

**Royal Art Society of New South Wales (est 1880)**

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**2008 PROGRAM OF EVENTS**

**January**

Monday 21st Gallery & Office open.  
Monday 28th Australia Day – RAS closed  
Tuesday 29th Art School 1<sup>st</sup> term starts

**February**

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Council Meeting 4pm  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> Send in “Best in Show” 10am-4pm  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> **Opening “Best in Show” 6-8pm**  
Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> “art chat” 2-3pm Helen Goldsmith

**March**

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> Finish “Best in Show Exhibition”  
Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> Send in “Autumn Exhibition”  
(featuring Thora Ungar Award) 10am-4pm  
Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> Judging by Paul McDonald Smith  
Friday 7<sup>th</sup> **Opening “Autumn Exhibition” 6pm to 8pm**  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting 4PM  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> AGM 7pm  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Good Friday – Closed  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> Easter Monday Closed  
Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Fellows lunch 12.15pm Meeting 1pm  
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> “art chat” 2-3pm with John Beard

**April**

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Term ends  
Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> & **(2 day art school workshop)**  
Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> (plein air-Joe Penn, portraiture, Judy Pennefather,  
Pastel Greg Hansell)  
Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> Finish Autumn Exhibition  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Council meeting 4pm  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> 1 day drawing workshop with Arthur James OAM  
10-3pm (contemporary)  
Monday 21<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Term starts  
Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> “art chat” 2-3pm Pam Griffith

**May**

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> **“Get together at the RAS” 6-8pm**  
(Critique night and demonstration”  
(members and students )  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Council meeting 4pm  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> Send in “Outback to Hill-End” Exh  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> **Opening “Outback to Hill End” Exh 6-8pm**  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> “art chat” 2-3pm with Warwick Fuller FRAS

**June**

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> Council meeting 4pm  
Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> term ends & “Outback Exh finishes.  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> Send in “Views & Nudes & Other Things)  
(private members exhibition Cynthia Hundelby  
Genifer Williams and Angela Van Wyk)  
Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> **Opening 6pm to 8pm “Views & Nudes &  
Other Things”.**  
Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> “Meet the Artists’ Views&Nudes & other things  
Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> “art chat” with Evert Ploeg 2-3pm.

**July**

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Term starts  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting 4pm  
Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> Close PM’s Exhibition &  
“art chat” Lucy Culliton 2-3pm  
Monday 28<sup>th</sup> Final send in day Ballot 4pm  
**August**  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> First Viewing Ballot 10-4pm  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting 4pm  
Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Ballot Draw 12 noon  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Closed  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> Closed  
Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> “art chat” George Gittoes 2-3pm

**September**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> Send in Annual Spring until 4pm  
Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> Judging “Medal of Distinction”  
Friday 5<sup>th</sup> **Opening “Spring” 6-8pm**  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Term finishes  
Wedn 17<sup>th</sup> Fellows lunch 12.15pm.  
Meeting 1pm  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting 4pm  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> “art chat” Patrick Carroll 2-3pm

**October**

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> Finish of Spring Exh  
Monday 6<sup>th</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> term commences  
Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Send in Drawing Exhibition  
between 10am and 4pm  
Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> **Opening Drawing Exhibition**  
11am to 4pm Official 2pm  
Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> “art chat” Pamela Tippet  
2-3pm

**November**

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> End of Drawing Exhibition  
Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Send in Art School Exh  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> **Opening Art School Ex**  
6pm to 8pm  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Council Meeting 4pm  
Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> Finish of Art School Exh  
“art chat” with Alan Somerville

**December**

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> Send in Christmas 9” x 5”  
Friday 5<sup>th</sup> **Open Christmas Exh 6-8pm**  
Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Term finishes  
Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting 4pm  
Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> RAS Closes