

2024 Central Highlands Regional Council

ART ANNUAL AWARDS

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**OFFICIAL
OPENING**
AND AWARD
PRESENTATION

6pm Friday 1 March 2024

**BAUHINIA BICENTENNIAL
ART GALLERY**
27 Eclipse Street
Springsure

ENTRIES CLOSE

9 February 2024

EXHIBITION OPEN

**2 March -
17 April 2024**

Prize Categories

Category one	
Easel-based works (mixed media acrylic, oil, collage, print etc. on non-paper-based supports)	1st - \$600 2nd - \$150
Category two	
Works on paper (drawing, watercolour, collage, mixed media, printmaking etc. on paper-based supports)	1st - \$600 2nd - \$150
Category three	
Three-dimensional and fibre works (pottery, sculpture including maquettes, carving, timber, metal, stone, plastic, assemblage, fibre, mosaics etc.)	1st - \$600 2nd - \$150
Category four	
Photography and digital art	1st - \$600 2nd - \$150
Category five	
Black and white (any medium)	1st - \$600 2nd - \$150
Category six	
Youth 13-18 years (any medium)	1st - \$150 2nd - \$50
Category seven	
Junior 12 years and under (any medium)	1st - \$150 2nd - \$50
Central Highlands Regional Council Acquisitive Award	
Open all entrants - chosen from categories 1-5, (except those listed NFS)	\$2000
People's Choice Award	
To be voted on via online voting poll	\$200

Key dates | 2024

9 February | 5.00 pm

Entries close.

All entry forms, fees, and attachments to be submitted in person to any CHRC Office/Transaction Centre or to:

Central Highlands Regional Galleries
PO Box 21
Emerald QLD 4720 or to:
chgalleries@chrc.qld.gov.au

23 February | 5.00 pm

Artwork delivery.

Final date for delivery of artwork to Bauhinia Bicentennial Art Gallery
27 Eclipse Street
Springsure QLD 4722.

1 March | 6.00 pm

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2 March to 17 April

Exhibition open
Monday to Friday
9.00 am to 5.00 pm

Thur 18 - Sat 20 April

Collection of artworks
Bauhinia Bicentennial Art Gallery.
Friday 9am to 1pm & 2.00 to 5.00pm
Saturday 9.00 am to 12.00 pm

Your submission checklist:

- ☐ Works produced within the last 12 months.
- ☐ A completed entry form.
- ☐ A high-resolution photograph of each artwork (300dpi).
- ☐ An artwork statement about each artwork in a word document (maximum 50 words).
- ☐ Email attachments to chgalleries@chrc.qld.gov.au
- ☐ Non-refundable entry fee.

Terms and conditions

The **Central Highlands Regional Galleries (CHRG)** is the proud organiser of the 2024 Central Highlands Regional Council (the council) Annual Art Awards – Springsure.

General information and eligibility

- Entrants must be Australian residents.
- All works and concepts must be the original, bona fide and unaided work of the entrant and created during the twelve months prior to February 2024.
- A limit of **TWO (2)** entries only per exhibitor, per category will be accepted.
- No work may be eligible for more than one prize or category, except for the Acquisitive Award.
- If an artwork has previously won at an art award, it is ineligible for entry.
- Each entry must be clearly marked on the back or underside with: name; title of work; category; price of work (including GST) if for sale, *or if not for sale (NFS) a value for insurance purposes*.
- Collaborative works: all artists must be named and provide consent for entry. Any prize money will be allocated equally between the group entrants.
- Artworks marked "not for sale (NFS)" will not be eligible for the Acquisitive Award.
- To be eligible for the **Junior Award**, entrants must be aged 12 years or under, before the date of entry and be a resident of the Central Highlands.
- To be eligible for the **Youth Award**, entrants must be between 13 and 18 years of age before the date of entry and be a resident of the Central Highlands.
- Council reserves the right to reproduce works for the purposes of marketing and promotion of the Annual Art Awards – Springsure, and shall not be liable to pay any fee, royalty, commission or any other form of remuneration to any exhibitor for such rights.
- Acquisitions will be at the discretion of the council's selection panel and judge(s), and in line with the council's Art Collection Policy. Any acquired work becomes part of the council's art collection.
- The recipient of the Acquisitive Award agrees to accept the prize pool of \$2000 and forfeit any differences with relation to sale price.
- Exhibitors are advised that if you are registered for GST, then it is your responsibility to include GST in your sale price. If you win a prize, GST will not be added to the prize money.
- The council will deduct a commission of 10% from the sale price of all artworks sold. Payment will be made to the artists (less 10%) at the end of the exhibition, when the council has received payment from the purchaser.
- All works that require hanging must be framed professionally and/or prepared for hanging with **two D-rings** attached to the frame. 3D works that require hanging must have suitable hanging mounts.
- Unframed work will NOT be accepted. Gallery-standard stretched, deep-edged canvases are considered framed and will require **two D-rings** for hanging purposes. Thin canvases must be framed.
- Hanging works must not exceed an area of 1.25m², framed. Standing works must not exceed 1m² floor space unless prior approval sought.
- All artworks must be touch-dry and cured to gallery standard.



