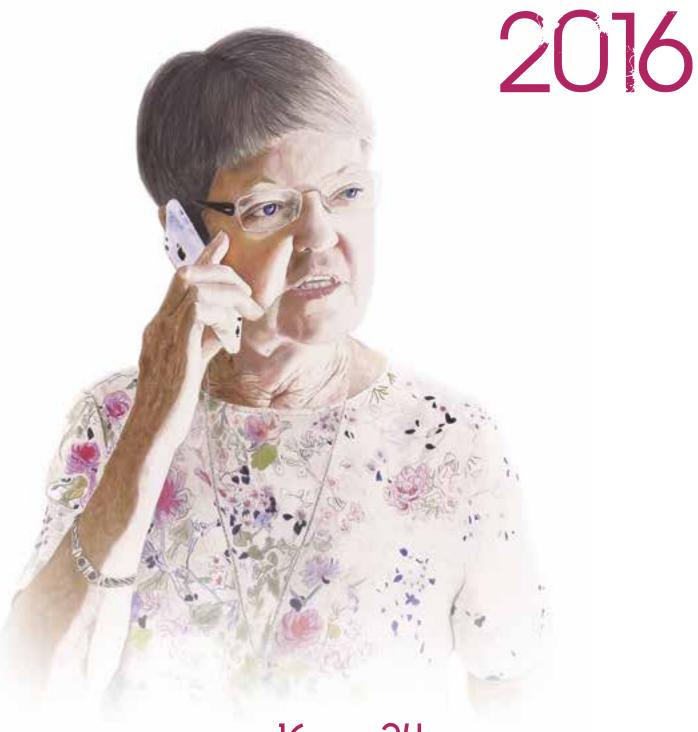
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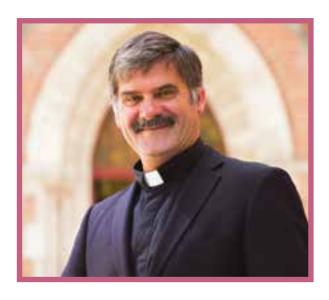
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ST GEORGE'S ART 2016

WELCOME FROM THE DEAN



Faith in God may be expressed in a variety of ways and one of the richest is through the gift that artistic expression has given to our understanding of God, life, meaning and what it is to be fully human. Art can transport us to places to which only the imagination has access. And as we are taken beyond ourselves it is possible to imagine those possibilities that emanate from the Divine. Theologians, priests and pilgrims alike have experienced and reflected upon the fact that God is often to be found in the fruits of the impulse to paint, draw, write, sculpt and build.

I welcome you to St George's Cathedral, a place to inspire and encourage, which has been filled with works of artistic beauty in this fourteenth year of St George's Art.

We thank all of the talented young artists who have embraced the opportunity to exhibit their works, may they be a source of inspiration for you and may you continue to develop your God-given artistic talents.

We are delighted that St George's Art has become a significant annual event in Western Australia's art education. Each year the quality of works on display has improved. Some of the artists go on to participate in the prestigious Year 12 Perspectives at the Art Gallery of Western Australia later in the year.

Thank you to the judging panel and curators, who themselves are respected artists or educators in the arts, for their expertise which helps us to maintain the quality and integrity of the event. Finally, my thanks to our corporate sponsors, government agencies and private donors, all of whom allow us to present St George's Art at no cost to the artists.

I hope that you have enjoyed this significant event in our calendar and pray that you will be uplifted and inspired by these pieces of art. Please take a moment to choose your favourite work for the People's Choice Award.

The Very Reverend Richard Pengelley

Dean of Perth





Title: The Golden Record

Medium: Ceramic and Gold Leaf

Category: 3D

Artist: Paige Bentley
School: All Saints' College

This artwork is a reference to the Golden Record which is attached to the Voyager 1 spacecraft, the farthest man-made craft from earth. It depicts an expression of humanity's naive yet unfailing desire to understand the unknown, and find out if we are truly alone in our universe.

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Title: Window to the Soul Medium: Digital Photography

Category: Digital

Artist: Karis Rideout School: All Saints' College It has been said that "the eyes are the window to the soul." Your eyes can communicate so much without speech. I have explored photography to capture the eyes of friends of mine, and overlaid images of eye spots on moth wings I photographed at the WA Museum. Layering textures found in nature, moth wings and eye imagery, I have created kaleidoscopic eyes which symbolise our constantly evolving and changing lives.

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Title: Fatal Flotsam Medium: Mixed Media

Category: 2D

Artist: Sonia Westera
School: All Saints' College

The provoking reality of the painting serves as a metaphor for the alarming effects that humanity's toxic consumerism has on the environment. Chris Jordan's hauntingly exposed photographs of plastic-filled carcasses of albatross chicks serve as the influence on the work. Your vision is tunnelled to the lurid plastic contents in the albatross's stomach. The mesh alludes to a fishing net, allegorising how humans overfish the albatross's food source and replace it with fatally misleading debris.

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Title: Inevitability

Medium: Mixed Media

Category: 2D

Artist: Quillon Konstek School: Aquinas College I ponder daily on the amount of time that has passed, and how quickly that time went, only to realise how precious time really is. I have explored this idea through my artwork and have attempted to open the eyes of the viewer to this harsh reality. Time really is limited. Value time more than you value money because at the end of the day, it's the only time you've got.

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Title: Me Myself and I
Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Austin Nichols
School: Aquinas College

Humans are such inquisitive and complex creatures that often some can become lost in their own thoughts. My artwork comments on the dichotic nature between decision making and deeper thinking. I have explored this notion through a Lucian Freud inspired, impasto approach. The ability or inability to make decisions may seem a simple case of procrastination on the surface, but underneath, often it is so much more complicated than that.



Title: Smart Home?

Medium: Acrylic Category: 2D

Artist: Jade Felt

School: Ashdale Secondary

College

My artwork consists of 4 paintings joined together by wire and electronic cables to represent a technology generation. It displays how people are slowly turning into robots due to the misuse of, and obsession with, technology; and how the misuse of technology has led to miscommunication between loved ones and family members.



Title: Authentic Taste of Crab

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Joanne Le

Ashdale Secondary School:

College

Authentic Taste of Crab is an impressionist piece which presents my perspective of a first glance upon the streets of Dotonbori, Osaka. The overwhelming vibrant colours represent my initial emotions of the encounter and the distorted, directional lines portray the movement of an immense crowd. The indistinct faces create an emphasis on the evident isolation which occurs frequently due to our independent and diverse expectations of life, despite being surrounded by people.



Title: Ansa

Category: 2D

Medium:

Artist: Yasmine Mnahy

Oil

School: Ashdale Secondary

College

Ansa (Latin for "loop") depicts a portrait of three expressions, creating motion and movement when combined. The painting explores the three stages of healing seen through the differences in the emotional faces - denial/anger, depression, and relief/acceptance. The piece is symbolic of personal struggles with post traumatic stress disorder, which feels like an endless and repetitive cycle: a loop.



Title: Hsif

Medium: Dry Point Etching

Category: 2D

Artist: Rhiannon Cook

School: Atwell College My piece is a representation of how overfishing has devastating effects on marine life. It shows what life used to be like and what it is turning into now, due to the selfishness of humans. Darkness is consuming all life and will continue to do so until we turn it around.



Title: I Am A Service Cashier

Medium: Dry Point Etching

Category: 2D

Artist: Dayna Cusack

School: Atwell College My piece of art work is me, hiding away, using the mask as a way to protect myself from the everyday people and happenings around me. The process of wiping back the ink was a surprise, and cathartic.



Title: Mary-Claire

Medium: Registered Monoprint

Category: 2D

Artist: Isabelle Jefferson Atwell College School:

My art piece is a registered monoprint and I used an oil-based ink to create this. Mary-Claire represents the mind, body and soul. A contrast against the serious and neutral faces we see in the mirror.



Title: Me Within Medium: Ceramic

Category: 3D

Artist: Nadia Adam School: Australian Islamic

College

My sculpture is smiling to portray my inner optimistic side and innocence, my shoulders are well rested to show that I am a peaceful person, and my head is also held high because I look up to people and never look at them as if they are lower than me. "Treat those the way you want to be treated."



