



Selwyn Central
Arts Council

AUTUMN
2020

ARTS HEART

THIS ISSUE

April Exhibition Postponed

Unfortunately we have had to make the hard decision to postpone our Annual April Exhibition. We know that this will be particularly heartbreaking to artists who were working hard to prepare artworks with this exhibition in mind. However we are working on showcasing our members work in a virtual exhibition online soon. Watch this space!



And the people stayed home. And read books and listened, and rested and exercised, and made art and played games, and learned new ways of being and were still. And listened more deeply. Some meditated, some prayed, some danced. Some met their shadows. And the people began to think differently. And the people healed. And, in the absence of people living in ignorant, dangerous, mindless and heartless ways the earth began to heal. And when the danger passed, and the people joined together again, they grieved their losses, and made new choices, and dreamed new images, and created new ways to live and heal the earth fully, as they had been healed.

-Kitty O'Meara



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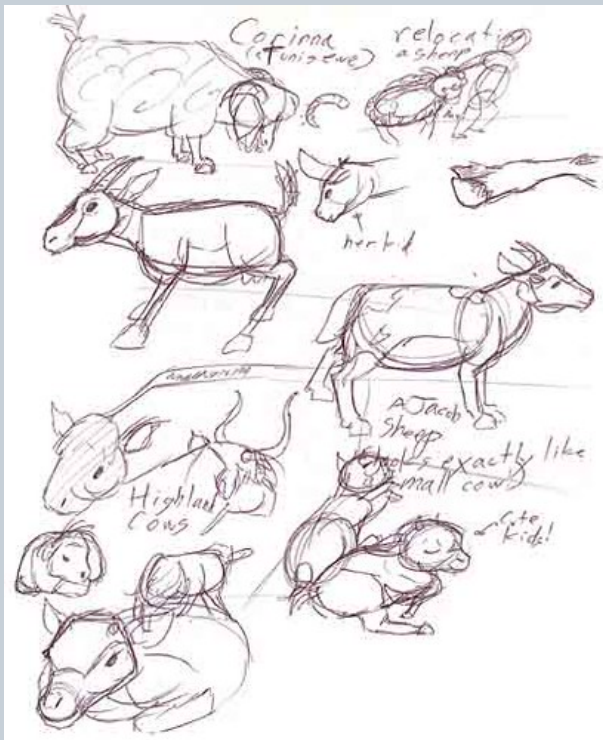


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Autumn Drawing Exercise: Gesture Drawing



In this exercise you want to get as much information down on the paper in a short amount of time. You will be doing a series of drawings here, so make sure you have plenty of paper and a timer on hand. The first drawings you only have 20 seconds to complete. Yes 20 seconds! Repeat the 20 second drawings about 10 times and increase the timer to 40 seconds. You want to be bold with these drawings and forget about the "mistakes" that you are making. Make sure you keep drawing like you were when you only had 20 seconds. Increase the time again to 2 minutes. After you have completed about 10 drawings at 40 seconds you should begin to notice improvement in your line quality and become more confident with your drawing. Also focus on looking at what you are drawing as much as the drawing itself and do not stop moving your hand when you look up.

Te Huanui Art Gallery in Darfield

figuratively speaking

Friday, 28 February - Thursday, 26 March 2020
Opening from 6pm, Friday, 28 February 2020



Vicki Knudsen • Jo Loughnan
Odelle Morshuis • Dot Moulton

Down by the Liffey Gallery
Lincoln's Community Art Gallery, 1 James Street, Lincoln

GODZONE - our own

an exhibition by
Robyn Schroeder + Debbie Garland

Robyn and Debbie team up to present a diverse array of works showing their love and feelings for our beautiful country and way of life - our sanctuary

Mar 18 - Apr 12

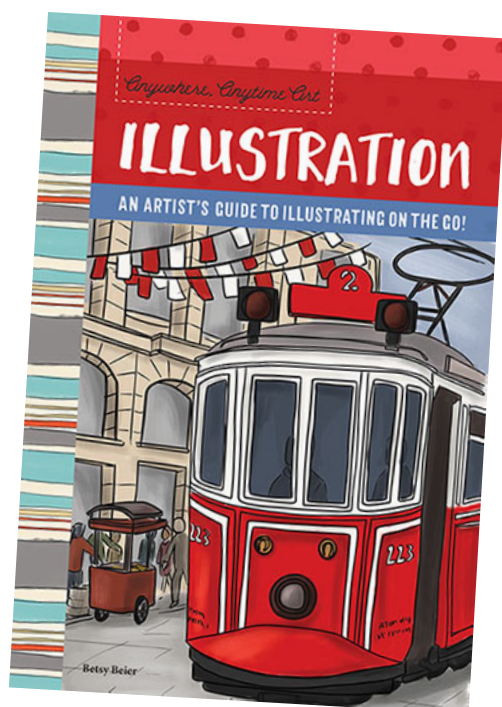
Open to Public: Wed - Thur 11.30am - 2.30pm, Fri - Sun 10am - 4pm

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Books Worth Borrowing

Selwyn Libraries have an increasing range of arts related resources available. Here are a couple of recent titles that may be of interest...

