

What's ON

Mah Jong Group

Tuesdays, 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm . Free.

Sketch Group

Thursdays, 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm

\$4 per session, casual.

No tuition. Great group support for sketch artists and enthusiasts. Stay for afternoon tea afterwards.

Seeking community members to be models. Complimentary afternoon tea and sketch provided.

Artists On Site

Friday afternoons 12.30 - 3.30 pm

View Wilma Bajka Van Velze, weaver in residence, at work at her loom. Ready for winter, check out the beautiful colours and the tactility of her fibres in wraps, scarves and caps.

Sunday 5 August, 2 pm

- Jewellery Demonstration: Nadja Maher
- Printmaking Demonstration: Sarah Bell Smith
- Painting Demonstration: Annette Dawson
- Live Music by James Capatch (saxophone) & Ken Cooke (acoustic guitar)

Sweet
16

pepper street arts centre

Celebrating Sixteen Years

The 'Sweet 16' project of the past twelve months has been successfully completed. Many events, projects and activities were engaged in across all ages of the community. This milestone continues to be remembered through ongoing project outcomes, now on show at Pepper Street, including:

'Looking Forward, Looking Back': A bright welcome to our carpark is this historically inspired mural created by local young people, seniors and an historian, guided by local artist Helen Favretto.

'Making A Path': Hours of community time have driven this newly displayed tapestry, designed by Elly Webb, in conjunction with weaver-in-residence Wilma Bajka Van Velze.

'Pepper Street Community Mosaic': Handpainted, handbaked tiles make up this wonderful addition to the Pepper Street entrance, brought together by members of the community with mosaic artist Luna Parrish.

'Listen Up': Local artists talking about their arts experience will be forever available in the Centre via iPod technology.

'Inspiring Images': A slideshow of many of the Sweet 16 activities of Pepper Street was curated as a collaboration with the Burnside Lions Club for aged care facilities in Burnside, to provide a series of images for the enjoyment and engagement of the residents of the facilities.

Free

Have your portrait, or a family member or friend's portrait, sketched by a talented group of sketch enthusiasts!

Thursday afternoons 1.30 - 3.30 pm

Afternoon tea included, and take a portrait or two home with you!

Please call Pepper Street on 8364 6154 to book in. (Bookings essential)



Dorrit's Coffee Shop

Perfect for a quiet visit in your own time or for meeting a small group of friends. Our prices are fantastic thanks to the volunteer support.

The Pepper Club

Join now for discounts and benefits until 30 June 2013. Only \$22 and you will be guaranteed to support the best arts facility where exhibitions, gift shop, art classes and coffee shop are all under the one roof!

Pepper News

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In Your Backyard

An exhibition of mixed media

5 - 24 August

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South Australian Living Artists



Margie Goodchild, Thuring

Community Launch Event:
Sunday 5 August at 2 pm

Launch Guest: Sophie Thomson,
Gardening Presenter and Writer,
Gardening Australia/Sunday Mail

Jewellery Demonstration by
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This is a group exhibition of works surrounding the theme of 'backyard'.

The artworks include pieces inspired by nature, gardening, animals, birds, pets, socialising, play, insects and seasons.

The exhibition includes art works by over 30 local artists working in a variety of mediums such as sculpture, painting, drawing, ceramics, textiles, printmaking, photography, mosaics and metalwork.

Don't miss out on this one! Get in first at the launch.

Still Flourishing

An exhibition of artworks
by Alzheimer's Australia
SA Art Mentoring Program

31 August - 21 September



This exhibition showcases the determination of local artist Eleni (Helen) Kostoglou, to continue to explore ways to use her creativity after her diagnosis of Parkinson's and Lewy Body Dementia.

There are few things more destructive to a person's sense of self than the onset of dementia, particularly in those for whom creativity has been an integral part of their life. Since the 1960s Helen Kostoglou has been a practising artist focusing on migration.

Continuing on from the success of 'Flourish' in 2011, Helen has rediscovered her motivation and inspiration; "I had no idea that art would come back into my life," says Helen.

The Alzheimer's Australia SA Art Mentoring Program assists artists like Helen, by providing a professional artist skilled in working with people with dementia to mentor them. This enables them to continue producing work, providing a vital boost to their self-esteem and happiness.



Eleni (Helen) Kostoglou,
Skater

Part proceeds of sales from the exhibition will go to the AASA Art Mentoring Program, to assist Helen and other artists who have a diagnosis of dementia to continue their creativity.

For further information on the Art Mentoring Program please contact Deborah Treherne: deborah.treherne@alzheimers.org.au or call 8372 2100.

