

**COWRA
REGIONAL
ART
GALLERY**

ENTRY FORM
2015

CALLEEN ART AWARD

\$19,000 ACQUISITIVE

**CENTRAL WEST
REGIONAL ART AWARD**

\$2,500 NON-ACQUISITIVE

PEOPLES' CHOICE AWARD

\$500 NON-ACQUISITIVE

Entries close: 6 March 2015

Exhibition: 3 May-14 June 2015

**THE COWRA REGIONAL ART GALLERY
INVITES ARTISTS TO ENTER THE
2015 CALLEEN ART AWARD
AND CENTRAL WEST
REGIONAL ART AWARD**

THE CALLEEN ART AWARD

The Calleen Art Award is an acquisitive national art award for painting in any subject and style. The Award was established in 1977 by Patricia Fagan OAM and is made possible by the generous support of the Calleen Trust. The winner of the 2015 Calleen Art Award will receive \$19,000 in prize money and their painting will join the Calleen Collection at the Cowra Regional Art Gallery. An entered artwork must be an original painting by the artist in any painting medium including oil paint, acrylic or watercolour.

THE CENTRAL WEST REGIONAL ART AWARD

The Central West Regional Art Award is a non-acquisitive award for painting or drawing in any subject and style. The award was established in 2009 by the Cowra Regional Art Gallery with the generous support of a private donor. The winner of the 2015 Central West Regional Art Award will receive \$2,500 in prize money. A first time winner will also have the opportunity of an exhibition at the Cowra Regional Art Gallery.

An entered artwork must be an original painting or drawing by the artist: i) Painting - in any painting medium including oil, acrylic or watercolour or ii) Drawing - in any drawing medium including pencil, pastel or charcoal.

PEOPLES' CHOICE AWARD

The People's Choice Award is non-acquisitive and awarded at the end of the exhibition. The winner will receive \$500.

Announcement of the winners of the Awards will take place at the Official Gala Opening and Exhibition Preview on Saturday 2 May 2015. Exhibition dates are Sunday 3 May to Sunday 16 June 2015.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entry is in accordance with and is deemed acceptance of the following conditions. The entrant is bound by and shall perform and observe all obligations within these conditions.

ELIGIBILITY

1. Entry into the **Calleen Art Award** is open to persons over 18 years, living and working in Australia. An entered artwork must be the original painting by the artist in any subject, style and painting medium including oils, acrylic or watercolour.

An artist whose entry is winner of the 2015 Calleen Art Award agrees said work shall become the property of the Cowra Regional Art Gallery and part of the Calleen Collection.

2. Entry into the **Central West Regional Art Award** is open to persons over 18 years, living and working in Central West NSW as defined by the local government areas of Bathurst, Blayney, Boorowa, Cabonne, Cowra, Crookwell, Forbes, Lachlan including Upper Lachlan, Lithgow, Mudgee, Gulgong, Oberon, Orange, Parkes, Weddin, Young and Wellington. An entered artwork must be an original painting or drawing by the artist in any subject, style and one of the following mediums: i) Painting – any painting medium including oils, acrylic or watercolour or ii) Drawing – any drawing medium including pencil, pastel or charcoal.

Note: An artist living in one of the local government areas mentioned above who has entered into the **Calleen Art Award** will have their entry included in the Central West Regional Art Award pre-selection by ticking the designated box (for an artist living in Central West NSW) in the "Entrant's Details" section of the **Entry Form**. (This does not guarantee selection as a finalist into either Award categories).