Precious Feline Title:

Medium: Ceramic

Category: 3D

Artist: Fatima Al Mosawi

School: Australian Islamic

College

An animal that I can relate to and that expresses my characteristics combined with its wild nature was what I wanted to create in my artwork. Moulding specimens against the norms of nature was something I experimented with; altering my features to fit those of a cat was an exciting process.



Title: Natural Identity Medium: Ceramic

Category: 3D

Artist: Diyana Mead

School: Australian Islamic

College

People are often similar to animals in a spiritual, emotional or physical way. In my sculpture I attempt to display the petite and gentle timidness of a cat that many people around me, including myself, find in my personality.



Title: Devil Outside

Medium: Acrylic on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Kody Mason

School: Balcatta Senior High

School

In this portrait I explored the overall idea of visualizing the mentality of the metaphorical demons that consume us. I sought to portray a feeling of entrapment and a struggle of balance between powers.



Title: Pulsing through the

Earth

Medium: Watercolour and

Artliner on Paper

Category: 2D

Artist:

Caitlyn Richworth Balcatta Senior High

School

My artwork explores the concept of ecosystems as an ongoing cycle and eternal loop similar to the human heart, which undergoes its own cycle and is known as the organ that gives life and continuously pulses. I wanted to explore the importance of the natural ecosystem and its significance as it is able to endlessly regenerate life and continue an ongoing cycle.



Title: Illuminated

Medium: Drawing

Category: 2D

Artist: Noor Iquba

School: Canning Vale College I created my artwork by observing a still life of a model human skull. I carefully looked at the shape and form of the object and the direction of light and how it illuminated the features. Using chalk pastel I manipulated line and colour to describe the skull in my own artistic expressive style.



Title: Nicole

Medium: Charcoal and Ink

Drawing

Category: 2D

Artist: Sunny Lu

Canning Vale College School:

We were asked to select an Australian that had influenced us: I selected Nicole Kidman. Her focus and perseverance to become one of Australia's most successful female actors at such a young age is truly inspiring and I wanted to capture all of this in my drawing.



Title: New Masculinities

Medium: Graphite

Category: 2D

Artist: Nixon Kim

School: Cecil Andrews Senior

High School

Through graphite drawing I have sought to convey my reflection on masculinity and the influence of history on stereotypes of the male physical form. From Greek mythology to contemporary representations of the body, we have not changed as a society in how we conceptualise the ideal male form.



Title: Family Threads

Medium: Pencil, Acrylic and

Thread on Plywood

Category: 2D

Artist: Georgia Anthony

School: Chisholm Catholic

College

My piece comments on the impact an illness has on a whole family. Drawing on recent experiences from my own life, I chose to produce three portraits to illustrate the strain a sickness places on a family unit as a whole. The use of textiles, to link the three boards, serves as a means of expressing the ties between family members, and how when one person becomes sick, the whole family is affected and "unravels".



Title: Social Control and

Inevitable Rebellion

Medium: Paper Clay, Wood,

Acrylic

Category: 3D

Artist: Yasmin McCann

Chisholm Catholic School:

College

When looking at the hyperconformist nature of humans, one can consider what it means to conform, what the social norms of a society are, and the subject of this artwork: those that rebel for the sake of being different and unique rather than for the purpose of being themselves.



Title: Sacred Affliction

Medium: Perspex, Copper

Tubing, Light Globes,

Acrylic

Category: 3D

Artist: Monique Yujnovich

School: Chisholm Catholic

College

As creations of religion and society conflict in the existence of life, many individuals are faced with the solidity of injustice. As powerful structures depose the livelihood of inferior human beings, sole emotions are extracted, leaving their subjects in a state of rawness. The spatial hexahedron encapsulates the difficulties of oppression and religious alienation. Containment of religion and life is paramount in the lives of all, and with these hardships, sacred affliction is born.



Title:

Google: how to get away from the internet

Medium:

Gouache on Wood

Category: 2D

Artist: School: Brindy Donovan

Comet Bay College

I am both the person in the car looking out the window driving away from the blue box and black cursor, and the person using the laptop which moves towards the blue box. The style of the car's interior is an attempted replication of the original digital artwork created in Adobe Illustration. Through this work I have considered the relationship I have with internet/technology and its influence on my art-making process.



Title:

The Deception of

Perfection

Medium:

Oil Paint, Foundation

and Eye Liner

Category: 2D

Artist:

Sadie Maynard

School:

Comet Bay College

The Deception of Perfection portrays the insecurities and negative attitudes that teenage girls place upon their natural selves each and every day. By having two portraits I hope to give a better understanding to the audience of the everyday pattern girls take to remove their insecurities and disguise their true self by covering up their natural skin with many different cosmetics and products in order to feel "perfect" and secure within society.



Title:

Untitled

Medium: Buff Raku Clay and

Gloss Glazes

Category: 3D

Artist:

Emma Woolley

School:

Comet Bay College

I have utilised the format of a clock to segment my life, portraying the number of activities I must "fit in" throughout my day. The objects overlapping and falling off to the next section describe how I am always running out of time. I wanted to explore how much I have to fit into my day as a student, as I complete year 12 and hopefully graduate.



Title: Intrinsic Medium: Sculpture

Category: 3D

Artist: Madison Holling

School: Corpus Christi College After my recent trip to a remote Aboriginal community, I was compelled to research more about Indigenous culture and was fascinated by Torres Strait Islanders' intrinsic connection to the sea and its creatures. I have explored their innate connection to the land and sea by experimenting with the texture of my clay and morphing the human form with that of a squid. Negative space provides a looking glass to reveal unique aspects of their culture.



In Bloom of Youth Title: Medium: Scratchboard

Category: 2D

Artist: Clarissa Sutandi

School: Corpus Christi College

The theme of my artwork is youth and also "life" in general. My work describes one of the most beautiful moments in life, "youth", the anticipation of it as a child, and a reflective recollection of it once you age.



Title: The innocence of the

refugee

Watercolour Medium:

Category: 2D

Artist: Alice Waters

Corpus Christi College School:

Zarlakhta Nawab is a six-year-old refugee from Islamabad, Afghanistan. This piece replicates a photo by Muhammed Muheisen, capturing the raw and powerful emotion. I focussed upon the issue of boat people and refugees as this is a strong and topical issue in current times that I personally feel strongly about. Young Zarlakhta brings to light the issues encountered by refugees, and the turmoil they feel.



Title: Horse Power

Medium: Mixed Media/Etching

Print

Category: 2D

Eliza Hebiton Artist:

School: Geraldton Grammar

School

The bridge between human muscle, steam power, and the mighty equine. An etched print representing the powerful physique of the equine. The anatomy is detailed with mechanical features emphasising "Horsepower" and how this mixture of machinery and muscle are key features in developing the Urban world. Its dark value, grainy texture and neutral colours imply their significance in progressing to the Industrial Age. Influenced by Leon Pericles' etchings and equine representations by Shai Dahan.



Title: The Evolution

Medium: Gouache on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Casey Tunbridge

School: Geraldton Grammar

School

My artwork addresses the theme of "What makes me me" and how I have evolved over numerous years. "The Evolution" expresses my childhood, my present self and who I would like to become in the future. American artist Charles Demuth influenced my work with the techniques of using translucent paints and non-definite features. I purposely haven't added facial features as I want the viewer to question their emotions when viewing the work.



Title: Disclosure

Medium: Oil on Plywood

Category: 2D

Artist: Georgie Tunbridge School: Geraldton Grammar

School

From a young age we are told that disclosure can be used as a tool that allows us to voice our opinions, needs or worries. However, personal experiences have led me to conclude that it can be just as equally useless and counterproductive. I wanted to address the dissatisfaction disclosure brings and the feelings of utter incompetence and stupidity felt when trying to express my concerns, hence the feeling of talking to a brick.

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Title: Portrait of my sister

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Jared Hill School: Hale School

The painting is part of a triptych based around the differing emotional and mental states of my sister. I wanted the works to be both personal and general, expressing how I see my sister, and a universal expression capturing elements of what it means to be an adolescent female.

