

# Glen Eira Artists Society Newsletter, April 2013

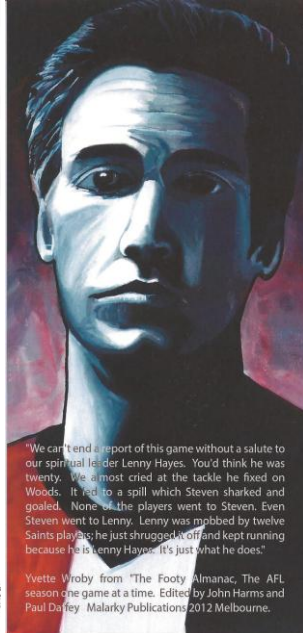
Wonderful Obsessions  
**FOOTY ART EXHIBITION**  
at Gallery 261  
261 Hawthorn Road, Caulfield

Thursday 4th April – Sunday 14th April  
Hours: 11 – 8 or by appointment  
Opening Night Thursday 4th April at 7.00 pm-9.30  
To be opened by John Harms, co-editor of Footy Almanacs

**Paintings, PRINTS, cartoons, photos**  
and **objects of humour** (in many team colours)  
also **THE FOOTY ALMANACS** for Sale (2007-2012)

This is the first solo exhibition by Yvette Wroby and it's based on her beloved football life. Yvette writes in footy season for the website [www.footyalmanac.com.au](http://www.footyalmanac.com.au) as well as having published articles in the 2011 and 2012 editions. Her cartoons and photos regularly appear on the Footy Almanac website.

For information: Ring Yvette on 0412 030 467  
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"We can't end a report of this game without a salute to our spiritual leader Lenny Hayes. You'd think he was twenty. We almost cried at the tackle he fixed on Woods. It led to a spill which Steven sharked and goalied. None of the players went to Steven. Even Steven went to Lenny. Lenny was mobbed by twelve Saints players; he just shrugged it off and kept running because he's Lenny Hayes. It's just what he does."

Yvette Wroby from "The Footy Almanac, The AFL season one game at a time. Edited by John Harms and Paul Dingley. Malarky Publications 2012 Melbourne.

Flyer Layout by GEAS Web Manager Peter Roccella  
Art Work by Yvette Wroby

**SOLO EXHIBITION:** Yvette Wroby's solo exhibition "Wonderful Obsessions" FOOTY ART EXHIBITION at Studio 261 Hawthorne Road from 4<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> April Opening Night Event April 4 starts at 7:00pm with guest speaker MC at 8:00pm: John Harms, editor of Footy Almanacs.



## ' Wonderful Obsessions '

**Yvette Wroby**  
**FOOTY ART**  
**Exhibition**  
**April 4-14**

Opening April 4, at 7 pm  
261 Hawthorn Rd Caulfield  
Hours: 11am -8 pm April 4-14  
or by appointment  
0412030467

### About Yvette Wroby:

Yvette Wroby's first solo exhibition is based on her beloved football life: from first works in 2005 through acrylic , oil, watercolour, inks and gouache , the St Kilda colours of her heart have never changed The exhibition includes paintings, prints, cartoons, photos and objects of humour in many team colours, and The Footy Almanacs for Sale (2007-2012) including articles and cartoons by Yvette Wroby who writes regularly for the Almanac: [www.footyalmanac.com.au](http://www.footyalmanac.com.au)  
Website: [www.cartoonswork.com.au](http://www.cartoonswork.com.au)  
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## Studio Art Thursdays New GEAS initiative begins April 18

Glen Eira Artists Society prides itself on its response to the needs of its members, and as such it is an organisation that is growing in events, activities and members. Our most recent initiative is a Thursday Studio Art space and class time, utilising vacant space in the local community to provide additional learning opportunities for old, new and enthusiastic members. Interested participants can attend Thursdays from April 18. Address: 261 Hawthorn Rd, Caulfield. Expressions of Interest to Yvette 042030467 April 4-14 at the venue, where she is holding her exhibition.

### STUDIO ART 2013 DATES: THURSDAYS

**Venue: 261 Hawthorn Road Caulfield**

Classes with Keming Shen from 1.30-5.30 Daily sessions \$42 for members, \$50 for non members. (untutored morning art space available for a fee, but for those paying for the tutored class in the afternoon, the morning art space is free)

**TERM 2** Thurs 18 April to Thurs 27 June (11 weeks, Members \$462, Non Members \$550)

**TERM 3** Thurs 18 July – 19 Sept 2013. (10 weeks)

**TERM 4** Thurs 10 Oct to 19 Dec 2013 (11 weeks)

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**Friends of Caulfield Park GE Band**  
for gigs and events contact Lisa: 0407 557 881

## April Events @GEAS

Bring a friend for a trial session to any one of our regular events. See page 3 for details. New members welcome.

