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Good Day all, Well another month down as we edge closer and closer to the end of the year. A big "CONGRATULATIONS" to all those exhibitors who put entries in for the Art Awards, A huge number of entries kept the organisers busy. I went down Monday morning to have a browse and was amazed at the variety of works hanging in the centre. I would like to take his opportunity to give a huge thanks to the organisers of the Art Awards, Doreen, Lynn F, Catherine and Ailex for all the hard work preparing the exhibition and everything involved behind the scenes. It's this team that makes the event a success. They have stepped down this year from organising this event so will be forming a new organising group for next one. But again, A huge thanks to this team for all the years of work that has gone into the Members and Art Awards. Not much else to report on this month so I will let you all get back to your brushes, pencils and needles. As always, a big thanks to Doreen for keeping the centre running smoothly on a daily basis.

Kerry Chairperson

Calendar 2021

Thank you for your entries into the 2021 Calendar. By now, you should have received an email from John Whittaker.

Exhibitions

Catherine Kelley - Infrared Photography

Another very successful exhibition. Catherine sold 2 pieces and had a number of people wanting to contact her, as they missed the exhibition. Well done Catherine, a unique and exquisite exhibition with lots of interest. Unfortunately I squeezed Catherine into a gap and her exhibition only ran for just over 2 weeks where it is normally 3 weeks. Catherine will be having another exhibition next year. So make sure you don't miss it.

2020 Art Awards

These were very successful, receiving 83 entries, which I think is higher than other years. So well done everyone for your support. Thank you to the sub-committee of Lynn Fletcher, Catherine Toulis and Ailex Ryder. Thank you also to Weitske DeVries for helping with the hanging of the exhibition. Thanks also to the two judges from Woodville. Congratulations to the winners, they were:

Landscape: Premier: Ruth Champion, 'Ashhurst Bridge'; Merit: Lynley Wilson, 'Pristine'; Highly Commended: Karen Sinclair, 'Rusty Old Tractor Tararua';

Flora & Fauna: Premier: Michele Theobald, 'Autumn Birch'; Merit: Victoria McGovern, 'Two Carps'; Highly Commended: Tim McAninch, 'Golden Onions'

Photography: Premier: Tim McAninch, 'Coming Home'; Merit: Mary Lewis, 'Winter Morning'.

Portraiture: Premier: Colin Hoare, 'Batuti'; Merit: Anne Morris, 'Nev'.

Encouragement Award: Ursula Schneider 'Kakapo' and Michael Angelo Burke 'Tui in a Flax Flower.

Supreme: Irene Whittaker, 'Koru'



Michele Theobald



Ruth Champion

Karen Sinclair



Irene Whittaker

Lynley Wilson



Tim McAninch



Colin Hoare



Anne Morris



Mary Lewis

If you wish to have an exhibition please see me (Doreen) or email me at either the Centre art@fadas.co.nz or doreenjrob@gmail.com

Have-a-go groups

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. 10.00am to 12noon. \$3 per session which contributes to power etc.

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