

Conditions of Entry

- Please read the conditions of entry carefully, as important changes have been made in 2008.**
- Entry forms for all sections must be accompanied by a maximum of 3 unaltered, digital images in jpg format on CD, for pre-selection purposes. The CD and each image should be clearly labelled. **Please do not send actual work until you are notified after pre-selection.** Successful entrants will be notified of pre-selection results on Wednesday July 30.
- The winning artwork in Section 1 will be acquired for the Southern Down Regional Council collection.
- Entry/handling fee for all sections is \$33 (includes GST) per entry. Entry for the Local Artist Award will be automatic for residents of the Southern Downs Regional Council community, and taken from entries in other sections. Entry/handling fees are non-refundable. Entry forms will not be accepted without payment for each entry. Cheques are to be made payable to Warwick Art Gallery.
- Entries must not have been previously hung in a Warwick or Stanthorpe Art Gallery competition.
- Entries must have been completed in the last two years.
- An artist can enter a **maximum of 2 entries** across all sections.
- Entry/handling fee together with the completed entry form and digital images on CD must be received at the Gallery by Friday 11 July at 4.00pm.
- Wet canvases are not acceptable.
- Return freight arrangements must be clearly described on the entry form for any return of works. The Gallery will not enter into freighting arrangements for any reason. **Enclose (in a clearly labelled separate envelope with your art work) freight and return address labels.**
- Minimum entry age is 18 years.
- The judge, Rex Backhaus-Smith, will preselect approximately 100 works from all entries. The judge's decisions about exhibition selections and the awards shall be final and binding, and no correspondence regarding these decisions will be entered into.
- All paintings must be suitably framed and wired, ready for safe hanging. Stretched canvases are considered framed. D hooks are the preferred method of hanging at Warwick Art Gallery, and should be used where possible.
- All works must remain with the exhibition for its duration.
- All works must be available for sale. All sale prices must include GST (where artist is GST registered) and 20% commission applies. The Warwick Art Gallery shall retain this commission on all works sold. Payment of sales and acquisitions will be made within 30 days of the close of the exhibition.
- Artists must allow their work to be reproduced by any form of the media related to the promoting of the event.
- Exhibiting artists will receive an invitation to the opening, to be held on Friday 22 August.
- The Warwick Art gallery accepts no liability for loss or damage either in the course of transit or while the entries are the custody of the gallery. However, all due care will be taken of entries submitted. Insurance remains the responsibility of the exhibitor. Appropriate security will be in place during the Gallery's possession of art works. Artwork may be collected during gallery hours after the exhibition closes September 21.
- All works should be delivered to the Gallery at 49 Albion Street, Warwick, Queensland by **Sunday August 17 at 1pm**. All work must be delivered during gallery hours. The Gallery will make no payment for freight or other charges incurred in the delivery or return of work. All work must be correctly and safely packed for freight, and the packaging should be of a quality to allow for its re-use and safe return of unsold artwork.
- Work not collected within 30 days of the exhibition closing will become the property of Warwick Art Gallery Inc.**