**April 4 7 pm Opening Solo Exhibition** Yvette Wroby 261 Hawthorn Rd Caulfield John Lawry Studio Til 14th

**April 7 Sunday En Plein Air** with Band at the Band Stand Caulfield Park. 11 am Artists meet at Band Stand Children's Art Space from 1 pm GE Band 2-3 pm Joint venture with Friends of Caulfield Park. RSVP pre-registration Contact Angeline 95788791 FREE

**April 13** Art for Children at Rotary's Murrumbena Market Contact glenart2@gmail .com for stall bookings for April 13, July 13, Oct 5, Dec 7

**April 17** GEAS members monthly Portraiture Group 10.30 chat for 11-1 sketching RSVP for Venue 95712583

**April 18** Studio Art with Keming Shen begins weekly see term dates page 1; Thursdays

### Art in April Community Art Events:

**April 7 Sunday En Plein Air** with Band at the Band Stand Caulfield Park. 11 am Contact Angeline 95788791 Children's Art From 1 pm and GE Band 2-3 pm

**April 4-14** Yvette Wroby Exhibition

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**April 3-26** Artman Gallery 635A Glenhuntingly Rd

**April 14** Sunday Schmooze Street Art Talk at 2 pm Kingston Arts Centre Free Entry but Bookings essential Call Box Office 95564440 Speakers: James Beattie Alex McCulloch, Prof Alison Young

**April 18** Prahran Art Town Exhibition Opening 6-8 pm at Chapel on Chapel; Exhibition April 18-26

**March 21 –July 7** Top Arts NGV Australia Ground level Federation Square. Free entry

**April 28** NGV Kids Club Event 10-12.30 pm Tour of Contemporary collection and use paint in studio artwork Bookings 03 86621555 10-5 daily Membership \$50 renew for an additional year free

### April Art On Line

A Feast of On Line Art in April is recommended by NGV including, in order, waterlilies à la Monet, Classical art and invention, The Theme 'Reactivation' until March 31, Roy Lichtenstein Retrospective, The 1960's as a period of change, Chagall's art in his formative years 1911-22, The New Rijksmuseum opens after 10 years work with 80 rooms and 8,000 artworks, The role of fashion, Urban Landscapes of LA. Source: 'Gallery' March/April 2013 p28-9,ngv pub.

- ✦ benesse-artsite.jp/en/chichu *A permanent exhibition*
- ✦ getty.edu *Sicily: Art and Invention*
- ✦ shanghaiennale.com *Theme Reactivation*
- ✦ tate.org.uk *Roy Lichtenstein Retrospective*
- ✦ guggenheim-venice.it *The 1960's*
- ✦ kunsthau.ch *Chagall's formative years*
- ✦ rijksmuseum.nl *All new opens April 13*
- ✦ metmuseum.org *Impressionism, Fashion and Modernity*
- ✦ getty.org *Overdrive*
- ✦ mmk-frankfurt.de *dOCUMENTA artist Andrea Büttner*



Bee Masks prepared by GEAS for Children's Art at Rotary Club of Caulfield's Murrumbena Seasonal Community Market. Bee Products for sale April 13

## MURRUMBEENA SEASONAL COMMUNITY MARKET

*9am to 2pm*

**Koornang Uniting Church**  
117 Murrumbena Road,  
Murrumbena. Melways-69 A5

### 2013

- **Autumn-13 April**
- **Winter- 13 July**
- **Spring-5 October**
- **Summer/Festive Season-7 December**

Art, Books, Cakes, Cards, Confectionery, Babies and children's clothes, toys, Cosmetics, Bath and Body products. Reconstructed Fashion, Eco-friendly products, Face-Painting for children, Fresh Produce, Fair Trade and Gourmet foods, Honey and honey Products, Handcrafts, Jewellery and Quilts. Live Entertainment, Plants, Sausage Sizzle, Market Café and Coffee Van and Merchandise sold in support of community groups.