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Title: Diffused Sunset Over

Sorrento Quay

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Nick Hill

School: Hale School

Diffused Sunset Over Sorrento Quay is inspired by the French Impressionists and their investigation of light over water. The artwork aims to capture the sheer beauty of the distortion of light through the diffused clouds and the ripples of water. The mood is created through the limited pallet of high contrasting colours.

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Title: Journey into the

unseen

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Finley White

School: Hale School

The painting is part of a series depicting ordinary aspects of life that we don't normally notice. I have done this by painting close ups, particularly of plants, capturing the beauty of morning dew drops and the almost abstract juxtaposition of subtle shapes and colours.

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Title: Flux

Medium: Objet Trouvé

Category: 3D

Artist: Zac Cross

School: Harvey Senior High

School

The inspiration for my artwork has been drawn from places I have spent a lot of time in. I grew up in the city, then moved to Waroona shortly after the Yarloop fires. My artwork shows the transition from the city to the country, and my personal perception of both: hence the dark, gloomy city and the beautiful country. Even after the fires, I believe the bush-lands' beauty has intensified.



Title: Revival

Medium: Objet Trouvé

Category: 3D

Artist: Kayla O'Donnell

School: Harvey Senior High

School

Inspired by the art of Joseph Cornell, 'Revival' represents life after the devastation of the Yarloop fires. I've explored the damage caused by the January 2016 fires and how the historic town has been dramatically affected. My artwork also represents the revival process that occurs after dark times, as nature takes control, producing bright green leaves and splotches of life. Hope is not lost after all.

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Title: Mabuhay! (February

2016)

Medium: Resin on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Joe Anna Cano

School: International School of

Western Australia

This artwork is an abstract interpretation of the Philippine Islands from an aerial view perspective. Pristine white beaches and mesmerising turquoise waters attract thousands of tourists each year. However, my work also aims to raise awareness on the environmental consequences of tourism. Resin portrays the fragile state marine ecosystems face as there is an urgent demand for coastal sustainability in order to preserve the beauty and vivacity of these islands.

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Title: Tangled

Medium: String, Nails, Acrylic,

Gesso, Moulding Paste

on Plywood

Category: 2D

Artist: Coeli Caymo

School: International School of

Western Australia

String Theory is the main concept presented in my artwork. It is the idea that everything is composed of one-dimensional objects called "strings". These objects propagate and the outcome of this is portrayed by the dense tangle of strings at the bottom of the piece. The strings in my artwork convey the fundamental concept that we are all merely just made up of "strings". Image source: http://celebsla.com/alycia-debnam-carey-fear-the-walking-dead-amc-summer-tca-tour-in-beverly-hills/

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Title: Youth

Medium: Soft Pastel and Chalk

Pastel

Category: 2D

Artist: Samuel Torres

School: International School of

Western Australia

The children I drew were two playful villagers I met during a service trip to Laos that took place in December. I aimed to capture the playfulness and cheekiness of the two children and decided it would be best left at its current incomplete stage. Done with white soft pastels and chalk pastel pencils.

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Title: Frayed

Medium: Oil on Canvas.

Category: 2D

Artist: Ella Anderson-Mackay

School: Iona Presentation

College

This work is a self portrait created using oil on canvas. I composed the photograph and set up the composition and fabric. I used a soft painting technique to develop the idea of transparency. The frayed, translucent fabric represents the different ways in which we perceive our own identity. The figure gazes out at the viewer causing the viewer to connect with the subject of the painting.



Title: The Decaying Kind

Medium: Oil Category: 2D

Artist: Lara Sawyer School: Iona Presentation

College

My artwork aims to convey the inner emotions of a farmer whilst representing the decreased employment rates within the farming industry. With the use of decay as a visual metaphor in the form of a 44-gallon drum lid, I have portrayed my grandfather. He always has been, and will be, a part of the agricultural industry and embodies so much of what farming means to rural communities.



Title: Building Ron Medium: Mixed-media

Category: 3D

Artist: Zoe Sydney Iona Presentation School:

College

This artwork is a series of portraits of my grandfather. From humble beginnings, he managed to create his own building company and achieved much success of which he was very proud. Through the architectural style of the gradually developing portraits, my piece aims to convey how we all have the power to construct our own identity.



Title: Consequences Medium: Paper Cut

Category: 3D

Artist:

Danielle Vahala

Irene McCormack School:

Catholic College

My layered paper cut focusses on our ever modernising and advancing world consequently how this impacts our relationship with nature. Initially inspired by Nunzio Paci's works, I designed the mind to be representative of man's analytical side, the urge to always improve and modernise, yet the heart is our connection to the environment and our need to love the simple beauty of nature.



Title: Solace

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Mitchel Corver

School: John Curtin College of

the Arts

The focal point of the painting is the Fremantle South groin lighthouse. The photo reference for the painting was taken at sunset, looking away from the sun which resulted in interesting shadows being cast on the smaller buildings around the lighthouse. The colours, light and geometry of the image are hopefully reminiscent of paintings by Jeffrey Smart, an artist I admire.



Title: Space Surplus Medium: Oil on MDF Board

Category: 2D

Artist:

Anneke Stopler

School: John Curtin College of

the Arts

My work Space Surplus pays homage to Australian artist Tim Storrier, after taking his painting, The Blue Dalliance, and utilising plastic bags in place of where he had roses. His approach towards environmental issues inspired me to re-create his work with a new meaning. Plastic bags represent the consumerist world we live in. They have a profound impact on the environment, both on land, in the ocean and now beyond.



Title: Untitled, after Banksy

Oil on MDF Board Medium:

Category: 2D

Artist: Josiah Widger-Hartree School: John Curtin College of

the Arts

The original piece was sprayed onto a wall in 18 minutes. I looked at Banksy's piece and realised I could use it in any context because to this day the meaning is inconclusive. In mine the maid reveals a hive of bees behind the glass: she's inconspicuously trying to smoke the bees, calming them. The bees symbolise the homogenous nature of the workers within. Like Banksy I'd like to leave interpretation to the individual viewer.







Title: "Obtaining knowledge:

past, present and

future"

Medium: Solar Etching on Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Daniel Mazzucato

School: John Septimus Roe Anglican Community

School

Knowledge is one of the things most sought after by society along with money and power. The quest continues through time from books, to the internet to how we will acquire knowledge in the future. I was influenced by several well-known artists including Tim Burton with his dark, gothic animations, Shaun Tan with his reassuringly quirky illustrations and H.R. Giger with his nightmarish bio-mechanical creations.



Title:

lt Medium: Mixed Media

Category: 2D

Artist:

School:

Renee Nguyen

John Septimus Roe Anglican Community

School

Anxiety is a word I avoid but which society loves to use interchangeably with stress, fear and annoyance. Anxiety is uncontrollable, manipulative and restricting. I was inspired by Abdul Abdullah's use of symbolism in his artworks. He's known for his self-portraits that tell stories, and communicate his feelings and emotions as a consequence of who he is. My mix of painting and drawing was to tell my story - show reality vs MY reality.



Title:

It's not what it looks like

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Justine Peovitis Artist:

John Septimus Roe School:

Anglican Community

School

This artwork is a personal commentary about the need to hide food indulgences from the condemnation of others. My painting explores the habits of a food hedonist. The blended painting techniques used in my artwork were influenced to some extent by Western Australian artist Julie Dowling who uses traditional painting techniques in her work. I admired her use of portraiture to tell stories, and was influenced by her purpose for creating artworks.



Title:

Self Portrait with a

Pomegranate

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Nichola Clarke

School: John XXIII College According to Sigmund Freud's theory, dreaming of a pomegranate is symbolic of femininity and fertility. In Ancient Greek mythology, the pomegranate is a symbol of life and rebirth. As self-acceptance is an ongoing struggle for the contemporary woman, the pomegranate in my artwork embodies how, as women, we must cherish our femininity and value ourselves as unique individuals.



