

**ART UNLIMITED**  
**EXPRESSIONS IN ART, PHOTOGRAPHY & CERAMICS**  
**22 – 23 & 29 – 30 MAY 2021**



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**ART UNLIMITED OPENS ON A HIGH NOTE**

A capacity crowd of 300 attended the opening night of Art Unlimited at Dunedoo on Friday to applaud the winners and admire the 330 entries from artists, photographers and ceramicists from every State in Australia.

As usual there was plenty of spirited discussion about the judges' choices. What art competition doesn't attract a bit of controversy? But everyone present agreed that it was a memorable night and a wonderful chance for people to get back together in an atmosphere of conviviality and creativity.

Guests were welcomed by Dunedoo Lions Club President, Dale Hogden, before Nick Lowther from ABC Western Plains took to the stage of Dunedoo Central School Hall. Nick did his usual great job as MC and announced the winners of seven prizes totalling \$11,000. After acknowledging the contribution of the school's food technology students who made and served delicious finger food, he introduced Federal Member for Parkes, Mark Coulton, to officially open the exhibition.

Mark Coulton paid tribute to the many volunteers and Lions Club members who each year make the event possible. He praised the quality of the works on show and expressed admiration for the way they were presented. This was his first experience of Art Unlimited and he said it would leave a lasting impression.

**ART UNLIMITED 2021 RESULTS**

**Peabody Wilpinjong Prize for Hanging Art –**

Winner: Eleanor Anson (Cardiff Heights) "Aftermath"

Highly Commended: Chris Kunko (Gilgandra) "Your Bubbly Essence Left Me Screaming"; Kim Harding (Ilford) "Banksia and Found Objects"; Harriet Taylor (Wellington) "My Grandfather"



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**ib vogt Prize for Photography –**

Winner: Andrew Davis (Muswellbrook) “Pacific”

Highly Commended: Rowena Galway (Dubbo) “Beauty”; Denelle Adams (Dubbo) “Juxtapose 1, 2 and 3”; Tim White (Mudgee) “Trudge and Roses”

**Art Unlimited Ceramics Prize –**

Winner: John Tuckwell (Bellingen) “We Stopped the Clouds”

Highly Commended: Greg Daly (Cowra) “Dappled Light”; Susie McMeekin (Katoomba) “Large Serving Bowl”; Owen Rye (Boolarra) “The Blues”

**Orana Arts Prize –**

Greg Daly (Cowra) “Dappled Light”

**ABC Western Plains Prize –**

Gil Pedrana (Dubbo) “Riverbank Frank”

**Janace Holmes Family Memorial Prize –**

Glen Southwood (Orange) “Sunset”

**Deutscher Packing Room Prize –**

Christine O’Leary (Elong Elong) “Busy”

**The Dunedoo Rural Hardware People’s Choice Prize** will be announced at the end of the exhibition on 30 May.

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