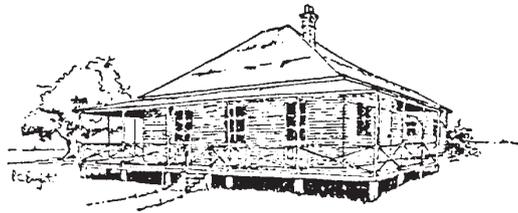


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NEWSLETTER JULY 2020

Next Meeting Monday, 3rd August, 2020 at 5.15 p.m.

Winter has arrived.

Thanks to those that attended the meeting last night. The following are the highlights from the meeting.

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New member Arlene has offered her and her husbands services to bring our web page back to the twentieth century. My understanding is that images be in a JPEG format and text in a PDF. This will save Arlene from having to retype information and less time spent checking that the information is correct.

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The Warwick Art Gallery sent the club an Exhibition Report on Coastal Dreaming.

"On behalf of the Management Committee of the WAG, Congratulations on the display which was one of the best collections of ceramic work that the Potters have presented here at the Gallery.

I commend your group for your commitment to supporting ceramic artists at all levels of their journey. The exhibition featured a mixture of pieces by professional and emerging artists that all demonstrated the joy of creating with clay."

383 adults and 38 youth viewed the exhibition.

Every two years the potters are booked in for an exhibition at the gallery.

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The new kiln has been fired and the firing was successful. The club owes a big "Thank You" to Raye and Nolene, who, during the shutdown, continued to fire for the members.

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WAG "CCART" will be happening on Saturday, 17th and Sunday, 18th October.

The gallery will be open both days with displays of pottery happening between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

The gallery will be open 10 a.m. till 4 p.m.

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With no show or soup night or exhibition happening in July, the potters will hold an exhibition on the Saturday night with wine and cheese. (I am yet to see how a glass of wine makes the potting go better, but maybe I should give it a try.)

Saturday night from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. - all members to bring a plate to share and make it a come out party after the recent shut down.

Exhibition sections will be: Open - Wheel, Hand, Sculpture and Primitive Fred, Beginners Hand and Wheel, a Mixed Medium and a "Coastal Dreaming" section. This exhibition will be open to all in the region, not restricted to members only.

By being part of the Condamine Country Art and Craft Trail, 30% commission from all sales in the gallery during the weekend goes to the Warwick Art Gallery.

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The club will be seeking funding to hold several workshops in the remaining five months of this year.

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We have an offer from Karen Hannay for a one day workshop on a Monday available in September for a large garden ornament. Karen is from Brisbane and I will send a link to view her work shortly. Maximum 10 people working with Keanes White Raku. One block only needed.

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Subject to fire regulations, the club will be holding a pit firing at Pennys place during the September school holidays.

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Starting 2021, the Potters will be looking for two new Women-in-Custody supervisors. If interested please advise and we will pass on contact details.

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Penny King is the nominated Blue Card Officer and when you need your card renewed, advise Penny.

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Without two of our markets this year, the club will be looking at other fund raising activities. Any suggestion, bring to the next meeting.

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The executive contact details will be in the sign-in book in the kitchen and kiln shed.

Yours in Pottery
Sue