



# KANdeLight

Newsletter Of Kingston Arts Network Inc.

## **FROM THE EDITOR**

JULY 2010

Welcome to the second electronic KANdeLight. We hope you enjoy this new format (which is still under development) and rest assured that for those members who are not on email a hard copy will be sent.

We look forward to receiving items from members. Please drop me an email at

[kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com](mailto:kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com) or by mail to P.O. Box 5067, Mordialloc Vic. 3195.

We would love to share any news you have of any exhibitions, performances or any items of interest to the members of Kingston Arts Network. Debbie Williams (Ed.)

### **Dates for the Diary**

Thursday 8 July	KAN Committee Meeting 7.30pm 3-5 Blantyre Ave. Chelsea. Members welcome Details: Tony 9772 3550
Sunday 24 July	Readings by the Bay 2.00pm Mordialloc Neighbourhood House
Thursday 29 July	Schmooze – Kingston Arts Centre – City Hall Wine Bar 6.30pm – 8.30pm
Thursday 12 August	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, KAN MENTONE RSL 7.30
Thursday 19 August	KAN Committee Meeting 7.30 3-5 Blantyre Ave. Chelsea. Members welcome Details: Tony 9772 3550
Friday 27 August	Network Night – To be announced

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## **THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

Greetings KAN members. Winter can be a very creative time when it's too cold or wet to go out. There are plenty of things we can do inside. It's also a good time to network and sit around socializing with a cuppa! For painters and photographers, nature's colours take on golden tones at sunrise and sunset and provide creative inspiration.

All members are welcome to attend our networking evenings and we are always looking for someone to lead the group in an activity or demonstrate a skill. Contact Tony Nightingale on 9772 3550 if you are interested.

On June 5 & 6, KAN had a stand at the Fun for Over 50s Expo at Kingston City Hall. Members of the public were very impressed by the art work of KAN members on display and hopefully we will attract some new members.

Just a reminder that the KAN Annual General Meeting will be held in the Victoria Room at the Mentone RSL at 7.30pm on August 12. Everyone is encouraged to attend. Please consider nominating for a position on committee or simply as a committee member to contribute your ideas.

For those who are interested in having dinner first, meet at the RSL at 6pm.

Members must be financial in order to be nominated to committee or to vote.

Subscriptions of \$25 per individual, \$40 for a group of less than 20 and \$60 for a group of more than 20 are due on July 1. Fees can be mailed to: KAN, PO Box 5067, Mordialloc 3195 with a short note.

We are still looking for someone with basic book keeping skills to nominate as Treasurer. Jennie Wragge, who has fulfilled this role for a number of years, is now studying full time and cannot continue beyond the AGM. It is essential that someone step into her shoes and training will be provided.

We are also currently without a Publicity officer to liaise with the media.

Schmooze nights are held at the Kingston City Hall Wine Bar and are great opportunities for networking with creative people and City of Kingston staff supporting the arts. These evenings are informative and lots of fun. Future dates are: July 29, September 30 and November 18 at 6.30pm. For details contact Jamie Smith on 9581 4692.

**Tony Nightingale**  
**President**

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## EVENTS

This year, Kingston Arts Network was invited to be involved in the judging of the **Chelsea Heights Primary School Art Show** held on the 16th June 2010. President Tony had the challenging task of judging the categories of Prep, Grades 1 & 2 and Grades 3 & 4, whilst world famous local artist Craig Penny judged the Grade 5 & 6. Sammy Nuttall was invited along to take some photographs. Both Tony and Sammy were amazed at the creations of the children and the Art Show as a whole. Well done to all involved.

Below is an image, please [click here](#) to view lots more...



## NETWORK NIGHT – 25<sup>th</sup> June 2010

The weather was cold and rainy but that did not deter Patricia (Trish) Johnson who arrived with a stack of paintings.

It was an informal evening and whilst I was photographing Trish's paintings (with the assistance of Tony), Trish and Margaret Allnutt fine tuned their Artist Statements.

Trish's work and profile can be viewed [here](#).

Trish mentioned that she came because of the information in KANdeLight, the first she'd received since she joined. Trish's profile has been added to the website and others, including that of [Margaret Allnutt](#), have been updated.

Members have had an opportunity for us to assist them in this endeavour, we welcome any other financial members to contact the webmaster, Sammy Nuttall at the KAN email address.

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**SAMMY NUTTALL**

**Webmaster**

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## VENUES AVAILABLE TO KAN MEMBERS

KAN has public venues in which members may exhibit their work.

Currently 2 members are exhibiting at the Como Private Hospital. The hospital has been a great supported of KAN in the past and has often been a very successful venue for artwork sales.

Conditions vary for each venue. Currently we are updating the agreements with the venues and more information will be available soon. In the meantime if you wish to exhibit your work, please contact us. We require **photographs** and a list (including the **dimensions**) of the artworks you propose to hang. Heavy frames are not acceptable.

The above conditions are a minimum necessary requirement for all venues and are not negotiable. It enables KAN and the venue managers to make a decision on suitability of the works.

Members may apply individually, or as a group for access to the venues. Up to 10 painting may be submitted at a time. This may vary depending on the venue.

The contact details are below.

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Exhibits in Public Venues.  
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By Email:  
[Kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com](mailto:Kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com)  
Attention: Brian Williams

For more details please contact Brian Williams on 9776 2650.

## KAN CONTACT DETAILS

Don't forget to check our website and Blog for current information about KAN activities:

[www.kan.org.au](http://www.kan.org.au)  
[www.kingstonartsnetwork.blogspot.com/](http://www.kingstonartsnetwork.blogspot.com/)

If you have any articles of interest you would like included in future issues, please email them to Editor, Debbie Williams at [kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com](mailto:kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com)

## TREASURER NEEDED FOR KAN

KAN is seeking a new Treasurer. Our present Treasurer will finish at the end of the financial year after serving KAN for many years. If you are interested please call President Tony Nightingale on 9772 3550 or email [kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com](mailto:kingstonartsnetwork@gmail.com) to register your interest.

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