



Armadale arts FESTIVAL

3 – 19 MAY 2019

VISUAL ARTS

LITERATURE
AND CULTURE

MUSIC

The Armadale Arts Festival is a creative program of live music, urban art, dance, literature and arts and crafts, showcasing the incredible talent coming from this region.

Visual arts will be celebrated as part of the popular Minnowarra Art Awards, back for another year and serving as a centrepiece for the Armadale Arts Festival.



MINNOWARRA ART AWARDS

Saturday 4 May to Sunday 19 May, 11am to 4pm
Armadale District Hall

The newly renovated Armadale District Hall will set the scene for the curation of a captivating collection, as part of the Minnowarra Art Awards, held throughout the Festival from 4 to 19 May.

Renowned gallery owner and artist Ron Nyisztor will curate the exhibition, bringing together works across a diverse range of mediums, created by talented artists from Western Australia.

The exhibition will be open from 11am to 4pm daily. For further information visit the Festival website at armadaleartsfestival.com.au



CURATOR FLOOR TALKS OFFER UNIQUE INSIGHT

Sunday 12 and 19 May, 3 to 4pm
Armadale District Hall

Artworks in the exhibition will be the focus of Curator Floor Talks, delivered by Curator Ron Nyisztor, providing participants with his unique commentary and insights of the artworks and the artists that created them.

The talks are available free of charge and provide participants with an opportunity to network with likeminded art enthusiasts while enjoying refreshments.

No bookings are required. For further information visit the Festival website at armadaleartsfestival.com.au



YOUNG AT HEART INVITED TO DELICIOUS HIGH TEA

Tuesday 14, Wednesday 15 and Thursday 16 May,
10am to noon
Armadale District Hall

For the seniors of the Armadale community and their visiting friends, the Minnowarra Art Awards will offer a memorable high tea experience, free of charge from 14 to 16 May between 10am and noon.

A delicious light morning tea will be served by hospitality students from Armadale and Kelmscott Senior High Schools, along with tea and coffee. After morning tea, join with your fellow art appreciators and take in the sights of the Minnowarra Art Awards.

The City would like to acknowledge Sharon Knapp from the Intensive Care Foundation, and students from the schools involved. Bookings are essential. To secure your seat, visit the Festival website at armadaleartsfestival.com.au



EXHIBITION OFFERS UNIVERSAL ACCESS

Saturday 4 May to Sunday 19 May
Armadale District Hall

People living with a disability that would prefer a more hands on experience are invited to be involved in a tactile tour of the exhibition, available upon request, at the Armadale District Hall.

The tactile tours are designed to maximise inclusion through dialogue and touch, ensuring everyone has the opportunity to enjoy the artworks. Tours are free, however, bookings are essential and sessions can host a maximum of 10 participants. For more information contact the History House Museum at museum@armadale.wa.gov.au or 9394 5670.



MUSIC IN THE HALL

Saturday 4 May to Sunday 19 May
Armadale District Hall

Immerse your senses in the creativity of the Minnowarra Art Awards while enjoying intimate live performances featuring some unique instruments in this creative pop up performance space.

Keep an eye out for more details through the Armadale Arts Festival – Music Facebook event.

GREENDALE CENTRE SHOWCASES ART COLLECTION

Friday 3 May to Sunday 19 May, 8.30am to 4pm
Greendale Centre

Continue your art loving experience at the Greendale Centre on Coombe Avenue, taking in the City of Armadale's Art Collection on display throughout the community facility, selected and curated by Ron Nyisztor.

More traditional style pastoral and landscape paintings ranging from the early 20th century don the walls of the dining room. The large and extensive walls in the main hall and theatre, including the annexe and entry areas, showcase numerous larger works highlighting the creative depth and vibrancy of the collection where many well-known Western Australian practitioners are represented.

Artworks within these spaces and the games room use similarities and differences in the paintings to create rhythm and conversation between the works.

To find out about all the events and activities available at this year's Armadale Arts Festival, visit armadaleartsfestival.com.au or the Facebook event for the full program.