



## ART & ABOUT

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Wow, we have been extremely lucky to have such talented artists in the Centre, the recent exhibition of Adam Laker was something very different and drew a number of visitors into view it. Following on from this we have Don McBeth, you must visit and view this exhibition as well, running from Monday 18<sup>th</sup> until Saturday 30<sup>th</sup>. Bring your family and friends in as well. Here are a few of his paintings.



Continuing on from this will be the Creative Fibre Festival, with our talented spinner and weaver, Esther Nitschke, MBE, combining with Bridget Smeeton's display of Memorabilia from 15<sup>th</sup> April through until 15<sup>th</sup> May, and then it will be time for the Members Exhibition. We hope you are busy creating your masterpiece for this. A reminder that Entry Forms were emailed earlier and there are hard copies on the Centre counter.



**The public is cordially invited to attend the opening reception to view the work and to meet the artist on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March from 5-7pm at Taylor-Jensen Fine Arts, 33 George Street, Palmerston North**

Taylor-Jensen Fine Arts is pleased once again to present the work of Palmerston North artist Paul Lyons. *The Mountains and the Sea: New Paintings by Paul Lyons* will premier with an opening reception for the artist on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March from 5-7pm at the gallery, 33 George Street, Palmerston North. This current exhibition is the third solo show at Taylor-Jensen Fine Arts by this self-taught artist who specialises in watercolour. The artist states: "I love the effects that can be achieved in a watery medium – the way colours mix and blend produce results that no other medium can reproduce." Lyons's paintings are always representational, sometimes highly realistic and occasionally the works may be slightly abstract. The theme of this exhibition is given away by its title: *The Mountains and the Sea*. Paul Lyons never tires of the variety and subtlety of the light effects that occur in these natural environments.

Thank you to John Whittaker for updating the website, you can also view the newsletter on there. John will be regularly updating this. Also to Catherine Toulis and Pauline Julian who are regularly taking photos and posting them on the FADAS facebook page.

A reminder that any member can use the Centre anytime outside the 'Have-A-Go' times, so long as you don't disturb any groups that may be in there.

Is your name down on the roster? Please help us to keep the Centre open everyday. You can choose between 10.00am to 1.00pm or 1.00pm to 4.00pm.

Sharryn Morine, artist who specialises in Portraits is keen to give lessons at the Centre. If you are interested in this class please add your name to the 'Expressions of Interest' form in the Centre. Details of when and cost will be emailed if there is enough interest.

If you have anything you would like put in the newsletter please email:

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