Title: Green Therapy Medium: Photography Category: Digital

Artist: Ali-Rose Langer

John XXIII College School:

contentment that we are accustomed to feel when we immerse ourselves in the natural environment. The hand cut, untreated wooden "ladder" that the photos are nailed onto, represents the raw journey a human being takes to reach spiritual enlightenment, or at the least, find happiness within

Eco therapy is an overlooked treatment which allows the human mind to be at peace in nature. My five

photographs represent the euphoria, peace and

simple things.



Title: Think pink Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Madeleine Murphy

School: John XXIII College Many people adhere to a patriarchal society's definition of acceptable gender stereotypes that should be placed on boys and girls, including the use of pink and blue to forcibly classify the sexes into feminine and masculine. My artwork rejects this archaic method of gender classification by portraying a teenage girl, deeply dissatisfied by the pressure she feels to conform to the pink feminine stereotype so often placed on females.



Title: Dark Cloud / Bright

Company

Medium: Acrylic and Pen on

Plywood

Category: 2D

Artist:

Darcie Azzam School:

John Wollaston Anglican Community

School

Pressures that students in high school are subjected to in order to determine their future can lead to great stress and mental issues. I created this artwork in response to the underlying pressures that myself and my peers deal with during our final years at school and to make a commentary on the flaws of our education system. In the exploration of this concept, the style was greatly inspired by contemporary street artist, Shepard Fairey.



Title: What a time to be alive

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Sarah D'Emilio

School:

John Wollaston Anglican Community

School

Each canvas is a candid snapshot taken from specific moments that represent to me what life and youth are all about. Using existing photos of good memories, I have worked to signify the importance of the everyday yet distinctive things we get up to as young people and the people in my life that bring me happiness and love. The bond of friendship - appreciating others and what you have - is where true happiness lies.



Title: From Small Acorns

Medium: Mixed Media on

Plywood

Category: 2D

Artist: Evie Dodge

School: John Wollaston

Anglican Community

School

My artwork is communicating personal ideas about my journey as a migrant and experiences I've had since moving to Perth from Bristol, England in 2011. Weaving ribbons show emotional connections I have to both places. The buildings are of significance to me, including my English church and house. Representing freedom and opportunity and surrounding my work, flora and fauna from England and Australia are adopted into my single identity through the journey I've been on.



Title: Courage

Medium: Oil Category: 2D

Artist: Amberley Bradley School: Kalamunda Senior High

School

My work depicts two firefighters, Tim Vass and Tracey Ferguson, who fought in the Waroona and Yarloop bushfires. They both risked their lives to benefit others and this has stayed with me since they told me their story. They were fighting the fire when it reached their property and were faced with the decision to save their own home or their neighbours'. As a result, they saved one and watched their own burn down.



Title: Self Portrait

Medium: Acrylic

Category: 2D

Artist: Grace Fowler

Kalamunda Senior High using acrylics. School:

School

I took a selfie to play with light and shadows. I had completed a previous portrait of my brother in a similar style using oil paint; this one was designed as a separate but linked study to test my skills



Title: The Lioness

Medium: Oil Category: 2D

Artist: Eleisha Pirouet

School: Kalamunda Senior High

School

A lioness is a symbol of the relationship between strength and beauty. A powerful creature, her mane represents the balance between maintaining strength during hard times whilst keeping a seemingly untouched outward appearance.



Title: Waves

Medium: White Earthenware

Category: 3D

Artist: Frederike Anderson

School: Kelmscott Senior High

School

My work, "Waves", is influenced by my childhood, and memories of the ocean. I have many fond memories of playing in the waves with my sisters. I have used ceramic medium to capture the fluidity of the ocean.



Title: Volcano

Medium: Terracotta Clay,

Underglaze and

Overglaze

Category: 3D

Artist: Amethyst Minnie

School: Kelmscott Senior High

School

My work is an abstract sculpture depicting an erupting volcano. I have always been interested in volcanic eruptions and sought to create a visually interesting work, with contemporary design elements.



Title: Boab Horizon

Medium: Ceramic and Acrylic

Paint

Category: 3D

Artist: Ashlee Wilding

School: Kelmscott Senior High

School

My ceramic work "Boab Horizon" was inspired by the Australian landscape and the way it is unified. There is a strong influence of the boab nut in the design of my set; the idea to engrave this came from the traditional Aboriginal practice of boab nut carving.

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Title: Individuals

Medium: Mixed Media

Category: 2D

Artist: Kevin Jeong

School: Kingsway Christian

College

"Individuals" is a social commentary self-portrait, that symbolises individuals suffering as a result of social prejudice based on people's race, gender and/or groups. The media can alter our minds and engrave stereotypes and judgements about others. I desire my painting to challenge audiences to see past exterior, physical appearances to appreciate people for who they truly are.

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Title: Haste

Medium: Aluminium, Steel Wire

and MDF Board

Category: 3D

Artist: Tyren Kuntz

School: Kingsway Christian

College

The obsessive rush of city streets, such as crowds daily rushing to escape through train doors, is an outward reflection of an inward problem. Many in today's demanding society are so deeply entrenched in their own existence that it is all they do: exist. In their daily haste, they fail to be truly "alive" and extract joy from the simplest of beauties that surround them. "Haste" is strongly inspired by the Futurist sculptor Umberto Boccioni.

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Title: Slaves to the Net

Medium: Digital Photography and

Photoshop

Category: 2D

Artist: Francina Muparutsa

School: Kingsway Christian

College

There are two sides to the Internet: The positive, which provides communication and access to information, and the darker, negative side which involuntarily promotes aggression, social manipulation and affects people's self-esteem and how they view themselves. Some look to it for reassurance to the point of becoming slaves to it. The stylization of my artwork, particularly the portraits, was inspired by the strong linear and social commentary artworks of Australian artist John Brack.

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Title: Dispersion of light Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Sara D'Uva

School: Lake Joondalup Baptist

College

When white light passes through a glass triangular prism it creates a rainbow of colours: a dispersion of light. The work portrays the ways in which people can be viewed from different perspectives. When standing in front of it, only one figure is seen. The colours of the different faces represent different qualities people have, but seen from only one angle, one sees only one perspective of them. (Photographs taken of family.)



Title: Hybrid

Medium: Charcoal, Ink, Oil and

Perspex

Category: 2D

Artist: Tylor Mollard

School: Lake Joondalup Baptist

College

Hybrid is an exploration of the relationship between owl and human. The skeleton engraved onto the overlay of perspex enhances the potential of this reality. Recently having witnessed owls being cared for by humans at a rehabilitation sanctuary, I have created an owl which is both protected and given the gift of flight by a human: an unusual but compelling concept.



Title: With Clasping Hands

Medium: Clay, Digital Print on

Board, Acrylic paint

Category: 3D

Artist: Noura Hassan

School: Langford Islamic

College

This work is a commentary on the Syrian refugee crisis. I wanted to portray the struggles of a refugee trying to escape from their war torn homes. I named the work "With Clasping Hands" as a way of trying to mimic the emotions of the refugees through the hands.



Title:

Window of Opportunity

(Nifidhat Alfuras)

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Aisha Rhaman

> Langford Islamic College

The painting portrays the Syrian humanitarian crisis and Australia's generosity in welcoming itinerant victims. It showcases Aamal (hope) with her brother Masood (happiness). Children in the world have a right to happiness and hope. The traumatic conflict takes this right away. Australia provides a window of opportunity. Looking through this window into Australia puts a smile on Aamal's face as it provides prospects for her and her brother. They find hope and happiness.



Title:

Be the Hero... Always

Medium: Acrylic Paint and

Collage on Watercolour

Paper

Category: 2D

Tarryn Lewis Artist:

School: Living Waters Lutheran

College

"Be the Hero...Always" is an appropriation of Canadian artist Sandra Chevrier's Les Cages: Beneath the Skin series which exposes expectations of female beauty. My artwork challenges societies' unrealistic expectations put upon males to excel in their careers and family life whilst sustaining the perfect physique. Superheroes have been used to symbolize this as they are depicted as being able to maintain a normal life while simultaneously saving the world without a hair out of place.







