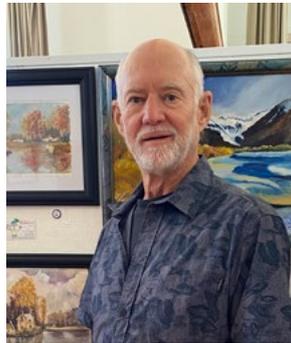


A few words from our President

We have some good news in regards with securing a store on Stafford Street. We will be holding our Autumn exhibition at the former EB Games store - 294 Stafford Street over the Rock and Hop period, running from the 16th March to the 29th March. The exhibition will be a pay and take away. It will cost \$5 per painting, with a maximum of 6 works. When a painting is sold it can be replaced. The commission will be at 20%. The store will be open from 9.30am and close around 5pm.



As it will have to be manned at all times we will be requiring assistance from our club members.

This will be a great opportunity for our members due to the exposure we will have on the main street. Drop off of the art works will start on the 16th March until the opening day on the 19th March.

See you all there
Regards Tom



Thursday Art Group is back
All members welcome

SCAS Autumn Exhibition 19th to 29nd March 2026

Receiving days 16th to 19th March

Receiving time for art work is from 10am on the 16th March

Cost to enter:

\$5 per entry, or 6 paintings for \$30

Commission on art work sold is 20%

Please see the attached entry form...

Welcoming New SCAS Members

Mark Bracefield ~ Kathy De Joux

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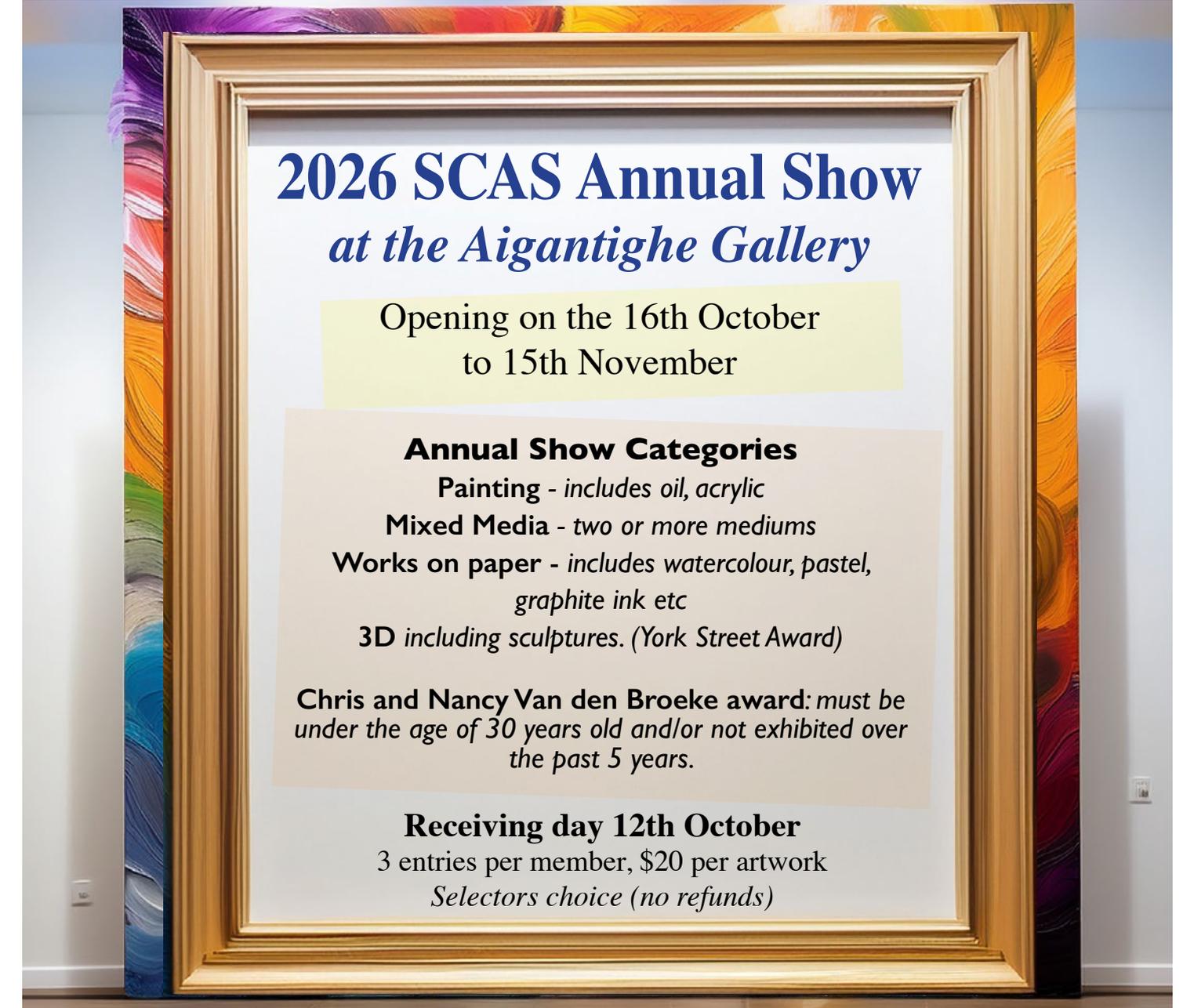
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2026 SCAS Annual Show *at the Aigantighe Gallery*

