



BOX HILL  
COMMUNITY  
ARTS CENTRE

## Box Hill Community Arts Centre Exhibition Expression of Interest 2019



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Box Hill Community Arts Centre (BHCAC) is an artistic and cultural hub located within the City of Whitehorse, Box Hill, Victoria, Australia.

Home to a wide variety of local arts and community groups, the Centre is a meeting place where people from all walks of life can come together to experience and enjoy art. The gallery is open seven days a week from 9am-5pm (closed on public holidays). Operating hours can extend to 10.30pm during week days (by arrangement) and weekend opening hours can vary. Admission to the gallery is free. Approximately 1600 people pass through BHCAC on a weekly basis.

**BHCAC invites applications from artists to exhibit  
within our professional public gallery in 2019  
Applications close on 30 June 2018**

**BHCAC encourages exhibitions that:**

- Promote and support traditional and contemporary art forms
- Explore new ideas and techniques
- Support emerging artists
- Showcase the practice of both mid-career and established artists
- Tell a story, relate a message and encourage conversations around current social community issues
- Promote social inclusion and cultural diversity
- Support local, state and interstate artists



Artists may respond to the themes below (which will attract little or no gallery costs) or provide an outline of your exhibition concept for consideration.

BHCAC will celebrate and recognise the following themes in the gallery in 2019:

**Chinese New Year**

Gallery Space will be available from [Monday 5 February – Sunday 18 February 2019](#)  
Chinese New Year Celebrations for Year of the Pig will be Tuesday 5 February 2019.

**International Women's Day**

Gallery Space will be available from [Monday 4 March – Sunday 17 March 2019](#)  
International Women's Day will be celebrated on Friday 8 March 2019.

### Sustainable Living Week

Gallery Space will be available from **Monday 3 June – Sunday 16 June 2019**

The City of Whitehorse celebrates Sustainable Living Week each year and part of the program is an exhibition in the gallery to educate people on creative ways to become energy efficient and to recycle.

### Reconciliation OR NAIDOC Week

Gallery Space will be available from **Monday 27 May – Sunday 2 June 2019 OR Monday 1 July – Sunday 14 July 2019**

Reconciliation Week is held between 27 May and 3 June and NAIDOC Week is held in the first full week of July. Artists will have the option of exhibiting for either Reconciliation Week or NAIDOC week. All artwork featured in this exhibition must be created by Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander artists. Or, the exhibition should be of a nature that celebrates the contributions that Indigenous Australians make to our country and our society.

### Seniors Week

Gallery Space will be available from **Monday 7 October – Sunday 13 October 2019**

A celebration of the contribution that 'Seniors' make to our community.

### Local Artists

Do you work, live or play within the City of Whitehorse? Are you prepared to do a solo or group exhibition?

Gallery Space available on dates negotiated with BHCAC.

**Please Note:** BHCAC will program workshops related to the relevant theme in their art studios during these times.





## Box Hill Community Arts Centre Exhibition Expression of Interest Form 2019

(All information must be completed to be considered)

### Contact Details

Name of Organisation/Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: B/H \_\_\_\_\_ A/H \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Does your exhibition respond to one of the following themes (please tick):

- Chinese New Year – Year of the Pig
- International Women's Day
- Sustainable Living Week
- Reconciliation Week or NAIDOC Week
- Seniors Week
- Local Artists
- Other

### Exhibition Details

Title of Exhibition: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of artists exhibiting work: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred month: \_\_\_\_\_

Website (or email 3 images): \_\_\_\_\_

Type of artwork to be exhibited (theme, style, medium):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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### Please note

Completing this form does not guarantee an exhibition.  
Applications will be prioritised according to two main criteria:

- Strong evidence the exhibition is aligned with Whitehorse City Council's Art and Cultural Strategy.
- A 'first in' basis. BHCAC cannot accept responsibility for late applications.

**Closing date for Expressions of Interest is 30 June 2018.**

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