*Gold coin Entry.*

**ENQUIRIES:**  
**murrumbenacomunitymarke**  
**t@gmail.com**

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Artman Gallery 635A Glen Huntly Road  
 Caulfield South Current Exhibition: April 3- 26  
 Claire Kurzmann, Matto Lucas, Troy Christmas

**New Developments for GEAS exhibition space**

“Artman Gallery are very enthusiastic about working alongside GEAS and offer us a quick pop up exhibition in the few single weeks they have scattered between their major exhibitions. This would be great exposure for our members’ work. Please indicate if you as a member of GEAS are ready for an impromptu exhibition in the foreseeable future and could mount the exhibition at short notice”. Yvette Wroby.  
 Liaison: Gillian 0402349131 pending a co-ordinator for this project. Thank you to Yvette for exploring this option and to Artman for their generosity in offering the exhibition space.

**Pre-European Aboriginal Culture in Glen Eira**

Glen Eira Historical Society invites GEAS members to a lecture to be held at 7.30pm on Wednesday 27th March in the Theatre, Glen Eira Town Hall. The guest speaker is Dr. Gary Presland and his subject “Pre-European Aboriginal Culture in Glen Eira”

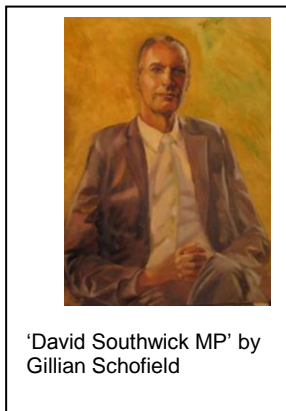
**GEAS MEMBER NEWS**

**Welcome to New Members 2013**

Penny Sennitt, Roslyn Shamai and Misha Nathani have been added to the membership database. Welcome to you all.  
 “Congratulations to all GEAS members for creating an atmosphere at the different activities where clearly people feel welcome, at ease and that they have a sense of belonging.” Yvette, President

**Two Archibald Entries**






Two GEAS members entered the Archibald Prize this year. Peter Roccella with his portrait of Don Ravida, and Gillian Schofield with her portrait of David Southwick MP Caulfield



‘David Southwick MP’ by Gillian Schofield

‘Don Ravida’ by Peter Roccella

**Sue Copolov**

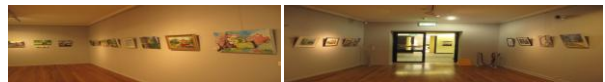
Imagine the astonishment of Sue Copolov as she traces a surprise link to a website to discover a dress in a fabric of her own Award Winning Design for sale On-Line in March 2013. Clockwise from top left: the dress itself, Sue with her award winning multilingual design; the original design in yellow, Sue with photographic records of her career in textile design, the scarf Sue designed for the 1956 Melbourne Olympics. Sue received the Award for the 1955 Leroy-Alcorso Textile Design Competition, sharing first prize for a dress fabric designed to celebrate the 1956 Melbourne Olympic Games. With the supporting documentation Sue has for this dress, it deserves a place in fashion museum history. Website: [circavintageclothing.com.au/2012/04/26/1950s-leroy-alcorso-print-dress](http://circavintageclothing.com.au/2012/04/26/1950s-leroy-alcorso-print-dress)

**Two Art Blitz Entries at Kingston Art Centre**

Two GEAS members entered the overnight March 1-2 Art Blitz Themed Response: ‘Connect’ at Kingston Art Centre: Brenda Chan and Richard McClelland; Richard including two of his grandchildren aged 5 and 7 in both artistic and literary domains.



Brenda Chan and Friends of Caulfield Park Lisa Di Marcos daughter. and the Glen Eira Artists society members at En Plein Air , Caulfield Park March 2013

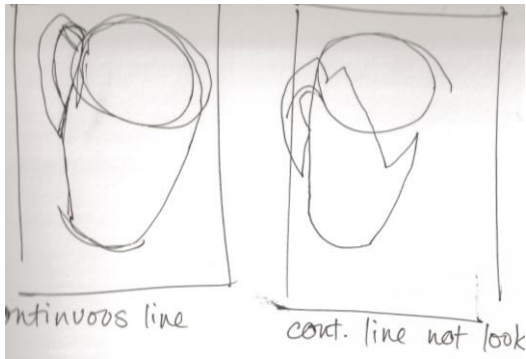


**Sharing your Art News**

**Members, please remember to let us know where and when you are exhibiting or any special information which can be shared with fellow members of the Society. Heather, Administrator, GEAS**

## Art Education

Continuous line: "trying to get it right"  
 Continuous line not looking: "Trusting yourself to get it right without looking" means "just being sure of yourself"  
 K'ay Batty Artist, landscape, relief teacher Geelong Art Society



## Free On-Line Learning

by Assignments, on line Team Work and Course Work  
**Stanford University** Engineering Faculty  
 To Register: <http://venture-lab.stanford.edu/>

Recommended textbook:  
[inGenius: A Crash Course on Creativity](#) by Tina Seelig.