- Efforts will be made to hang all entries. If entries exceed available exhibition space the curator reserves the right to select final artwork hung for the exhibition. The artists involved will be informed.
- CHRG reserves the right to exclude any work deemed to not meet the standards of the exhibition.
- CHRG reserves the right to change the competition category of any artwork deemed to have been entered into the incorrect category.

Judging

- The judge(s) will be selected by the council.
- All accepted artworks will be judged.
- The judge(s) reserves the right to not award a prize in any category if no entries are considered suitable.
- The judge(s) reserves the right to disqualify an artwork that, in their opinion, is copied or incorrectly entered.
- The judge(s)' decisions are final. No correspondence will be entered. Individual feedback will not be given.

Delivery and collection

- Entry Forms** & non-refundable entry fees must be received with by:
5.00 pm on Friday 9 February 2024.
Late payments will not be accepted and result in applications being withdrawn.
a. **categories 1-5:** \$10.00 fee per entry
b. **category 6-7:** \$5.00 fee per entry
- Artworks** must be delivered to the Bauhinia Bicentennial Art Gallery, 29 Eclipse Street, Springsure 4722 no later than:
5.00 pm on Friday 23 February 2024.
Late artworks will not be judged or exhibited, and entry fees will be forfeited.
- Artwork Collection** will be available from:
Thursday 18 & Friday 19 April 2024: 9am to 1pm & 2pm - 5pm; and
Saturday 20 April 2024: 9.00am to 12.00pm.
Entries not collected within six weeks of that date will become the property of the Bauhinia Bicentennial Art Gallery unless prior arrangement has been made.
- Artworks will only be released upon proof of identification.

Insurance and freight

- The council takes care in exhibiting and handling entries; however, the council accepts no liability for any loss or damage, either in transit, during installation or while on display.
- Forward and return freight is the responsibility of the artist. Return freight must be prepaid. Consignment notes, prepaid vouchers or stamps etc. must be enclosed with the entry form. Council will not be responsible for storage or transportation of artworks.
- If return freight is required, a consignment note, receipt number, stamps, prepaid voucher etc. is to be forwarded with artwork and/or entry fee. If monies for freight are not enclosed, artwork will be returned at artist's expense.

Please retain this page for your reference.

**D-rings can be purchased from picture framers*



Artist's Name:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Entry form

Please complete and send this form with your entry fee. (This form may be photocopied.)

Note: LIMIT: Artists may enter 2 artworks only per category.

Postal Address:

Phone: _____ Age (youth): _____ DOB: _____ / _____ / _____

Email:

Category	Title of Artwork	Medium	Size (HxWxD - cm)	Value (insurance)	Price/NFS	Entry fee	Delivery/collection method
eg 1	Leaving Home	Acrylic on Canvas	75x120x3cm	\$750	NFS	\$10	drop off/pick up
eg 2	collage	paper collage	20x30x3cm	\$400	\$400	\$10	courier/post
If artwork is not for sale (NFS) a value is still needed for insurance purposes.					Total		

Payment (please tick option)GST Registered ☐ Y ☐ N ☐

☐ Cash Amount: _____ ABN: _____

☐ Cheque/money order Amount: _____ Payable to: Central Highlands Regional Council

☐ Please charge my ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa

Card number / Exp CCV

BSB

Account Number:

Amount: _____

Cardholder's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Account Name:

Declaration

I have read and agree to the Terms and Conditions of the 2024 CHRC Annual Art Awards - Springsure.

I declare that this is my original and unaided work, executed in the last 12 months and belongs to me.

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