

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- 1.** The works entered must be the original work of the entrant and completed since October 2023. Any work submitted is eligible for one award only.
- 2.** An entry form must be completed and signed by each entrant and returned by Friday 5th September 2025, together with entry fee of: **Members \$25 for each work, Non Members \$30 for each work.**
- 3.** No more than 4 entries in each section per entrant.
- 4.** Each entry to be labelled on the back with the entrant's name, title of work, section, medium and price.
- 5.** All works **must be for sale**. The committee will deduct **25%** commission from all works sold.
- 6.** All works to be hung shall be suitably framed with D-rings on back with cord or plastic-coated wire, attached ready for hanging. They must not exceed 1.2 square metres in overall size including frame. Larger works or wet paintings will not be accepted. **No Screw Eyes.**
- 7.** No digital images or prints in painting sections will be accepted.
- 8.** No artificial intelligence (AI) in photography section will be accepted.
- 9.** All works will be displayed if possible, but the committee reserves the right to reject an entry.
- 10.** Section prizes may not be awarded if there are less than 6 entries for that section.
- 11.** All works must remain for the duration of the exhibition, unless sold to bona fide travellers.
- 12.** Should any dispute arise for which no specific rule is laid down the committee decision on the matter will be final.
- 13.** All entries are accepted, displayed and returned at the owner's risk. The committee accepts no liability for loss or damage. **FREIGHT and INSURANCE must be PREPAID** by entrant.
- 14.** Freight works should be packed in reusable packaging showing return name and address.
- 15.** Unless specific return freight instructions have been supplied, entrants must collect unsold works on **Monday 6th October between 1.00 pm and 3.00 pm** unless otherwise arranged. Works not collected within 3 months will be sold to defray costs.
- 16.** The Nambucca Valley Arts Council reserves the right to reproduce any submitted works (without fee) in newspapers or other media for the purpose of publicity.
- 17.** Winning entries remain the property of the artist and will be subject to condition 5 if sold during the exhibition.



NAMBUCCA VALLEY ARTS COUNCIL INC.
Is proud to present

NAMBUCCA VALLEY BIENNIAL ART EXHIBITION 2025

Nambucca Community and Arts Centre
Ridge Street, Nambucca Heads

To be Opened by
David Southgate
Judges
Kristin Hardiman
Zeny's Photo Centre

Open daily from Sunday 28th September 2025
to Sunday 5th October 2025 9.30 am – 4.30 pm
& Monday 6th October 2025 9.00 am – 1.00 pm

Official opening
Saturday 27th September 2025 at 7.00 pm
Drinks and light supper provided
Admission \$10 at door, exhibiting artists & sponsors free
Daily entrance fee \$5.00, no charge for exhibiting artists,
sponsors or children under 12

SECTIONS

BETTY CROCKER MEMORIAL ART PRIZE Best work in exhibition \$1000		
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 1	OPEN PAINTING	\$500
	Any medium/subject	
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 2	OIL/ACRYLIC Any Subject	\$500
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 3	WATERCOLOUR	\$500
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 4	PASTEL	\$500
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 5	BETTY CROCKER NVAC MEMBERS' PRIZE	\$500
	Any medium/subject (current NVAC members)	
	Sponsored by Betty Crocker Trust	
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 6	PAINTING OF NAMBUCCA VALLEY SCENE	\$500
	Any medium	
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 7	DRAWING	\$500
	Pencil, ink, charcoal	
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 8	MINIATURE PAINTING	\$300
	Painting without frame must not exceed 100 sq cm	
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 9	PHOTOGRAPHY	\$500
	Any subject	
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 10a	CRAFT Glass, Ceramics, Mosaics, Sculpture	\$400
	Highly Commended	\$50
SECTION 10b	ANY OTHER HANDMADE OBJECT	\$400
	Highly Commended	\$50
PEOPLE'S CHOICE by popular vote		\$300
Announced 6 th October 2025		

All prizes sponsored by Nambucca Valley Arts Council, local businesses and friends Totalling \$7000

EXHIBITION DIARY

ENTRY FORMS Can be downloaded at www.nambucca.com.au/arts
and must arrive by Friday 5th September 2025 to: Lynda Hilton
 52/26 Swimming Creek Rd Nambucca Heads, 2448. **Enquiries:**
 Lynda Hilton 65688929 or Celia Ramsay 0467968817

Preferred payment is by internet banking:

Nambucca Valley Arts Council BSB 082684 A/C 320401583

Reference: Your name /art show e.g. John Smith/Art Show.

Cheques payable to Nambucca Valley Arts Council Inc.

Cash or eftpos at NVAC Gallery, Community & Arts Building, Ridge St., Nambucca Heads.

DELIVERY OF WORKS

Consignments by Carrier or Post must arrive between Mon.15th Sept. and Tue. 23rd Sept. 2025 and be addressed to: NVAC Art Gallery, Community and Arts Centre, Ridge St., Nambucca Heads, 2448.

Hand deliveries to arrive at Nambucca Community and Arts Centre Ridge St, Nambucca Heads between **9 am and 1 pm on Wednesday 24th September 2025.**

COLLECTION OF WORKS Refer to Conditions of Entry No.15

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