Title: Boxed

Medium: Watercolour, Ink and Oil

Pastel on Watercolour

Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Zoe Satherley

School: Living Waters Lutheran

College

My artwork simultaneously discusses the unity and division of international countries. Each individual artwork portrays three countries which are represented by sections of their geographical outline. Within these outlines I have depicted the similar housing and building styles of these countries. The countries represented are Australia, United Kingdom, America, Sweden, Russia, Switzerland, Thailand, China and Japan.



Title: Future

Medium: Collagraph and

Non-acid Etching

Category: 2D

Artist: Katelyn Morrison

School: Lumen Christi College

The women represented in this print are imperishable. One stares outwardly to confront the viewer and the other peers into the future with her green eyes. They represent very different human qualities. The stern beauty of the woman in the background is cold and unsympathetic. The softer face of the other woman is nurturing and life-giving.

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Title: Horses in the Forest

Medium: Collagraph and

Non-acid Etching

Category: 2D

Artist: Brittany Pelham

School: Lumen Christi College

The majestic beauty of the horse is not lost in this print. Their beauty is echoed in the organic irregular patterning above their heads. The strong tonal contrasts of the foreground against the background empower these statuesque beasts with stability and imperishability. This image is the result of in-class observational drawing exercises of a still life of gardon empores.

College of a still-life of garden ornaments.

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Title: Pillars of Heaven

Medium: Collagraph and

Non-acid Etching

Category: 2D

Artist: James Van Reeken

School: Lumen Christi College

The pillars push upwards towards the dome of the sky which encourages the viewer to contemplate our origins and our future. This piece is the result of a series of drawing and printing exercises in the Certificate III Visual Arts Course. The image of the monkey comes from a drawing exercise from the book "Still Life in Pencil" by Gene Franks. The other elements are from an in-class observation drawing exercise of a still-life.

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Title: The Politics of Aesthetic

Forms: For the Love

Venus of Women

Medium: Clay and Perspex

Acrylic

Category: 3D

Artist: C

Carla Genovesi

School: Melville Senior High

School

My work testifies to some of the most iconic representations of women in art history. Appropriated from the original Venus of Willendorf my work was created to inform the audience about the metamorphosis of women in society and the change from being a life giver to a sexual object, particularly with the assistance of the media. The intention of the work was to allow the viewer to appreciate all aspects of beauty.

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Title: Shaving

Medium: Watercolour and Pencil

Category: 2D

Artist: Kaela Gibb

School: Melville Senior High

School

My work explores a private moment that displays a juxtaposition between a westernised act, in an unaccustomed environment. The image highlights a cultural difference and reflects an unexpected experience, which has been shaped by the differing social and cultural ideals and expectations of beauty.



Title: TV Dinner

Medium: Acrylic on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Crystal Long

School: Melville Senior High

School

"TV Dinner" explores the relationship between the increase in sedentary lifestyles and consumerism. Influenced by the works and style of Hope Gangloff, my work provides the audience with a representation of the unhealthy and lazy lifestyle that comes with commercialism and the consumption of convenient yet damaging products. This mundane moment frozen in time encapsulates our ritualised avoidance of existence, leaving the viewer to question their own time spent on unnecessary activities.

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Title: Between the lines

Medium: Ink and Rust Effect

Paint

Category: 2D

Artist: Lily Firth

School: Newman College

In my work I aimed to visually represent the treatment of animals by humans. I wanted my viewer to relate emotionally and subjectively to my work and see the innocence and vulnerability of animals. My work communicates the ways in which humans objectify animals for entertainment.

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Title: Goatogether

Medium: Ink Category: 2D

Artist: Cassandra Paraskos

School: Newman College

This work attempts to make the viewer sympathise with the plight of animals that are treated with cruelty. I have incorporated human qualities within the animals to highlight that they have feelings just like we do. The use of the arms shows that they need the support of each other.

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Title: Enjoy the Circus?

Medium: Ink on Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Alexandra Yancazos

School: Newman College

"Enjoy the Circus?" is an art piece intended to give awareness of the mistreatment of animals within circuses. Through the use of the anthropomorphic bear I wanted to highlight the unnatural behaviours these animals are subjected to do, as well as make viewers see what it would be like if we were in their place.

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Title: Asking For It

Medium: Textiles

Category: Textiles/Wearable Art

Artist: Alix Crowe
School: Penrhos College

Patriarchal conventions often dictate how women should behave, dress and interact in contemporary society. My artwork suggests that when women cast off society's controlling conventions, the only thing they are "asking for" is freedom of expression. The long coat opening to reveal a delicate lace dress beneath describes how society's conventions can overpower the individual. No longer protective, the coat only serves to oppress and restrain the revealing lace dress worn underneath symbolizing femininity.



Title: Life is a Cup of Tea

Medium: Lino Block Print on

Canson Edition Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Tameka Riches
School: Penrhos College

This work comprises of seven lino prints juxtaposing the lives of two children: a child from a privileged western society and a child who has been forced to work, pointing out how we are naïve, like children, about child labour being a current leading issue. I want viewers to reflect on constantly buying products without questioning how they were produced, in the hope that we may change our actions to help improve another's childhood.

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Title: Inside We Are All The

Same

Medium: Water-soluble Oils on

Canvas, Plastic Sheeting

Category: 2D

Artist:

Phoebe Stagg

School: Penrhos College

My painting depicts subjects of different ethnicities. I have drawn inspiration from artworks produced in the High Renaissance to explore the implication of judgement based on surface quality only. Overlaying the canvas is a quote referencing the Dalai Lama: "we may look different on the outside, but on the inside we are all the same." I aim to convey a message of peace, challenging predetermined stereotypes and racial discrimination in modern society.

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Title: Straight From The

Horse's Mouth

Medium: Clay, Hay and Paint

Category: 3D

Artist: Amber Bradford

School: Perth College

This sculpture is my representation of the idiom "straight from the horse's mouth." This refers to personal information coming from authoritative or dependable sources and therefore stopping the spread of rumours and secrets. This is shown within the sculpture by the use of the exaggerated mouth.

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Title: Study After

Caravaggio's St Jerome

Medium: Oil Paint and Charcoal

on Canvas and Board

Category: 2D

Artist:

Melissa Clements

School: Perth College

I wanted to paint the split second of transcendent enlightenment that comes to person when they realise an idea for the first time: a creative epiphany. Working with the notion of improvisation and capturing a fleeting moment was crucial to the themes of my work. Caravaggio's depiction of St Jerome saw him as a figure of study and wisdom; my work is an image of study in a different sense, a study of creative endeavour.

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Title: Bob

Medium: Polymer on Paper, Oil

Paint

Category: 2D

Artist: Rachael Sellars School: Perth College I created a portrait inspired by my late Great-Grandfather, my Grandmother and the historical content of their lives before I was born. My piece tells the story about my Great-Grandfather who was challenged by World War II and the early death of his beloved wife Elizabeth. The process of my piece included photoshopping old images together, layering them as one image, producing it as polymer and working into it with oil paint.



Title: Beauty of Nature

Medium: Paper Clay and Oxides

Category: 3D

Artist: Ashlee Dullard

School: Peter Moyes Anglican

Community School

My artwork has been made of paper clay. It is a sculpture of a human hand immersed in nature. This piece reflects how beautiful our world is. My influence was Amanda Shelsher. Her concerns are the natural world and its connection to family and the home as a source of safety and protection. I tried to emulate her techniques and convey my own personal views on the beauty of nature.



Title: Untitled

Medium: Acrylic on Wood

Category: 3D

Artist: Chloe Logan

School: Peter Moyes Anglican

Community School

I began exploring the variety of food choices available in our rich country. This piece represents the beginning of this exploration and focusses on the diversity and ease of access that we have to purchasing nourishing food, while simultaneously and silently questioning our excesses.



Title:

Avarice

Medium: Ceramics

Category: 3D

Artist:

Jake Weddell

School:

Peter Moyes Anglican

Community School

My artwork explores the reaching hand as it grasps for the desired. From different angles the sculpture represents different feelings. We as humans always want new things; this work explores the dark path we take to achieve them.