3. All artworks must be new and completed after 1 January 2014 and must not have been shown previously in any other art prize or competition in Central West Region of NSW.
4. By entering an artwork into this award the artist warrants that the artwork does not infringe copyright, moral rights or other rights of a third party.
5. Each artwork entered must be accompanied by a fee of \$33.00 (non-refundable). An artwork entered without payment of an entry fee will not be considered eligible. Payment can be made as a cheque or money order made payable to the Cowra Regional Art Gallery or by credit card as set out in the Entry Form.
6. An artist or their authorised agent/dealer may enter up to three (3) artworks in total for consideration.
7. Entry into the exhibition as an award finalist is through pre-selection by a committee designated by the Director of the Cowra Regional Art Gallery and based on the digital image/s supplied by the entrant with the entry form (see sections 11 and 16).
8. All artworks must be for sale
9. Entries must be no greater than 2m x 2m in size and 40kg in weight.
10. Artworks must not be owned by a third party and the entry form must be signed by the entrant as the owner of the artwork. The Gallery will contact the entrant in the first instance (unless otherwise requested) in all matters relating to the information provided on the entry form.
11. An **Entry Fee** and completed **Entry Form** must be accompanied by no more than 3 images of each artwork entered. Images must be **JPEGs** (no less than 300dpi and 2 megabytes in file size) on either a CD or USB and compatible with Windows 7. Each JPEG image must include the following information - Name of artist/Title/Date/Dimensions height x width in centimetres. All entry information including CD or USB will be retained by the Gallery.
12. A completed official Entry Form must be submitted by **4pm on Friday 6 March 2015** together with fee and image/s (as specified) to the Cowra Regional Art Gallery 77 Darling Street Cowra NSW 2794. Late or incomplete entries will not be eligible. All entries are to be submitted and delivered without charges. The Cowra Regional Art Gallery, its staff, or agents, and the Cowra Shire Council will not be responsible for the loss or damage of an entry or support material.
13. The selected finalists will be notified by email after the pre-selection process is completed. A list of the 2015 finalists will be published on the Gallery website after 27 March 2015. **A substitute for a selected artwork will not be accepted.**
14. By completing the Entry Form the entrant warrants that an artwork listed as an entry is the sole and unencumbered property of the entrant and that there is no inhibition or restriction upon title passing to the Cowra Regional Art Gallery if the artwork is the winning entry of the Calleen Art Award.
15. A pre-selection panel of judges will determine the finalists for both awards and exhibition. If an artist entry is selected for exhibition and more than one artwork has been submitted by the artist, only one artwork will be considered as a finalist for exhibition. Only an artwork selected for exhibition is required to be delivered to the Gallery.
16. Artworks will be judged on creativity, originality and artistic merit from the digital images submitted by the entrant.
17. The Cowra Regional Art Gallery reserves the right not to exhibit any artwork. No reason will be given or communication entered into by the Gallery, its staff or agents with regard to the selection of artworks for exhibition or the award judge's recommendations.

FINALIST INFORMATION

18. A finalist must provide an artist statement (no more than 150 words) about the selected artwork. This should be forwarded to the Gallery no later than **30 March 2015**.
19. A selected artwork must be suitably framed. A stretched canvas is considered framed. Flat D-rings must be securely attached on the back of the artwork 10 cm from the top of the frame.
20. A finalist artwork must be forwarded with the following information attached to the back of the artwork

– name of the artist, title, date, dimensions, medium plus a contact telephone number and return address. Artworks must be securely packaged in bubble wrap and cardboard packaging if required to ensure safe transportation to and from the Gallery. The packaging must be suitable for the Gallery to re-use for the return of the artwork.

21. Delivery/Receipt of a finalist artwork is only on 20,21,22,23,24 April 2015 between 10am and 5pm. The Gallery should be contacted on (02) 63402192 or at blanger@cowra.nsw.gov.au regarding delivery arrangements. Delivery address is Cowra Regional Art Gallery, 77 Darling Street, Cowra NSW 2794.
22. All forward and return transit/freight costs of a finalist artwork is the responsibility of the entrant and/or agent. A finalist artwork will not be received by the Gallery unless free of charge to the Gallery.
23. All transit/freight insurance arrangements and costs are borne by the entrant or agent. If consigning artwork via post or carrier, prepaid return freight vouchers must be included with the artwork at the time of receipt. If the artwork is sold, the prepaid voucher will be returned to the artist.

COMMISSION AND PAYMENT

The Cowra Regional Art Gallery commission for works sold during the exhibition is 33% and the price as listed on the entry form must include the Gallery commission plus all other fees including agent fees and GST (if applicable). The sale price on the entry form shall remain fixed for the duration of the exhibition. The net sale proceeds will be paid by cheque to the artist within thirty-five (35) days of sale, provided settlement has been made in accordance with the conditions of sale. An artwork sold during the exhibition will not be released until the exhibition ends, and full payment has been received by the Gallery. All costs for additional packaging and transit/freight relating to a sold artwork is the responsibility of the purchaser and/or artist or artist's agent.

INSURANCE

The Cowra Regional Art Gallery, its staff, or agents, and the Cowra Shire Council will accept no liability for the loss or damage of an artwork during transit/freight to and from the Gallery. The Gallery will exercise all reasonable care of an artwork from time of receipt to the end of the collection date, however, the entrant and/or agent agrees to indemnify the Cowra Regional Art Gallery, its staff, or agents, and the Cowra Shire Council against the loss or damage to their artwork during this period.

PRIVACY

The information requested on this form is required for the administration of said awards and will only be used for this purpose (and where applicable for the ongoing administration of said awards). This information cannot be accessed by any unauthorised person.

COPYRIGHT AND PROMOTION

All entrants warrant that they are the copyright owner of the artwork submitted with this entry form and she or he agrees to indemnify the Cowra Regional Art Gallery, its staff, or agents, and the Cowra Shire Council for any breach or infringement of copyright. The Gallery reserves the right to reproduce and/or edit any digital images submitted with the entry form, for archival, catalogue or promotional purposes including electronic and digital promotional activities. An entrant selected as a finalist agrees that their artwork can be photographed during the said exhibition dates by the staff and or agents of Cowra Regional Art Gallery and published in any print, electronic or digital format for marketing, educational and review purposes.

