



Wildlife and Botanical Artists Incorporated

• NEWSLETTER •

March 2008

NEXT MEETING

Monday 14th April 2008- 7.30pm sharp
Hughes Community Centre
Janeen Faes will talk on Airbrushes and
there will be some “hands on” experience.
If you have never done any
airbrushing,(even if you have!) come
along and have a go!!
Members \$2; non-members \$5 (room hire,
supper)

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Last Meeting



Toby Jones from Greening Australia gave a very interesting talk on the re-greening of the Cotter and other areas of Australia. He explained that Greening Australia is countrywide, has nurseries in many other areas and they all work together. He answered questions from the very small audience. He also said that it could not happen without the hundreds of volunteers who plant trees, clear areas, work in the nurseries etc. If you are interested in helping our environment, please contact Greening Australia.

First tree planting for this year is on Sunday 6th April. Please contact Hadyn if you would like to volunteer.

Ph: 6253 3035

WABA EXHIBITION AT TIDBINBILLA

The exhibition is still on at Tidbinbilla. It has been extended for a while – no definite date as yet. If you wish to retrieve your painting, please contact us as below.

Does anyone have any completed paintings to take up there? We need to keep the exhibition fresh. Please contact Vivien (6242 9699 evenings) for Northside and Di Mortimer (6231 3040) for Southside.

10th Anniversary Celebrations

2008 is the 10th anniversary of WABA. We would like some ideas of how members would like to celebrate.

We **STILL** have had no response from you!!

Please take the time to complete and return the attached survey and please phone or email your ideas as we would really like to celebrate the 10 years.

Only one person has returned their survey!!

This is **YOUR** society, we would love you to contribute to make it a great year!

VACANT POSITIONS

HELP!!!

The position of **Secretary** is still **VACANT**. The duties are not difficult and would involve mainly taking minutes of committee and general meetings and functions.

Annual Members exhibition:

We still need an **exhibition co-ordinator** for this. The committee needs help to run the society, please offer your services.

• WABA WEBSITE •

www.waba.net.au

Any suggestions regarding the web page, please email info@waba.net.au

The **Members page** is **password protected** - the login and password will be provided when you renew your membership. If you have already renewed, please contact Vivien on 6242 9699 for login and password. Or contact Laurene.

EXHIBITIONS TO SEE

“Avian” – An Exhibition of Bird Photography.

2nd - 15th April

At the Front Gallery, Lyneham Shops

“In Plain View” the forgotten flora

13th March – 9 June

National Museum Australia – Canberra

Contact venue for information on talks and workshops. 6208 5000

Art Society of Canberra Autumn Exhibition

17th – 20th April

Wesley Centre

Cnr National Circuit & Fitzroy St Forrest

Botanica 2008- The Fruits of our Labour

Royal Botanic Gardens Sydney

4th -20th April 10am – 4pm

www.rbgsys.gov.au

Wildlife at Discovery

Would anyone like to donate a painting for the raffle at this exhibition? We need the raffle to help cover the costs. Please contact Vivien on 6242 9699 or

vpinder@hotmail.com.au

Deadline for April Newsletter 30/4/08

If you have news items for the newsletter, please forward them to me by the deadline.

This includes exhibition news or closing dates of exhibitions, news of members, achievements etc etc. Thanks

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