Title:

Waxing Gibbous Oil on Canvas

Medium: Category: 2D

Artist: School: Neve Cunningham Prendiville Catholic

College

My artwork consists of a series of portraits depicting friends who have had a significant influence on how I view the world. I wanted to express the feeling of connectedness that I have with my peers and the similar elements that we share. The water level in each portrait is symbolic of the movement of tides and how, although submerged and uniquely different as individuals, we support one another "in the deep end".



Title: Medium:

Prelude to Serenity Video/Animation

Category: Digital

Artist:

Justice Goodrick

School:

Prendiville Catholic

College

The artwork is a composite of both video and animated visuals. It focusses on the themes of loss, fragmentation and hope. The work acts as a poignant reflection on life and the feelings associated with a breakdown in a relationship. The animation sequences are representative of a state of mind, being free from a sense of loss and anguish.



Title: #CapitalisedCruelty Medium: Video, Sculpture Category: Digital

School: Prendiville Catholic

Jessica McGaw

College

My artwork explores the issue of animal abuse and exploitation. Animals, in many industries, are still regarded as commodities and their welfare is only considered when discussing profit and productivity. My intent was to raise awareness of the fact that animals, regardless of their economic value, are still sentient beings. Through humanising their appearance, I wanted to draw comparisons between animals and humans concerning the ability to perceive and feel things.



Title: Elephant Rocks Embroidery Thread, Medium:

Wood, Graphite

Powder, Linen

Category: Textiles/Wearable Art

Artist: Isabella Blanchard School: Presbyterian Ladies'

College

Inspired by the colours of the Western Australian coastline, and the intricate needlework of the embroidery artist Ana Teresa Barboza, my art piece explores the notion of the over-usage of water in contemporary society, specifically in WA. It highlights the necessity of preservation. The richness of the colors represent the pristine nature of the water and the long flowing strands represent the water source dripping away and diminishing.



Title: Dreams of Serenity

Medium: Category: 2D

Artist: Olivia Dry

School: Presbyterian Ladies'

College

Surrealist painting depicting a ballgown made of ocean in a theatre. Bold colours and fine detail.



Title: Strong Connections

Oil on Wood

Category: 2D

Artist: Chelsea Menmuir

School: Presbyterian Ladies'

College

Land in aboriginal culture is very important and is a big part of our identity, so I painted myself at three different stages of my life with the three different places (The Bungle-Bungles, Windjana Gorge and Gudumul Beach) where my language groups (Jaru, Bunuba and Bard) are from. I painted myself at different ages because over the years, learning about my language groups has taught me a lot about my family, my culture and myself.



Title: Untitled

Medium: Acrylic on Board

Category: 2D

Artist: Caiomhe Grimley

School: Rockingham Senior

High School

The artwork is an acrylic painting on board that explores barriers to identity and how we are perceived. These barriers may be cultural, physical, spiritual or psychological. My work explores my identity as a young woman within my current social setting.



Title: Untitled

Medium: Conte and Ink

Category: 2D

Artist: Wenjia (Joy) Chen

School: St George's Anglican

Grammar School

This artwork is part of a series that was created during our recent drawing workshops held at school. The intention was to capture the essence of the pose, with a gestural approach rather than focusing on accurate representational drawing. Using a range of wet and dry media, including charcoal, conte, pastel, ink and wash, I aimed to use techniques that would reflect the tension and movement presented by the model.

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Title: For the Forgiveness of

Sins

Medium: Mixed Media

Category: 2D

Artist: Aaron Tully

School: St George's Anglican

Grammar School

This work is part of a printmaking project for "Stations of the Cross" exhibited during Easter. The work interprets the 7 deadly sins, making links to Station 11, the Crucifixion. The printed text is an interplay with the reflection of whoever looks into the work, creating tension and an intentional questioning of the individual viewer. The nails positioned in the outline of the cross remind us of what Easter is about.

Contemplating the year ahead through chiaroscuro

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Title: Self

Medium: Charcoal on Cartridge

Category: 2D

Artist: Helen Pitchford

School: St Hilda's Anglican

School for Girls

and foreshortening.

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Title: Meet Gus

Medium: Charcoal on Ply, Mixed

Media Photo Book

Category: 2D

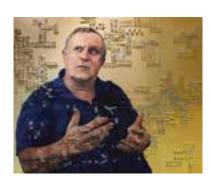
Artist: Emily Price

School: St Hilda's Anglican

School for Girls

Meet Gus. He grew up in Toodyay, a town in the Avon Valley, and worked alongside his brothers to manage the family farm. In his spare time, Gus was an uncle, brother, best mate. Gus had Down Syndrome. Don't ever let a disability make a person; they have so much more to offer, just as my Uncle Gus showed everyone he made contact with.

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Title: Fresh Start

Medium: Oil on Board, Pill

Packet, Ants in Resin

Category: 2D

Artist: Eleanor Shenton

School: St Hilda's Anglican

School for Girls

Dr George O'Neil cares deeply for drug addicts and requires them to take responsibility for their action. He treats them with Naltrexone implants that he invented to reduce the desire effect of illegal drugs. The pill packets represent the significant number of opiate addicts resulting from prescribed medications, and the ants encased in some of the pill packets symbolise the discomfort felt by users as well as their feelings of painful isolation and entrapment.



Title: "Amy" Medium: Oil Category: 2D

School:

Artist: Rebecca Daws

St Mark's Anglican

Community School

My intention in this artwork was to embody how today's society affects the people we call "icons". What concerns me is that our culture glorifies celebrities, when in actuality their lives are often empty. I wanted to capture this state of mind through the subject of my painting, Amy Winehouse. Winehouse is the epitome of my concept, acting as an example for the way in which the destructive nature of fame can ultimately consume icons.



Title: Immortal Taboo Medium: Acrylic on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Caitlyn Gregson St Mark's Anglican School:

Community School

This painting aims to immortalise the icon Freddie Mercury, and the taboo topic that was his lifestyle. He influenced and supported others that didn't fit the mould that society portrayed as "normal". The colours recreate the "theatrical event" that he always wanted his concerts to be, and portray his dramatic flair. I want this piece to support and represent the people that don't fit into society's "mould", through the vibrant colours and bold style.

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Title: GONE but Not Forgotten

Medium: Mixed Media

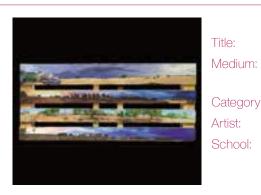
Category: 2D

Artist: Jasmine Laing

School: St Mark's Anglican

Community School

The inspirational drive behind my art work came from the issue of fame's cunning yet exploitable personality. Featuring four outstanding and very influential figures - Heath Ledger, Amy Winehouse, Michael Jackson, and Marilyn Monroe - all of whom were sucked in by fame and resorted to drugs and alcohol to escape their "perfect reality". I wish to reinforce that this is an ongoing process, yet despite these tragic losses, faces like theirs will forever be remembered.



Title: "Wagabawering Spring"

> Acrylic on Found Object, Timber Pallet

Category: 2D

Artist: Dana Hill

School: St Mary's Anglican

Girls' School

I have chosen to comment on my sense of place and belonging, living off the land. My work conveys this by capturing different times and aspects of the land to show how much it can change and affect you and draw you in. The beauty of the land makes you want to belong to it, and living off the land for many years has made me feel as though I do belong to it.



Title: "Can't Cut It"

Medium: Acrylic on MDF board

Category: 2D

Artist: Shamini Srinivasan

School: St Mary's Anglican

Girls' School

In contemporary society we are bombarded with images and words in the media, which have the power of shaping the way people view both the world and themselves. The purpose of my artwork and its commentary is to encourage youth to overcome the negative influences of the fashion industry in their lives and to promote a healthy body image. It reflects on how it requires strength to overcome the destructive nature of such unrealistic ideals.



Title: Close Reflection

Acrylic and Pastel on Medium:

Canvas

Category: 2D

Zoe Wells Artist:

School: St Mary's Anglican

Girls' School

To survive in a modern world. I believe that art has to embrace its history of challenging the audience's perception of reality. The focus on the camera lens in the painting is intended to make the audience feel targeted - symbolising how art is ultimately focussed on the viewer (pun intended). I chose the title close reflection because it has multiple applicable meanings.