Still Flourishing will be opened by Ms Kathryn Cunningham, CEO, Alzheimer's Australia, SA on Friday 31 August at 6 pm.



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ARTISTS OF THE MONTH

August: Sarah Moten Textiles



'My work will always be described with one of these adjectives; tactile, bright, colourful, fun.

I am inspired every day by vintage items, books, sheet music, colours and patterns. I take this inspiration and marry together the old with the new to modernise and repurpose whatever item I have started with. Most of my work leads people to view it once... then lean in for a closer inspection of the material, or a quick touch to feel the texture and hence discover another element of the piece.

I have a passion for vibrant coloured fabric and paper and am happiest when I can combine many mediums at the same time. The majority of my current work has been pieced together using my sewing machine.

I love encouraging young creative minds and my daughter Charlotte frequents the Arty Kids sessions at Pepper Street on the weekend to explore many mediums with her tutor. My craft kits also help me package up material that is remaining from my projects. I am always the avid recycler.

For my August showcase I have created a flock of 'Oh so tweet...' birdy canvases. These canvases have a slightly regal edge to them and the birdies will expect silver service when they get to their new homes. Created from linen recently purchased and shipped from Belarus "Orsha Linen Mill" which contrasts to the fabric and felt of the birds.'

September: Irena & Alen Levak Fabric Jewellery & Homewares

'We are a wife and husband team who work together under the label Maleka Design. We work in different artforms, which come together in a complementary way.

Bringing together our respective backgrounds in printing (Irena) and woodworking and furniture making (Alen) we have found a successful creative union which has provided us with the opportunity to launch our new homewares and jewellery range.



The latest range includes neckpieces, scarves, cuff bracelets, hand screen printed lamps and table runners. Our original patterned designs are hand screen printed onto natural materials such as linen and cotton, turning them into creative and original wearables and homewares.

We love to experiment with rich colours and textures, creating designs that engage both tactile and visual senses. Our aim is to achieve a sustainable practice by using water based inks and also reusing materials whenever possible. Our work is handmade and hand-printed in our studio in Adelaide.

We hope you enjoy our showcase.'

Artist Opportunities

Exhibitions:

Little Treasures - November 2012

Submit your work to be part of this popular Christmas exhibition. End of year sales do well in gift oriented areas such as glass, ceramics, textiles, jewellery, leatherwork, wood and other mediums.

Prices to reflect 'gift' focus. \$150 or less.

**Submission deadline:
Wednesday, 19 September 2012**

Cats - February 2013

All art forms created around a feline theme are welcome.

Adelaide Fringe exhibition.

**Submission deadline:
Wednesday, 19 September 2012**

Exhibit in 2013

Applications now being accepted for limited space in the 2013 calendar for artists/groups to submit. Please call for application details.

Gift Shop

Available to artists all year round for showcasing art and craft gifts. Apply via the selection committee every month. Please call for details.

Selection Dates

Upcoming selection dates for exhibitions, shop and artist of the month:

Wednesday 15 August and 19 September 2012. Call for submission details.



Volunteer profile

Name: Phyllis Williams

How long have you volunteered at Pepper Street and what do you like about it?

I became a volunteer very recently and like the fact that the people I am associating with at the gallery have similar interests to my own. I particularly like working in the gift shop and seeing the diverse range of locally hand crafted items for sale.

What is your favourite art style/form? Why?

I love tactile crafts and over recent years have been knitting and felting. Fabrics and yarns have always held a great fascination for me and my collections seem to keep growing, so I need to do something with them!

I am enjoying facilitating a fortnightly social craft/knitting group on Thursdays from 10 am to 12 noon at Pepper Street. Bring your own project to work on and share your skills or learn new ones. \$5.00 per session. For further information contact the gallery or email me at phylwill@optusnet.com.au

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Gallery quality, affordably priced, hand crafted and unique gifts. Try us for your next gift need, or for something special for yourself.

Felted Vest, Samantha Goodburn



Leather Purses, Penny Farrow



Handpainted Cushion, Trish Loader



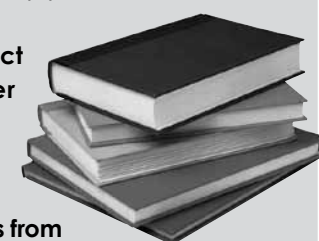
Berry Blossom Pendant (detail), Svetlana Kendzhaeva

Volunteering AT PEPPER STREET

Pepper Street thanks the team of 40 volunteers who contribute over 50 hours per week.

The Burnside Library at Pepper Street

Borrow direct from Pepper Street a great collection of art books from the Burnside Library.



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