# 2024

**MAARI MA INDIGENOUS ART AWARDS** 





**EXHIBITION DATES** 1 NOVEMBER 2024 – 2 FEBRUARY 2025

IMAGE: David Doyle, Values, Winner: Open Section, Maari Ma Indigenous Art Award 2023





# 2024 ENTRY FORM AND INFORMATION

The Broken Hill City Art Gallery invite Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists residing in the Maari Ma Health and West Darling Arts regions to submit entries for the 2024 Maari Ma Indigenous Art Awards (MMIAA).

#### **Awards**

## **Open Art Prize**

1st Prize - \$5,000

Artwork in any medium on any theme (Painting, drawing, sculpture, photography, film, installation etc.).

# **Emerging Artist Award**

\$2,000

# Nhuungku Prize for Excellence

\$2,000

\*Artists that identify as Female will be automatically eligible for this prize.

# **Young Artist Prizes**

Art suplies to the value of \$1000 (16 - 21 yrs)
Art suplies to the value of \$500 (15 yrs and under)

\*Artists under the age of 18 will automatically be eligible for the Young Artist Prize.

# **Peoples Choice Award**

\$2,000

\*Artists under the age of 18 will automatically be eligible for the Young Artist Prize.

#### **Key Dates**

Entries Open: Monday, 26th August 2024

Entries Close: Friday, 25th October 2024

**Artwork Delivery:** No later than Friday, 25th October 2024, between 10 am and 4 pm. Artworks are to be delivered to the Broken Hill City Art Galley, 404 - 408 Argent Street, Broken Hill, New South Wales 2880.

Exhibition Dates: 1st November 2024 – 2nd February 2025

Official Opening and Award Announcements: 1st November 2024

# CONTACT

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# PLEASE FILL OUT THE DETAILS BELOW

# **ARTIST DETAILS** Artist's Name Gender\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_ Address Suburb\_\_\_\_\_ State\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode\_\_\_\_\_ Email Address\_\_\_ Telephone (H) Mobile DETAILS OF ARTWORK ONE Artist's Name\_\_ Title of Work Date of Work Size (HxWxD cm)\_\_\_ Sale Price (inc of GST & 33% commission) \$ **DETAILS OF ARTWORK TWO** Artist's Name\_\_\_\_\_ Title of Work Medium Date of Work Size (HxWxD cm)\_\_\_\_\_ Sale Price (inc of GST & 33% commission) \$\_\_\_\_\_ Are you registered for GST? Y/N Do you have an ABN? Y/N ABN\_\_\_\_

Do you identify as an emerging artist (within the first 5 years of your practice)? Y/N

I have read and agree to the conditions of entry.

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# Artwork delivery instructions:

Artworks are to be delivered to the Broken Hill City Art Gallery, 404 - 408 Argent Street Broken Hill, New South Wales 2880. No later than Friday, 25th October 2024, between 10 am and 4 pm.

#### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

#### **Entry Requirements:**

Entry is free; however, artists are limited to a maximum of two (2) entries in total.

Artists must be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent.

Artists must be a current resident in the Maari Ma/West Darling Arts region (visit bhartgallery.com.au for more details).

Any age entrants can enter the prize but must not have had work collected in any state, national or international collections.

All artworks submitted for the prize must be the original work of the entrant and must have been created within 12 months of the closing date for entries.

# **Award Categories**

All entrants are eligible for the Open Art Prize and Peoples Choice Award. Artists under the age of 15 years and those between 16 and 21 years, will automatically be eligible for the Young Artist Prizes.

Artists who identify as emerging on their entry form will be eligible for the Emerging Artist prize (Emerging means you are an early career practitioner, defined as having practised as a professional artist for less than five years).

Artists that identify as Female will be automatically eligible for the Nhuungku Prize for Excellence. Final Judging

All aspects of the judging process are final and no discussion will be entered into.

# Submission of works selected for Exhibition

Artworks selected for exhibition are to arrive at the Broken Hill City Art Gallery, Friday, 25th October 2024 - between the hours of 10am and 4pm.

Works may be delivered before this date.

Artworks are to be delivered to Broken Hill City Art Gallery, 404 - 408 Argent Street Broken Hill NSW 2880

All works must be available for display for the duration of the exhibition (1st November 2024 – 2nd February 2025).

#### Sale of Work

Works may be for sale.

A 33% commission applies to the sales of all artworks and must be included in the price (GST inclusive).

#### **Presentation of Work**

Finalists must have artworks delivered, ready for display with D rings attached. (10cm from the top for larger works and 5cm from the top for smaller works).

Works on paper should arrive professionally framed and ready to hang.

Plinths are available for 3 dimensional works.

Instructions for how the artwork is to be displayed must be supplied.

Where appropriate, all works should be clearly labelled with the artist's name, address, title of work and sale price on the back of the artwork.

The Broken Hill City Art Gallery reserves the right to not display artworks that do not arrive with the aforementioned specifications.

#### Size Limitations

There are no size limitations for the Maari Ma Indigenous Art Awards, aside from the physical limits of the exhibition space.

However, artists may like to consider the cost of transporting works if selected. Please contact the Gallery or GeoCentre if you have concerns regarding the size of your work.

#### **Return of Work**

Collection of artwork/s is the responsibility of individual artists.

# Copyright

As the maker and owner of your artwork you will retain copyright of your artwork. Entry into the prize grants The Broken Hill City Art Gallery, Albert Kersten Mining and Minerals Museum, Maari Ma Aboriginal Health Corporation and West Darling Arts Inc. licence to reproduce installation images for non-commercial purposes, including images for promotion and documentation.

Winning entries will grant a licence for non-commercial reproduction to promote and advertise the following year's prize.

This licence will last one year from the close of the exhibition.

There will be no changes made to your work without consent and you will be credited wherever your work is displayed or reproduced.

# **Disclaimer**

The Broken Hill City Art Gallery is responsible for the safety of artworks whilst on the premises, however accepts no liability for any loss or damage incurred to works whilst in transit to and from the Museum.

Selected artists should make arrangements to adequately insure

their work whilst in transit to and from the Broken Hill City Art Gallery.

Exhibition of works shall be at the absolute discretion of the Broken Hill City Art Gallery which may take into account the recommendation of the judge's selection or the Art Gallery's decision.

Artists found to be misinterpreting themselves or their work in any way will be disqualified from entering the Awards.

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