RETURN OF ARTWORKS

Artworks will be available for collection from the Cowra Regional Art Gallery at the end of the exhibition from Sunday 14 June 2015 between 5.30pm and 6.30pm or from Monday 15 June to Thursday 18 June 2015 between 10am and 5pm. Arrangements for collection/pick up of an artwork outside the preferred times/ dates can be made by contacting the Gallery on (02) 6340 2192. The Cowra Regional Art Gallery accepts no responsibility for the storage of an artwork 7 days after the said exhibition closing date.

INTERPRETATION OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS

In the event of a dispute regarding the interpretation of the terms and conditions, the decision of the Director of the Cowra Regional Art Gallery shall be binding on all parties.

Please Note: Unless the contrary intention appears in the wording of this form, words in the singular number include the plural and words in the plural number include the singular. Also, the word 'Gallery' refers to the Cowra Regional Art Gallery and the word artwork in the context of this entry form refers to a painting or drawing.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Entries close: **Friday 6 March 2015**

Delivery/Receipt of finalist artwork:
20,21,22,23,24 April 2015 between 10am and 5pm

Awards judging: **Friday 1 May 2015**

Opening of exhibition: **Saturday 2 May 2015**

Exhibition dates: **3 May – 14 June 2015**

ENTRY FORM *PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY and use a pen*

Completed entry form with support images on CD or USB (non returnable) and the entry fee payment should be forwarded to the Cowra Regional Art Gallery, 77 Darling Street COWRA 2794, by Friday 6 March 2015. **Late entries will not be accepted.**

OFFICIAL USE ONLY

ENTRY NUMBER

RECEIPT NUMBER

ENTRANT DETAILS (ESSENTIAL)

Artist Surname: _____

Artist First Name: _____

Postal Address: _____

Post Code: _____

Telephone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

Artist NBN No: _____

Central West artists only (please tick if applicable)

Yes, I am an artist who lives and works in Central West NSW as defined by the local government areas of Bathurst, Blayney, Boorowa, Cabonne, Cowra, Crookwell, Forbes, Lachlan including Upper Lachlan, Lithgow, Mudgee, Gulgong, Oberon, Orange, Parkes, Weddin, Young and Wellington.

Please refer to Conditions of Entry - Eligibility Section 2 for more information.

AGENT/DEALER DETAILS (IF REQUIRED)

Full Name: _____

Trading as: _____

Address: _____ Post Code: _____

Telephone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

PAYMENT DETAILS:

I enclose a non-refundable fee of:

\$33.00 - one entry \$66.00 - two entries \$99.00 - three entries

Payment by: Cheque Money Order Credit Card: Mastercard Visa

Cardholder Name: _____

Signature: _____

Card Number: - - - Expiry Date: -



AWARD CATEGORY ENTERED AND ENTRY DETAILS

ENTRY ONE

- Calleen Art Award (Painting)
 Central West Regional Art Award (Painting or Drawing)

DETAILS

Title: _____

Medium: (e.g. Oil on canvas) _____

Date: / / _____

Size: Height cm x Width cm _____

Sale Price: \$ (incl - GST if payable + 33% commission + all other fees if applicable) _____

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the artwork/s I have entered above is/are my own original work, owned by me and completed within the time specified. I have read the conditions and information accompanying this entry application as printed and agree to abide by them.

Artist Signature: _____ Date: / / _____

NB: Failure to provide all the information requested on the entry form and CD/USB with digital image/s as set out in Section 11 could make your entry ineligible.

ENTRANT CHECKLIST

- Completed Entry Form Payment enclosed Labelled CD/USB of images for each artwork entered

COWRA REGIONAL ART GALLERY

77 Darling Street Cowra NSW 2794
t: 02 6340 2190 f: 02 6340 2191
e: cowraartgallery@cowra.nsw.gov.au
w: www.cowraartgallery.com.au

hours: Tues-Sat 10am-4pm, Sun 2-4pm **ADMISSION IS FREE**

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ENTRY TWO

- Calleen Art Award (Painting)
- Central West Regional Art Award (Painting or Drawing)

DETAILS

Title:

Medium: (e.g. Oil on canvas)

Date: / /

Size: Height cm x Width cm

Sale Price: \$ (incl - GST if payable + 33% commission + all other fees if applicable)

ENTRY THREE

- Calleen Art Award (Painting)
- Central West Regional Art Award (Painting or Drawing)

DETAILS

Title:

Medium: (e.g. Oil on canvas)

Date: / /

Size: Height cm x Width cm

Sale Price: \$ (incl - GST if payable + 33% commission + all other fees if applicable)