Opening on the 16th October
to 15th November

Annual Show Categories

Painting - includes oil, acrylic

Mixed Media - two or more mediums

Works on paper - includes watercolour, pastel,
graphite ink etc

3D including sculptures. (York Street Award)

Chris and Nancy Van den Broeke award: must be
under the age of 30 years old and/or not exhibited over
the past 5 years.

Receiving day 12th October

3 entries per member, \$20 per artwork

Selectors choice (no refunds)

I asked AI - 'What is the purpose of art?'

Here is the response.

"The purpose of art is multifaceted, serving as a universal language for self-expression, communication, and connection, while also functioning for aesthetic pleasure, cultural commentary, social change, historical documentation, and therapeutic healing, ultimately enriching human experience by evoking emotion, sparking thought, and reflecting our world.

In essence, art's purpose isn't singular; it's a dynamic tool for exploring the human condition, both individually and collectively, offering solace, inspiration, and a deeper understanding of ourselves and the world."

We would love to hear why you make art, and we will add your comments to our next newsletter.

Lesley Brown
SCAS member

Hello fellow artists,

The North Otago Art Society is running their bi annual **Colin Wheeler Exhibition**, this celebrates an artist who, historically has contributed artistically to the Oamaru community.

Details are covered on the exhibition form enclosed.

Important points: Art to be submitted by the 5th April 2026, maximum of two works and all mediums considered.

We look forward to welcoming your exhibits to our gallery

Regards
Chris Pepper (Treasurer)



Congratulations
to Tom for winning the \$50 Gordon Harris gift card for his Plein Air photo.



AUTUMN EXHIBITION 2026

ENTRY FORM

Artist Name: _____ Phone _____

Address: _____

Bank Account number: _____

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry, or 6 paintings for \$30 (Receiving time for art work is from 10am on the 16th March)

I hereby declare that the artwork submitted is my original work and I agree to the terms and conditions as outlined.

Signature: _____

	Title	Medium	Price
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The Colin Wheeler Exhibition, N.O.A.S Entry Form

Theme: Images of North Otago

Criteria: Maximum two works per person,

Mediums : Oil/ acrylic, Water Colour/ ink, Photography, Digital, Multi media accepted.

Size: maximum one metre on longest side

Presentation: Art work must be framed or have attention paid to edges of a canvas for example, have appropriate hanging device D ring and chord (available from the gallery).

Must have the artists name, phone number, medium, title, and price written on back on a separate card or ticket attached to art works. Fill in form below and submit with your entry(s)

Name _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Postal address _____

Title	Medium	Price
1. _____		
2. _____		

Art work must be submitted by the 5th April 2026.

Entry Fee \$ 20.00 per art work, submit by Sunday 9th April 2026

Payment to acct. # North Otago Art Society via internet banking

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Reference: name and Code: cwheeler

You may also pay at the gallery by eftpos if you are not on internet banking

Your acct details

Important things to remember:

Presentation: All art work ready for hanging with cord and D rings, framed or tidy edges as applicable.

All work must be for sale, the gallery will take 25% commission if an art work is sold

All work must be original, not exhibited at the custom house gallery before, and not from a tutored course.

All care of your art will be taken by NOAS, however NOAS will not take responsibility for art work damaged inadvertently, insurance is your responsibility.

Freight: Exhibitors are responsible for own payment to and from the exhibition(if applicable)

Selection: The display team are responsible for hanging works, within the allotted space we have at the gallery. They have the right to refuse work if it does not meet the criteria or if space is a premium.

Regards, NOAS committee