whanganui by Kiwi jeweller Pat Clay. Inspired by NZ, this special place in the world we call home. wekadesign.com

See Gallery listing for address and opening days and times

RICHARD STRATTON: LIVING HISTORY

To 11 Mar

Upstairs at the i-SITE, 31 Taupo Quay

In Living History, Wellington artist Richard Stratton presents a series of new work that continues his interest in bringing together ceramic decoration and production techniques, art histories and social narratives. This exhibition is toured by the Dowse Art Museum and supported by Creative New Zealand. See Gallery Listing for more

EVENTS

MV WAIRUA

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 11am Scheduled Cruises Depart Moutoa Gardens Bookings: 0800 WAIRUA or visit Whanganui i-site or at the boat. See ad for more details

WANGANUI CITY GUIDED **WALKING TOURS**

Depart from i-Site Contact: 349 3258 Cost \$10 per person

WANGANUI GREYHOUND T **RACING**

Wednesdays from noon Friday nights from 4.30pm Hatrick Raceway

Free entry, bar, TAB and restaurant www.wanganuigreyhounds.co.nz

CEROC DANCING

Wednesdays and Fridays Peat Street Studio 82-92 Peat Street (Cnr Peat St and Pitt St)

Facebook / www.ceroc.co.nz See Gallery listing for times and

WARD OBSERVATORY

Fridays 7.30pm or Sunset (whichever is first!) Cooks Gardens, access from St Hill Street.

Entry is by donation (suggested charge of \$2) Phone: 027 245 8066 with queries or alternative viewing times.

WHANGANUI MUSICIANS 5 **CLUB**

Fri 2 Feb, 7pm Savage Club Hall, 65 Drews Ave Dave Flynn, Irish master guitarist who plays nylon string guitar in a range of genres. Plus Whanganui musicians - anyone welcome to play 3 songs. \$10/\$5 Mem.

www.facebook.com/Whanganui-Musicians-Club-135462849798937/

WANGANUI AMATEUR DANCESPORT CLUB SOCIAL

Sun 4 Feb, 7.00-9.30pm St Andrews Hall, Bell Street Ballroom, New Vogue, Latin, Social dances Visitors welcome: \$10.00 each, Contact: Graeme 027 434 1823

ARTTALK: BRIT BUNKLEY & ANDREA GARDNER

Tue 6 Feb; 7.30pm Sarjeant On the Quay, 38 Taupo Quay

Andrea and Brit will give an illustrated talk on their recent visit to documenta - an exhibition of contemporary art which takes place every five years in Kassel, Germany. They will also discuss the Sculpture Projects Münster and the Venice Biennale 2017.

MV WAIRUA

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Sun 11 Feb, 9am to 4pm Depart Moutoa Gardens Bookings essential: 0800 WAIRUA or visit Whanganui i-site or at the

RIVER CITY UKES

J Tues 13 Feb, 7.00pm-9.00pm RSA Bunker Bar @ 170 St Hill Street Wanganui

Bring your Ukulele to improve your skills & gain confidence. Enjoy the thrill of jamming with other Uke players! \$5 entry - All Welcome

LA FIESTA!

Wed 14 Feb to Sun 11 Mar Check lafiestanz.com for the festival programme. NZ's coolest little festival celebrating women is back with around 90 events! email: womnet.wang@callplus.net.nz

RACING DOUBLE HEADER -THOROUGHBREDS THEN THE

Fri 16 February; Racing from 1.05 - 5.20pm FREE entry & parking

www.wjc.co.nz www.wanganuigreyhounds.co.nz

BROOK DAVIES & ALEXEY **MEDVEDEV: BROKEN LEXICON**

Sat 17 Feb, 8.00 to 10pm Space Studio & Gallery, 64 Taupo Quay A sound that is part Folk-Funk, part Gypsy-Jazz, part Pop-Rock and entirely enthralling. The Wellington based duo is made up of NZ Singer/ Songwriter Brook Davies and Russian born guitar virtuoso Alexey Medvedev. Part of the La Fiesta! Festival.

