



Entry Form 2012

CRICKET ART PRIZE 2012 – value \$20,000

Entries will be accepted in 2012 from any artist who creates and completes their work in the 12 months leading up to the closing date - 31st August 2012.

The organisers invite artists to submit, subject to the conditions hereunder mentioned, a painting or composition that depicts life in and around the game and sport of cricket, in settings of backyard, street, beach, park, village green or social-cricket cricket.

The work may be:

Figurative – paintings which are clearly derived from real object sources, and are therefore by definition representational; art which represents human figures; the term figurative has been used to refer to any form of art that retains strong references to the real world.

Semi-abstract – a work which shows new ways of seeing with fresh ideas using a visual language of form, colour and line to create a composition sometimes referred to as modern, contemporary or post-modern.

Still-life – a work of art depicting mostly inanimate subject matter, typically commonplace objects or cricket paraphernalia e.g. stumps & bails, pads, gloves, caps, scorebooks etc – in a natural, random or incidental setting.

Figure-in-landscape which depicts scenery, sky and weather elements juxtaposed with-in backyard, street, beach, park, village green or social-cricket cricket scenes.

Acceptable media are: oil painting, acrylic painting, water-colour, pastels or mixed media on canvas, board or artists paper with a cubist, impressionist, tonalist, fauvist, surrealist, pop art, futurist, hard-edge, modern, naïve, orientalist, pointillist, precisionist, regionalist or romanticist style.

NOT ACCEPTED

(1) A painting of a famous person, cricketer or the artist (past or present) is not by the organisers definition a cricket painting, but a portrait and the Cricket Art Prize is not a portrait art prize;

(2) A painting showing the faces of current or past celebrities, even if it is in a cricket setting. The organisers discourage the use of famous people in a Cricket Art Prize entry.

Please check the particulars supplied on the entry form and ensure that your entry is in accordance with the conditions on page 2.

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CONDITIONS

- (1) Each competitor may enter **ONE** work only. The entry must be the original work of the competitor;
- (2) Image Pre-selection – Artists must supply high quality jpeg images (no more than 6) of their entry by CD or USB stick or via e-mail, indicating the artist's name and title of work. The high quality jpeg images should contain 2 full-frame images of the completed work with up to 4 'detail' images, which will show the surface, texture and finish of the work;
- (3) The CD or USB stick must be delivered by post or courier together with a completed entry form and a non-refundable **AU\$30.00** (including GST + handling fee) made payable to **the Publishers' Cup Inc.** The CD or USB stick containing high quality jpeg images should be received by the organisers in the month of August 2012. Any CD or USB stick not accompanied with a payment of AU\$30.00 will not be eligible for the competition. Payment can be made by cheque or e-mail via PayPal;
- (4) The statutory declaration on the entry form must be completed by the competitor;
- (5) Entries will not be accepted unless free of charges. No payment will be made by the Publishers' Cup Inc for post or courier charges incurred in the delivery of any entry – CD or USB stick;
- (6) All artists entries accepted for hanging and the opening exhibition will be contacted via e-mail and text message and the finalists' physical entry must be delivered to the Sydney Cricket Ground – Members Pavilion by 28th September 2012 for showing continuously throughout the period of the exhibition and other exhibition tours;
- (7) Finalists' physical entries will not be accepted unless free of charges. No payment will be made by the Sydney Cricket Ground Trust nor the Publishers' Cup Inc for transport or courier charges incurred in the delivery of any physical entry – the actual painting;
- (8) PLEASE TAKE NOTE: The size of the work must **NOT EXCEED 122cm X 182cm (48" X 72")**. These measurements **INCLUDE** the frames or mounting along with the actual work of art;
- (9) Neither the Exhibition Venues nor the Organisers will be responsible for any loss or damage whatsoever, and however caused, to any entry while in its custody. Each competitor is responsible for maintaining his/her own insurance coverage;
- (10) Competitors hereby consent to their work being reproduced by the Exhibition Venues, the Organisers and the media in all editorial and publicity inclusive of all electronic/digital or print media for future exhibitions, and to be copied for research from the date of submission until the collection of the work;
- (11) The Exhibition Venues and the Organisers reserve the right to exhibit such entries as the Judges select for a period of up to six months;
- (12) The Exhibition Venues and the Organisers reserve the right to reproduce the winning entry and all finalists in all publications and publicity inclusive of all electronic/digital or print media. The winning entry may also be reproduced by the art prize sponsors.
- (13) The Judges' decision is final and no correspondence shall be entered into;
- (14) Acceptable media are: Paintings – oil painting, acrylic painting, water-colour, pastels or mixed media on canvas, board or artists paper;
- (15) The Cricket Art Prize is acquisitive – that being the winning work will become the property of the Benefactor;
- (16) All Finalists work including the Highly Commended and the Peoples' Choice will be for sale over the period of the 2012 / 2013 national tour.



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ARTIST'S NAME _____

Street address _____ Suburb _____

State _____ Postcode _____

Country _____

Telephone: landline _____ Mobile / Cell _____

Email address _____

Title of work _____

Size _____

Medium _____

DECLARATION

I certify that the above information is correct and that I have completed my entry within 12 months of that date. I agree to abide by the above conditions. I make this declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1911, as amended.

Artist's Signature _____

Declared at _____ on the _____ day of _____ 2012

Before me (Witness Signature) _____

Closing date - 31st August 2012.

POST YOUR ENTRY TO:

Cricket Art Prize / Cricket Poetry Award
Suite 23, 53 O'Brien Street
Bondi Beach NSW 2026 Australia

EMAIL YOUR ENTRY TO:

E-mail: derekz@cricketartprize.org

CONTACT:

Call inside Australia: 0411 572 100
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JUDGES 2012

John McDonald - Art-critic

Dr. Dick Quan - Art collector

Steve Abbott - Comedian and author

Jacqueline Taylor OAM - Director, OzLink Entertainment

Lisa Quittner - Editor, 3008docklands Magazine