



# Ku-ring-gai Art Society

PO Box 229 TURRAMURRA 2074

**Next General Meeting**  
**Tuesday 7 February, 2023 at 7:30pm**  
 Masonic Hall, Turramurra  
 Cnr Pacific Hwy & Turramurra Ave

**Next Committee Meeting**  
**Monday 30 January, 2023 at 7:30pm**  
 via Zoom

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## HELP STILL WANTED

### Cass Representative

The Society is still looking for a member to liaise between Combined Art Societies (CASS) and KAS. At this stage nobody has taken up the request.

If you can help, please contact a committee member who can tell you what is involved.

### Report Writer for Meetings

The Society needs someone to attend General Meetings and write up a report for the newsletter about the Guest Speaker.

Please email Liz Harriott if you can help at [liz.harriott@hotmail.com](mailto:liz.harriott@hotmail.com)



Best wishes and success to all our members throughout 2023. Our monthly meetings will see demonstrations from a variety of artists and interesting workshops have been organised throughout the year.

As usual, there will be three exhibitions to take place (see dates later in newsletter).

All these events are the result of hard work from your committee and many other members in support roles.

**The Annual General Meeting for 2023** will be held on Tuesday 7th March at Turramurra Masonic Hall and all members are urged to attend.

## MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR 2023

Membership fees are now due and can be renewed on the website [www.ourkas.com](http://www.ourkas.com)

Exhibiting Membership \$70, Social \$60 and Student \$30

# OUR NEXT GENERAL MEETING 7 FEBRUARY 2023



## Guest Speaker – Vicki Ratcliff

### Miniatures in Watercolour on Yupo paper

Vicki is a self-taught artist working in watercolour and oils. She has been a watercolour teacher since 2010 from her home studio. She is inspired by the natural world and her love of her local ocean pool. She is particularly drawn to paint the women “who share each morning with me, their love of life, comradery and age defying beauty”.

### Recent achievements

Lane Cove Art Society: winner Hycorp Prize 2013, Highly Commended 2018

Australian Society of Miniature Art (ASMA) Highly Commended, National Awards 2016, 2018

Winner best in show ASMA National Awards 2018

First Place Oils ASMA National Awards 2021

Exhibiting Member of the ‘Pittwater Artists Trail’

Finalist in ‘Little Things Art Prize’ St. Cloche Gallery, Paddington 2018, 2019 and 2020

Selected for ‘Art and Words’ Northern Beaches Council- Anthology ‘Saltwater’ 2019 and Anthology ‘Portrait’ 2020

Winner Lloyd Rees Prize Lane Cove Art Society 2021

### Future Speakers

Gregory Carlton Thompson – 7 March 2023

Julie Peadon – 4 April 2023



## OUR LAST WORKSHOP

### Cathy Shugg – Mixed Media

10 November 2022

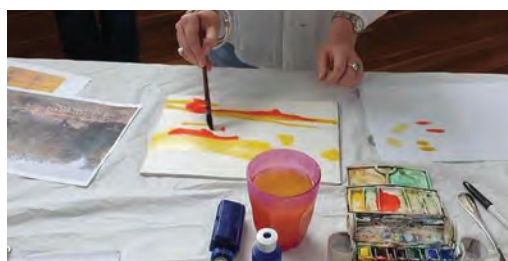
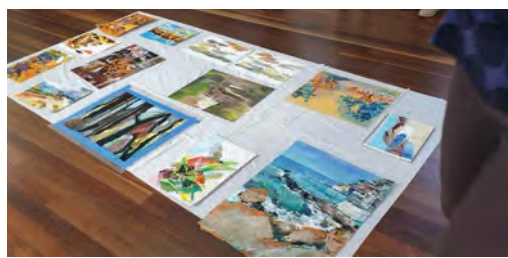
We were a group of 13, some using acrylic, some watercolour and some oil painters. Cathy explained the way to successfully layer different mediums and materials depending on the original medium. She guided us through the day showing us examples of her work and with demonstrations to clearly explain processes. Cathy generously shared her papers and supplies encouraging us with her high voltage energy level, so we felt confident and keen to experience different mediums and practices.

Everyone interpreted their images differently, people worked in acid free paper, ink and oil pastels on a variety of different surfaces, and I think that it is a credit to Cathy that everyone got to tell their own story whilst having unexpected fun and an informative day.