Tickets available from Space Studio & Gallery, \$15 per person

SPEAKER FOR THE **SARJEANT: ATHOL STEWARD**

Sun 18 Feb, 4.30pm Sarjeant On the Quay, 38 Taupo

Athol Steward will discuss his recent walk coastal walk from Raglan to Whanganui to raise awareness of the planned deep seabed mining off the West Coast of New Zealand. Tickets \$5.00; purchased from venue or ph: 349 0506

This new series of talks has been initiated to support the Gallery's redevelopment project fundraising

ART FIX WITH TOM TURNER

Thursday 22 February at 2pm Sarjeant On the Quay, 38 Taupo Quay

Join Tom Turner for a friendly chat about the exhibition Riddle: Enigmatic Works from the Collection. You are encouraged to bring a pen and pad. This will be followed by a cup of tea at Mud Ducks.

THE TEMPEST BY WILLIAM ③ **SHAKESPEARE**

Thu 22 Feb, 7pm, \$10 Bason Botanic Gardens, Rapanui

Enjoy an outdoor theatre experience Book your tickets and your picnic at royaloperahouse.co.nz More info:

 $\underline{shakespear in the park whanganui.}$ com/basonbotanicgardens.org.nz

ALZHEIMERS STREET APPEAL

Fri 23 Feb; 9.00am - 4.00pm Whanganui/Rangitikei/Waimarino Please support our Annual Appeal www.alzheimers.org.nz/whanganui

THE TEMPEST BY WILLIAM @ **SHAKESPEARE**

Fri 23 Feb, 7pm, \$20 Sat 24 Feb, 3pm, \$10 Sat 24 Feb, 8pm, \$20 Bason Botanic Gardens, Rapanui

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shakespearintheparkwhanganui. $\underline{com/basonbotanicgardens.org.nz}$

LA FIESTA! NIGHT MARKET Sat 24 Feb, 5.30-8.30pm

Space Studio & Gallery (enter through Gallery), 64 Taupo Quay Enjoy the magic of unique art and craft stalls in our upstairs studios and also browse the La Fiesta feature exhibition in the gallery downstairs.

SUNDAY GRAND JAM

Sun 25 Feb, 6.30pm The Grand Irish Pub, St Hill Street Free. Relaxed sing-around session for acoustic musicians, singers and listeners. All abilities & styles of music. www.facebook.com $\underline{SundayGrandJam}$

UNDER

Mon 26 Feb, 7.30pm Fri 2 & Sat 3 Mar, 7.30pm Wanganui Repertory Theatre - 26th February and 2nd- 3rd March Chris Green of "Coaltown Blues" brings you a new play by Wellington's most talented young writer, Cassandra Tse Tickets: Royal Wanganui Opera House \$20 and \$15

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BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

Wed 7 - Sat 10 March Amdram Wanganui, 171 Guyton

In conjunction with La Fiesta! All proceeds go to Women's Network. Bookings at Royal Wanganui Opera

www.royaloperahouse.co.nz (See ad for more details)

ARTISTS' OPEN STUDIOS ***

16 Mar - Launch 17 & 18/24 & 25 Mar - Arts Trails 19-23 Mar - Workshops www.openstudios.co.nz

GUT HEALTH TALK

Fri 23 Mar, 6.00-8.00pm Community House, Rm 100, 1st Floor, 60 Ridgway Street Gut issues contribute to a wide range of problems so if you, your child or family members suffer then this talk is for you. Tickets \$10, Bookings essential Anita@thekefircompany.

OUT OF TOWN

SWEET DREAMS - AND OTHER STORIES IN SONG ...

Sat 17 & Fri 23 Feb, 7.30pm Marton Players' Theatre: Bookings Ray White's Marton \$20 and

Sat 24 Feb, 7.30pm

Repertory House - Hawera - Tickets \$28 and \$25

Chris Green's wonderful follow-up to his successful "Coaltown Blues" tour

ART **WORKSHOPS**

BARBARA BULLOCK Flame work Bead making lessons

Private & Group Phone: 06 3445486 Email: barbnobshill@xtra.co.nz www.beadswithflare.co.nz

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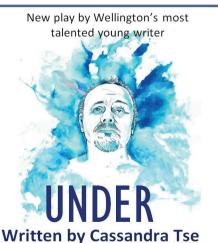
Coaltown Blues performer, Chris Green returns to our region with two new performances:

> Sweet Dreams - 17 & 23 Feb Marton Players' Theatre Book - Ray White's Marton

UNDER – 26th Feb, 2 and 3 Mar Wanganui Repertory Theatre Book - Royal Wanganui Opera House

UNDER - first performed in Wellington in November:

"I have never seen this sentiment echoed with such talent in any theatrical work before" Regional News



"Sensitive, nuanced, delicate, poetic" Theatreview