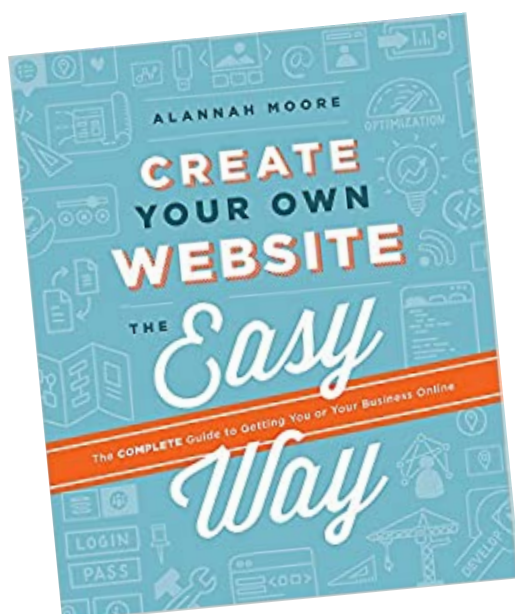


An Artists Guide to Illustration on the Go

Author: Betsy Beier

Publisher: Quarto Publishing Group USA Ltd

Wow! What a great book for both beginners and experts alike. This book is full of interesting illustration projects. But all of them are achievable even for those with limited time. The book also has a great overview over illustration materials at the start which would be great for those who may want to try out new drawing mediums.



Create Your Own Website the Easy Way

Author: Allannah Moore

Publisher: Octopus Publishing Group

This is a very user friendly guide for any creative who might be thinking of setting up their own website. Whether you need a personalised site or an online portfolio or something more complex, this book shows you how to do it without having to code or spend a lot of money.

Galleries in Selwyn

Te Huanui Art Gallery in Darfield

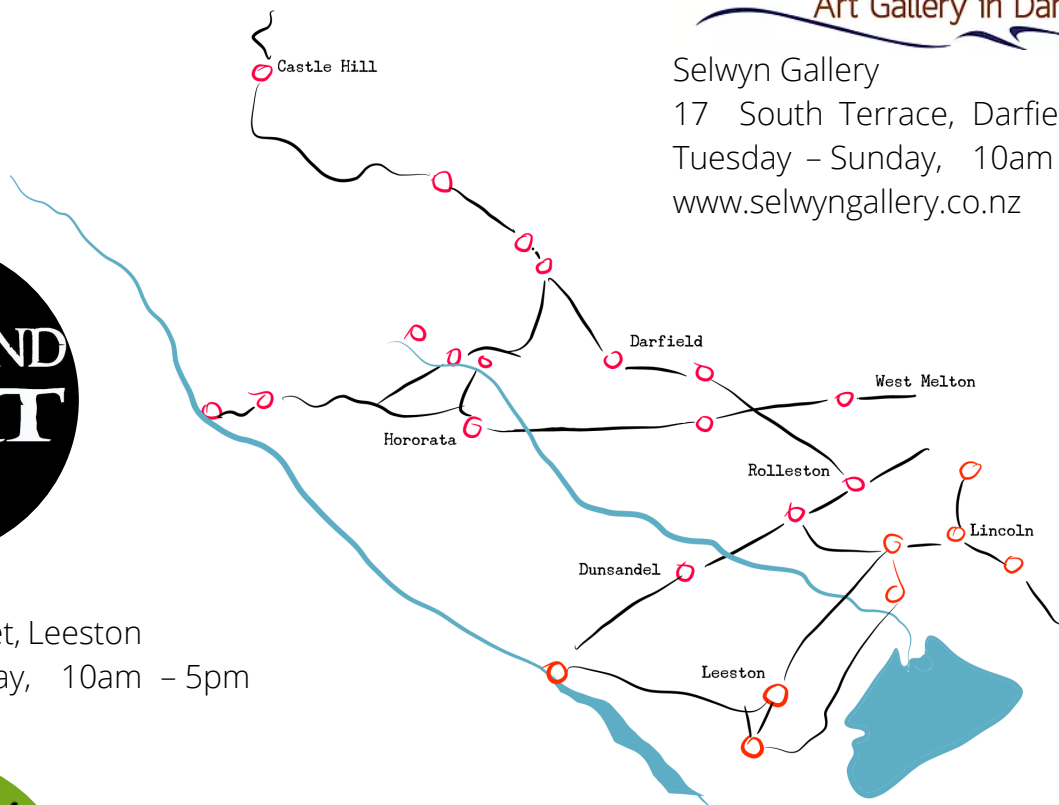
Selwyn Gallery
17 South Terrace, Darfield
Tuesday – Sunday, 10am – 4pm
www.selwyngallery.co.nz



Lakeland Gallery
80 High Street, Leeston
Tuesday – Sunday, 10am – 5pm



Down By the Liffey Gallery
1 James Street, Lincoln
Wednesday – Sunday, 10am – 4pm
www.downbytheliffeygallery.com



Join Arts Heart...

Our members are artists, art enthusiasts and those who like to keep up to date with the arts in Selwyn. New members are welcome any time. Annual membership is only \$10. Email secretaryartsheart@gmail.com to join.

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