Title: Untitled

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Renae Cockman

School: St Stephen's School,

Carramar

Image adapted from artwork by Mike Dargas -

"Sweet Amber" (2015).

http://www.mikedargas.com/



Title: Untitled

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Phoebe Moses

School: St Stephen's School,

Carramar

Appropriated from artist Alexandre Cabanel's -

"The Birth of Venus" (1863).



Title: Untitled

Medium: Acrylic, Oil, Thread on

Canvas

Category: 2D

Alexandria Reuben Artist:

School: St Stephen's School,

Carramar

Representing youth and freedom within a landscape.



Title: Optimist

Medium: Graphite on Illustration

Board

Category: 2D

Artist: Tamsin de Jong

School: St Stephen's School,

Duncraig

This artwork was inspired by my father, who has influenced and impacted my life. I like to describe my father as a highly optimistic person, expressing enthusiasm and encouragement to those around him. I consider him as a good role model and this is a celebration of his admirable traits. I chose lead pencil to depict the detailed features that form the unique identity of my Dad.



Title: Anti-Social-Media

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Tamlyn Fairall

School: St Stephen's School,

Duncraig

My painting represents a common situation in our technology focussed world: technology and social media are replacing real social interactions. The lonely girl in the painting is surrounded in darkness comforted only by her computer. Her face is empty of any emotion, contradicting the common belief that being "social" usually consists of happiness, friendship and community.

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Title: Modernised Hide or

Seek

Medium: Wood burn on Plywood

Category: 2D

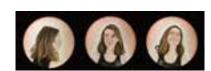
Artist: Jackson Wells

School: St Stephen's School,

Duncraig

Hide or seek is a well-know childhood game which has been around for centuries and requires the presence of family or friends. The girl in white is blindfolded, which acts as a restraint stopping her from socializing with her friends and exploring the outdoors. Davide Dells, pyrographic artist, was a major influence for the method of application.

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Title: Ella

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Madison Gleeson

School: Santa Maria College

The human love of narrative is saturated in the minds of all. It begins from the very moment our parents read us bedtime stories, and from that moment it continues to follow us, becoming the true currency of life. For my piece, I am revealing my own personal narrative. Painted is a story of friendship. The three portraits document the ever-changing nature of friendship symbolised through my friend's varying facial expressions and positioning.

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Title: Forbidden Fruit

Medium: Pencil on Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Emma Parr

School: Santa Maria College

The pressures of size and shape of women are very prevalent within today's society. The wrapping and tangling of the measuring tape around the woman's ankles is symbolic of how trapped one can feel in a cycle of wanting to fit within society's ideals of perfection.

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Title: When the wind changes

Medium: Coloured Pencil on

Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Bree Spencer

School: Santa Maria College

Illustrated is my cousin who, in years to come, will struggle with losing his freedom of speech and unique being to conform to what society desires - a comment about the concealed corruption within society. I sympathise with upcoming generations who will rise to the forefront of these demands and pressures, "pulling our faces" to change our ways to achieve acceptance. Individualism is lost, unique minds are lost, art in the human form is lost.



Title: Breaking Free

Medium: Acrylic Paint, and

> Collage on Canvas Board

Category: 2D

Artist: Georgia Master

School: School of Isolated and Distance Education

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This triptych "Breaking Free" uses collage of leaves and magazines, and acrylic paint. People have many ways of dealing with difficult or troublesome situations. This artwork explores the ways that people deal with their challengers - physically and/or mentally. The human figures in the artwork represent different actions and emotional mechanisms.

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Title: Urban displacement

Medium: Oil on Wood

Category: 2D

Artist: Jack Fairweather School: Scotch College

My artwork explores the relationship between the masculine and the feminine in landscape. People are so often displaced and unsure in this modern world of ours and the presentation of the figure as a misfit in a masculinized setting of road trains, long stretching roads and imposing buildings is testament to this. Influenced by the works of Jeffrey Smart, I have attempted to incorporate the unusual imagery that exists in common urban environments.

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Title: Elders of the Worrora

Scotch College

people

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Folau Penaia

The artwork is a reflection on my Aboriginal history, culture and connection with my tribal land. The painting presents a history of respected cultural men of the Worrora Tribe, located far north of Derby, on the Kimberly coastline. My painting portrays three Aboriginal elders and the passing of the Worrora culture and knowledge to younger generations. The Wandjina spirit is the creator of all knowledge known to the Worrora people.

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Title: Life's Rose

Medium: Charcoal on Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Akshay Bishnulall

School: Serpentine Jarrahdale

Grammar School

My drawing depicts one woman broken into two very distinct times, one old and one young. The drawing symbolises age and what some may interpret age to mean. Age is a concept many people hide away from. This drawing was designed to show people that age, or rather time, is a constant flowing motion that cannot be altered or changed. I believe that age should be respected and celebrated.



Title: 6218

Medium: Mixed Media on a

Photographic Print on

Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Brianne Carter

Serpentine Jarrahdale School:

Grammar School

6218 is an emotional reaction to the Yarloop fires. As I drove through the Yarloop town with my family, I had a sense of sadness to the devastation and emptiness of the town that once was. 6218 is a self portrait that has been created using paint, bleach, stitch and spray paint. The smears of paint, dots and stitch represent disintegration and the marks left behind after the fire.



Title: The Cycle of Life and

Death

Mixed Media on Medium:

Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Celeste De Bruin

School: Serpentine Jarrahdale

Grammar School

Inspired by Australian artist Del Kathryn Barton I followed her colourful, symbolic and ambiguous style. I portrayed the nameless goddess of life and death cradling a dead lamb in her arms. She is an eyewitness to the cycle of life and death which has been disrupted. Humans have corrupted this natural cycle, by placing themselves at the top, a so called "apex predator". The goddess stares at the viewer, challenging them to respond.

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Title: Fremantle

Medium: Ball Point Pen

Category: 2D

Artist: Eva Gill, Brighde O'Hara,

> Nina Tomas, Jasmine Heah, Lauryn Wrightstone, Isabel Viera, Ellen-Mai Bresnihan-Delaney

School: Seton Catholic College

This collaborative pen drawing shows the beauty and history in the architecture of Fremantle. Seven students planned their individual drawings so that they could be read as one panoramic view, taking in both sides of Market Street. Whilst creating emphasis was a focus for each individual, they planned drawing techniques together in order to create a sense of unity. This drawing shows an exploration of perspective, tonal value and texture in an historic urban setting.

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Title: Modernist Timeline

Mixed Media

Category: 3D

Monica Palumbo Artist:

School: Seton Catholic College My art book is a timeline of two Modernist art movements: Pop Art and Abstract Expressionism. The Pop Art side was inspired by an old Archie comic and comments on the depiction of women in the media. The Abstract Expressionism side is metaphorical and embraces ideas of contained or suppressed emotion.

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Title:

"Dystopia (Houston We

Have a Problem)"

Medium:

Mixed Media

Category: 2D

Sarina Roose Artist:

School: Seton Catholic College My work interprets the future of Planet Earth, inspired by the anonymous quote: "we do not inherit the Earth from our ancestors; we borrow it from our children." It confronts the growing concern of the Earth's fragility in combat against the demand and consumption of humanity. "Dystopia (Houston We Have a Problem)" depicts what the world may look like in the near or distant future as a product of ignorance towards the environment.

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Title:

It's a Girl!

Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Alice Britto

School: Shenton College "It's a Girl!" is a commentary on the gender roles that are impressed upon society, mainly the notion that as the woman carries and births the child, they should be the primary care giver. This work poses a situation where the male is the carrier of the child. He, therefore, would be the primary care giver. The figure has a seahorse tail as it is the male of this species that naturally carries the young.



Title: Superficial Creation

Medium: Acrylic and Collage

Category: 2D

Artist: Emma Finucane School: Shenton College My piece is an exploration of the absurdity and all encompassing nature of media. The figures are positioned in the "see no evil" pose but they are not serene. The inescapable nature of the media permeates aspects of everyday life thus shaping our perceptions of the world around us.