### [A Crash Course on Creativity](#)

Tina Seelig: *Executive Director, Stanford Technology Ventures Program* <http://venture-lab.stanford.edu/>  
 "In this course, Tina Seelig reveals a set of tools and conditions that we each control - our Innovation Engine - that allows us to increase our own creativity and that of our teams and organizations. She shows that just as the scientific method demystifies the process of discovery, there is a formal process for unlocking the pathway to invention".

### On Line Art Links:

<http://www.arthistoryarchive.com/arthistory/>

## The Drawing of Hands as an exercise

"Drawing is a process through which the hand teaches the eye to see" Robert E. Harrist

Copy ten hands from the Masters. Then draw ten of your own hands as seen in a mirror. Incorporate the visual language you have learned from the Masters in your own work. It is like learning and practising a new language. Refer to the **drawings** of the masters for models.

Activity Source: McElhinney et al (2012) *The visual Language of Drawing, Lessons on the Art of Seeing*, The Art Students League of New York, Sterling Pub. N.Y.

Rembrandt



Picasso



Cezanne



Fragonard



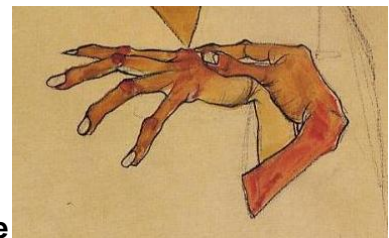
John Singer Sargent



Goya



Egon Schiele



Leonardo Da Vinci





# Glen Eira Artists Society Activities Calendar

## 2013 DATES

### Life Drawing Mondays

6.40pm chat and set up for  
7-9 pm Drawing.  
Contact: Mary 0449767162  
Members \$18 Non members \$20



**Term I** Jan 28-March 25,  
(except Labour Day March 11) (8 weeks) *Artwork by  
Richard McClelland  
18/2/13*  
**Term II** April 15 – June 24 (11 weeks)  
**Term III** July 15-Sept 16 (10 weeks)  
**Term IV** Oct 7 – Dec 16 (11 weeks)  
Cost \$18 members, \$20 non members  
Time 6.30 – 9 pm

### Figurative Art Tuesdays

9.30- 3 Contact Yvette 0412030467  
or Lilian 0402148909  
Members \$42 Non Members \$50  
**Term I** Jan 29 - March 19 (8 weeks)  
**Term II** April 16 to June 25 (11 weeks)  
**Term III** July 16 to Sept 17 (10 weeks)  
**Term IV** Oct 8 – December 17  
(excluding Cup Day ) (10 weeks)  
Cost \$42 members, \$50 non members  
Tutor: Keming Shen



*Art Work in progress  
by Alex Hetrel 12/2/13*

## NEW

### \*\*\*\*\* Studio Art Thursdays \*\*\*\*\*

**Venue: 261 Hawthorn Road Caulfield**  
Classes with Keming Shen from 1.30-5.30 (with morning free sessions included). Daily payments \$42 for two sessions for members, \$50 for non members.  
**Term II** Thurs April 18 to Thurs June 27 (11 weeks, Term Payment: Members \$462, Non Members \$550)  
**Term III** Thurs July 18 –September 19 (10 weeks)  
**Term IV** Thurs October 10 to December 19, 2013 (11 weeks)

### Monthly En Pein Air with GE Band April 7

**First Sunday** of the month, held at Caulfield Park. It is essential you inform GEAS of your intention to participate on the day, start time 11 am. Contact Angeline: 95788791 and leave a message. The Dates will coincide with 3 Band Stand Concerts for Summer 2013. Art Materials for Children are supplied 1-3 pm, Live Music 2-3 pm

### Monthly Portraiture Group

**Third Wednesday** Of the Month 10.30 coffee and chat, sketching 11-1 Contact 0402349131 for rotating venue or to add your name to the list. GEAS Members only. Host to provide sitter, poses of 40 mins planned for 2013. A change to 2 hour poses was discussed at the March 20 meeting, and the suggestion was made that these be provided by the host. Dates for Portraiture Group: third Wed of the month: April 17, May 15, June 19, July 17, August 21, Sept 18, Oct 16, Nov 20, Dec 18 contact Gillian for venue 0402349131

# Notes: