



**Emerald Gallery Inc.**

**2018 Annual Art Awards**

**Sponsored by Central Highlands Regional Council**

Exhibition open from 14 July to 24 August 2018



***Prize Categories***

**Category One** - Easel Based Works – Any Medium

First Prize - \$750      Second Prize - \$250

**Category Two** - Works on Paper (no photography or computer art)

First Prize - \$750      Second Prize - \$250

**Category Three** - Three Dimensional Works (freestanding and wall hung)

First Prize - \$750      Second Prize - \$250

**Category Four** - Photography

First Prize - \$750      Second Prize - \$250

**Category Five** - Digital Art

First Prize - \$750      Second Prize - \$250

**Central Highlands Regional Council Acquisitive Award**

Open to all artworks entered in categories one to five - \$4,000

**Central Highlands Regional Council Local Artist Award**

Open to residents of the Central Highlands - \$1,000

**Margaret Gibson Youth Award**

Open to Central Highland Artists aged 13 to 18 - \$250

**People's Choice Awards**

To be voted on by attendees of the Gala Opening event on 14 July 2018 - \$250

All Award Recipients will be announced at the Gala Opening event on 14 July 2018.

## **Conditions of entry**

*Please read carefully.*

*Failure to comply with the conditions below will rule entrants ineligible to participate in the completion and judging.*

### **General**

All entry forms, fees and attachments must be received by 5pm on 30 June 2018.

All art works must be delivered to the gallery between 10am and 3pm on Saturday 7 or Sunday 8 July 2018.

Early delivery of works is only permissible with the express permission of the committee.

All art works will be available for collection from the Gallery between 10am and 3pm on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> August. Entries not collected by 7 September will become the property of Emerald Gallery Inc. unless prior arrangement to the contrary has been agreed by the committee.

Forward and return Freight is the responsibility of the Artist to arrange and pay for directly. Return freight must be prepaid and the consignment notes, prepaid vouchers etc must be enclosed with the entry.

A non-refundable entry fee of \$15 for each work must accompany the entry form and must be paid by direct deposit as noted on the entry form attached.

### **Artist eligibility**

Age: 13 or over

Location: Artists must be residents of Australia

Group Entries: If the work is collaborative, all artists must be named and give consent for entry.

### **Artwork eligibility**

All entries must be the original and unaided work of the artist/s.

Entries must have been completed in the twelve-month period prior to the completion entry closing date.

Entries must not have previously been awarded a prize in any other completion/awards.

All works that require hanging must be framed and prepared for hanging with 2 "D-rings" securely attached to the back of the frame. Stretched deep-edged canvasses are considered framed. Unframed works will not be accepted.

A limit of two entries only for each exhibitor and each category will be accepted.

Artworks marked not for sale are not eligible for the Acquisitive Prize.

The total number of entries will be limited dependent on space and entries will be handled on a first come first served basis, early submission of entry forms is therefore encouraged.

## Conditions of entry (continued)

Maximum Dimensions:

	Height	Width	Depth	Weight
2D works (including frame)	120cm	120cm		<10kg
Wall-hanging 3D works	120cm	120cm	25cm	<10kg
Free-standing 3D works	50cm	50cm	50cm	<25kg

### Judging

The judge is selected by Central Highlands Regional Council.

The judge reserves the right to withhold prize money if, in their opinion, artworks are not of sufficient quality in any category.

The judge reserves the right to disqualify or reclassify an artwork that, in their opinion, is copied or incorrectly entered.

The judge's decision, made in conjunction with the Central Highlands Regional Council CEO or CEO's delegate, is final.

### Opening night

The exhibition will open on 14 July 2018 with a Gala Opening Evening from 6 to 8pm with drinks, food and entertainment provided.

The winners of all prizes will be announced and all entrants are encouraged to attend.

Attendance will be free for all members of Emerald Gallery Inc with a \$5 door charge for all non-members.

## **Emerald Gallery Inc. Annual Art Awards 2018 - Entry Form**

### **Artist**

Artist(s) Name(s)	
Date of Birth	
Address	
Post code	
Phone Number	
Email	
CHRC resident	Yes / No

### **Art works**

Category	Title of Work	Price \$	Not For Sale	Medium	Dimensions	Insurance value \$

### **Payment**

The entry fee of \$15 per entry must be paid into the Gallery's bank account, as follows:

**BSB 032 114 Account Number 472109 Bank Westpac Account Name Emerald Gallery Inc**