### Future Workshops

To be advised

Dates: 1/4/23, 13/5/23, 10/6/23, 12/8/23, 16/9/23, 18/11/23





# WORKSHOPS

## Guy Troughton Watercolour Classes 2023

Starting on 31 January 2023

**Tuesday Class – Face to Face** at Willoughby Park Centre, Cnr. McClelland and Warrane Roads, Willoughby.

**Zoom Classes** on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. In-addition Tuesday evening 7.00pm to 9.30pm.

**Face to Face Workshops** on Monday 23 and Tuesday 24 January 2023

Further information contact Guy:

[www.guytroughton.com/classes](http://www.guytroughton.com/classes)



## Kasey Sealy Workshops 2023

Oils & Watercolour Workshop at Mansfield

14 to 24 March 2023



### Tuscan Painting Holiday

2 to 16 September 2023

In the beautiful historic village of Lucignano. Day tours to Cortona, Pienza and Florence. Great restaurants, cafes, food and wine.

Teaching oils and watercolours.



Contact for more details:

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## UPCOMING EXHIBITIONS

### KAS Autumn Exhibition

13 to 26 March 2023

**Location:**

St Ives Village Shopping Centre,  
Cowan Level outside Post Office

**On-line entries open:**

Friday 10 February 2023

**Entries close:**

Friday 24 February 2023

If you are unable to complete your entry on-line, please contact the Secretary, Jan Harrington-Johnson.

**All entrants:**

Make sure you book two roster times before you start your entry form by contacting Kathy Smoker. Phone 0439 653 763.

It would be appreciated if you can keep to your Roster duty times. If you do have to change, please contact other artists to take over your duty. Then call and advise the Roster Manager, Kathy Smoker, as it take a lot of extra work for her to re-arrange the times and dates and find artists to sit on your duty times.

**Delivery of artworks:**

Sunday 12 March, 4.00pm to 5.30pm

**Collection of unsold Artworks:**

Sunday 26 March, 4.30pm to 5.30pm

Please check our website for further information:

[www.ourkas.com](http://www.ourkas.com)

### Future Exhibitions

**KAS Awards Exhibition:** 17 to 30 July 2023  
Bump in 16 July

**KAS Spring Exhibition:** 9 to 22 October 2023  
Bump in 8 October

# Members News

## EXHIBITION SPACE AVAILABLE

The Cottage at Brooklyn on the Hawkesbury River is looking for exhibitors for 2023 – local artists and/or local art themes (bush/river). If you are interested contact Kelli Mark [kellimarkemail@gmail.com](mailto:kellimarkemail@gmail.com)

## COMBINED ART SOCIETIES

### Art of Sydney Awards Exhibition

The Exhibition will be held this year at Prince Henry Centre, Little Bay from 23 to 26 March 2023.

Entry Forms and more details will be available from the end of January 2023.

See website for more information:

[combinedartsocieties@yahoo.com.au](mailto:combinedartsocieties@yahoo.com.au)

### Dates to Remember in 2033

Art in the Mountains 29 June to 17 July

Royal Art Society Exhibition 9 to 27 August

Weekend Workshop 7 to 9 October

Weekend Workshop 14 to 16 October

### CASS Cottage

Capertee Valley, Kandos – 3 hours drive from Sydney.  
Accommodation for up to 9 people and Garage Art Studio.  
20% discount for CASS members.

Book through website:

[combinedartsocieties@yahoo.com.au](mailto:combinedartsocieties@yahoo.com.au)

## Treasurer's Report

As of 27 December 2022.

### Assets

Lighting & Equipment	\$459
Term Deposits	\$170,307
Cash on Hand – Bendigo Bank	\$8,698

### Receipts and Expenses

Receipts	\$134,112
Interest income	\$1,069
Total Income	\$135,181
Expenses	(\$141,718)
<b>Currenet Net Expenditure</b>	<b>(\$6,537)</b>

## NEXT EXHIBITING MEMBERSHIP INTAKE

Social members can make application to become exhibiting members through the KAS website:  
[www.ourkas.com.au](http://www.ourkas.com.au)

**Friday 5 May 2023 at Turramurra Masonic Hall**

Deliver Artworks from 9.00am to 9.30am

### Future Intake 2023

**Friday 4 August 2023 at Turramurra Masonic Hall**

Deliver Artworks from 9.00am to 9.30am



## Support our Sponsors

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**Australia Chroma Australia**

**Derivan**

**Fine Impressions**

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**Ku-ring-gai Art Centre**

**Ku-ring-gai Council**

**Lou Klepac – Beagle Books**

**Member for Bradfield**

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**St Ives Village Newsagency**

**O'Loughlins Pharmacy**

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**St Ives Village Shopping Centre**

**Tastebuds@Hills**

**The Art Gallery Society of NSW**

**The Art Scene**

**The Art Shop Mona Vale**

**The Living Room Café**

**The Gomes Family**

**The Irwin Family**

**The Wills Family**

## Newsletter News

Please send all news to be included in the next newsletter to Jenny Hatfield at [jennyhatfield@bigpond.com](mailto:jennyhatfield@bigpond.com)

**Deadline for the next newsletter is  
13 February 2023**