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Title: Evaporated Thought

Medium: Ink and Watercolour on

Watercolour Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Umi Otto

School: Shenton College

My artwork depicts a commentary on Dementia and how the impaired mind can relate to the fluidity of water as both can evaporate. I used watercolour as my main medium as I thought it would help express the connection to the fluidity of both water and the mind. Using various shades of blue, the colour signifies the connection to the theme of water and the emotions that are a result of the disease.

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Title: The farm strikes back

Medium: Watercolour

Category: 2D

Artist: Emma Doorn

School: Swan Valley Anglican

Community School

This painting shows two characters from the future in a modern adaptation of American Gothic.

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Title: Liberty of Friendships

Medium: Watercolour on

Watercolour Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Ella Filippi

School: Swan Valley Anglican

Community School

I am a young student with an adventurous spirit and artistic expression. I have integrated my visions of travel and daily friendships to create this artwork, to represent my friendship and freedom. The Statue of Liberty is a representation of the friendship, freedom and independence between two united countries in 1886; this helped inspire me to create this piece.

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Title: Vermeer's Twist

Medium: Acrylic on Canvas

Board

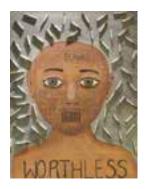
Category: 2D

Artist: Madison Taylor

School: Swan Valley Anglican

Community School

Social Media has impacted on the youth of today; selfies have dominated Instagram where perfection has become an obsession. The Girl with the Pearl Earring is my ideal representation of idyllic beauty.



Title: Millenniums of slavery

Medium: Acrylic, Wood and

Watercolour

Category: 2D

School:

Artist: Georgia Franco

> Thornlie Christian College

Millenniums of slavery is themed on the issue of child slavery in the world around us. I have chosen for my piece an African tobacco slave. The young child is filled with cigarettes and has smoke all around him consuming his life, with a barcode covering his mouth signifying the dehumanisation of slavery and the loss of identity. You are no longer a human being but a number.

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Title: If the shoe fits

Medium: Charcoal on Wood

Category: 2D

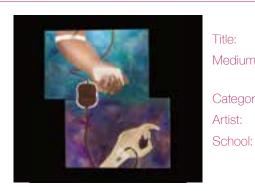
Artist: Philip Kalinowski

School: Thornlie Christian

College

This piece specifically makes references to a particular type of child slavery: child sweat shop workers. The young boy is hindered by a heavy influence, being represented as a shoe, a commonly associated sweatshop production item, branded with the globally recognised logo of Nike, a clothing company which endorses the act of child sweatshop workers through their branded "tick of approval" on child slavery.

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Title: Colour blind

Medium: Acrylic, Chalk, Water

colour

Category: 2D

Artist: Paidmaovo Nhari

Thornlie Christian

College

This piece is inspired by the theme of racial injustice and it focusses on the phrase "we all bleed the same colour/blood." This is presented through the top piece which shows a man of African ethnicity giving to a Caucasian. The split represents the divide between the two races, and the blood flowing into the other shows how we are the same and we are connected inside.

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Title: 7e

Medium: Pencil on Paper

Category: 2D

Artist: Manu Montocchio

School: Wanneroo Secondary

College

Contemporary culture seeks to redefine the idea of masculine and feminine identity. However, traditional ideas still hold strong in many facets of society. I have drawn the face of a typically masculine figure. However, through a crack in his face, we see another identity bleeding through, one often considered too feminine for a man. My work is titled Ze, a non-gender descriptive term that many, who neither identify as male nor female, choose to adopt.

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Title: Polyethylene

Desecration

Medium: Watercolour and

Discarded Rubbish

Category: 2D

Julia Petrovski Artist:

School: Wanneroo Secondary

College

A piece of litter carelessly tossed away can have dire consequences for the natural environment. In mass culture the turtle is commonly used as a symbol of serene, idyllic, natural paradise. I have contrasted this idea of perfection with the desecration of the environment through the simple act of littering. The delicate watercolour turtle is slowly being consumed and overwhelmed by the plastic and wrappers, its beauty gradually being blotted out.



Title: No one comes to the

Father except through

Watercolour and Lead Medium:

Pencil on Paper

Category: 2D

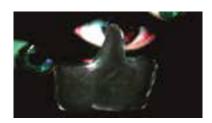
Artist: Samantha Suralta

School: Wanneroo Secondary

College

My work explores ideas associated with schizophrenic symptoms, particularly dealing with delusions of grandeur. In cases such as these, the sufferer believes they are a famous or important figure, such as Jesus Christ. I have drawn an image of Christ as seen in traditional effigies, but have torn open the face to reveal the haunted schizophrenic soul underneath. They are trapped by their delusion in a dark recess of the mind.

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Title: We Won't Let It Go

Medium: Video Category: Digital

Artist: Paris Chatley

Warnbro Community School:

High School

This video documents a time based installation. It illustrates how we care about global warming but seemingly do nothing about it. The ice sculpture is a representation of a "Like" button and the projected eyes slowly melt the ice - making the "Like" meaningless.

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Title: Pop Up Memories

Medium: Video Category: Digital

Artist: Grace Hartwig-Alliss Warnbro Community School:

High School

The video documents an inflatable installation which I have made out of recycled garbage bags and spray painted with text. The three different shapes represent three spaces of significance in different stages of my childhood. Each of the phrases describe the different memories I have in relation to those places.

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Title: Inner Culprit Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Kasey Jenkinson School:

Willetton Senior High

School

Sometimes the biggest culprits in life are our inner selves. My artwork is a representation of how we individually reject and doubt ourselves greatly. Personally, this is a flaw of mine, which influenced me to create the work. The physical action of punching and grasping is intended to symbolise the effects of self-rejection. Artist Danny O'Connor influenced me to incorporate the bright lines on the right side of the artwork.



Title: This Is Me Medium: Oil on Canvas

Category: 2D

Artist: Nikita Wynne

School: Willetton Senior High

School

This artwork emerged solely out of my love of books and reading. This painting shows a side of myself that I do not usually project. The nature of my reading genre, being mostly romance, speaks about the transition from girl to woman. I have been influenced by the works of Ephraim Rubenstein, who specialises in painting portraits and arrangements of old books in a photorealistic style.



Title: Silenced

Oil on Canvas Medium:

Category: 2D

Artist: Qintha Yuansyah

School: Willetton Senior High

School

My artwork is a portrayal of my personal experience of being a teenager having conflict with my parents. Young adults tend to think that they are old enough to make their own decisions in life, whether it is what they want to do after high school or the type of people they surround themselves with. Parents, on the other hand, have set expectations of what their children should do. These different views create tension.

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Title: Cat Jesus

Medium: Acrylic Paint, Tapestry

and Found Objects on

Canvas

Category: 2D

Madeline Antulov Artist:

School: Woodvale Secondary

College

We live in a time where there are two kinds of people. The religious fanatics, and the ones who follow science. "Cat Jesus" comments on the absurdity of Christianity. I touch on the fact that religious people often believe anything the church tells them, even if Jesus was in fact a cat. I used acrylic paints to achieve a traditional look, and stitched a "collar" to imitate the Usekh often seen worn around his neck.



Title: Reversed Roles

Medium: Acrylic, Pencil, Conte

on Canvas Board

Category: 2D

Artist: Tayla Cinquina

School: Woodvale Secondary

College

My artwork features a profile view of man shouting on the right side of the canvas and a profile view of a wolf growling on the left side of the canvas. The wolf is gripping a chain with a human like hand, and the chain is attached to a collar around the man's neck. This piece tackles issues of animal violence as well as domesticating animals.



Title: Hero

Acrylic and Coloured Medium:

Pencils

Category: 2D

Artist:

Jenna Hutchinson

School: Woodvale Secondary

College

Guide dogs enable freedom and independence for people living with vision loss throughout Australia and the world. My artwork is exploring the idea that these dogs are "heroes" for the blind. It shows a guide dog posing like a stereotypical superhero, its red cape flowing behind it. The guide dog contrasts with the black background symbolising the brightness these dogs bring to the bleak and dark life that many people with vision loss live in.

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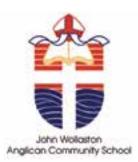
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