

Braidwood Times

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\$1.40 (GST inclusive)

16th Annual Quilt Event

Welcome to the Quilt Event 2010

This is the first occasion that I have been able to welcome visitors, our local residents and new participants to the Braidwood Quilt Event as President of Braidwood Quilters Inc. June Weatherstone, our President for fifteen years, decided it was time to have a rest. She was awarded honorary life membership in recognition of the amazing work she carried out over those years and, of course, recognition that our wonderful Quilt Event and the trailblazing "Airing of the Quilts" would not have come into existence without June's vision and guidance.

Each year Braidwood Quilters Inc encourages new venues and organisations to join in the Quilt Event. Additional participants add variety, interest and colour which revitalises the Quilt Event and keeps it fresh and alive. In 2010 we welcome the Braidwood Museum and its exhibition of unique quilts including a 2000 paralympic quilt and the possum skin quilt which featured in the film "On our Selection", the Braidwood Courthouse which houses an exhibition of proggy rugs curated by

Miriam Millar and the The Vintage Sports Car Club of Australia's street exhibition of spectacular vehicles parked on the western side of Duncan Street from 9am to 2pm on Saturday.

The National Theatre will house the main quilt exhibition with competitive categories, together with the Quilters Guild of NSW Challenge quilts, Canberra's Total Fabrications Exhibition, The Braidwood Quilt Shop Challenge, a display of 19 small quilts by Queanbeyan quilter Robyn McPherson, unique waggas and battlers quilts from quilt artists Caroline Ogilvie and Paull McKee, community quilts, the results of a Pass the Parcel quilt project and a tempting Sale of Work Table.

Welcome to the sixteenth annual Braidwood Quilt Event. We know there will be plenty of wonderful things to see and do to keep you entertained. This Braidwood Times program is a "must read", containing interesting information that will ensure your full enjoyment of our special weekend.

Jill McLeod
President Braidwood Quilters Inc.



Braidwood's Sixteenth Annual Quilt Event 2010 Official Opening

Friday, November 26th
at 6pm

The National Theatre
Wallace Street, Braidwood

Braidwood Quilters Inc has pleasure in inviting you to the Official Opening of Quilt Event 2010. Enjoy an exciting preview of the major Exhibition/Competition and prize-giving ceremony. Refreshments will be served.

\$10 per person

All exhibitors, members of the community and visitor are welcome to attend.

BRAIDWOOD QUILT EVENT 2010 PROGRAM

Friday, November 26

- 10am - 5pm Suzanne Bellamy Annual Open Studio, Northanger Road, Mongarlowe
- 11am - 4pm FyreGallery "Susan Dorothea White - celebrating 50 years" 84 Wallace Street
- 6pm - 7.30pm Official Opening Quilt Event, National Theatre, Wallace Street, \$10

Saturday, November 27

- 9am - 5pm Airing of the Quilts, outdoors, Wallace Street
- 9am - 5pm Quilt Event Indoor Exhibition/Competition, National Theatre, Wallace St
- 9am - 5pm Total Fabrications Original Doll Exhibition, National Theatre, Wallace St
- 9am - 2pm Vintage Sports Car Club of Australia display, Duncan Street (West)
- 9am - 3pm Braidwood Markets, Ryrie Park, Cnr Wallace & Wilson Streets
- 9am - 4pm St Bede's Catholic Church exhibition of religious quilts
- 9.30 - 4pm Jennifer Burton Vintage Quilts at The Albion Coachhouse, Duncan St
- 9.30 - 3.30 Braidwood Fire Station, quilts and Home Safety Information, Park Lane
- 10am - 5pm Proggy & Hooky Rug exhibition. Braidwood Courthouse, Wallace Street
- 10am - 6pm Suzanne Bellamy Annual Open Studio, Northanger Road, Mongarlowe
- 10am - 4pm St Andrews Anglican Church Quilts & Craft exhibition, 47-49 Elrington Street
- 10am - 4pm Work for sale by Braidwood, Canberra & Lake Bathurst creative artists, Westpac Building,
- 10am - 4pm CWA display of quilts, craft items and refreshments for sale, Wallace Street
- 10am - 4pm Open garden, 6 Malone Street, Braidwood. Refreshments. Gold coin entry. Supporting Hospital.
- 10am - 4pm Masonic Lodge, quilt exhibition & Masonic Lodge regalia, Elrington Street
- 10am - 4.30 Australia's Open Garden Scheme "Mona", Kings Highway, \$6 entry. Children under 18 free.
- 10am - 4.30 Australia's Open Garden Scheme "St Omer", Nerriga Road, \$6 entry. Children under 18 free.
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Sunday, November 28

- 9am - 4pm Quilt Event Indoor Exhibition/Competition, National Theatre, Wallace St
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Program compiled from information provided prior to Braidwood Times publication date. Every endeavour has been made to provide correct details but the Committee cannot be held responsible for errors or omissions.

SATURDAY ONLY - LOOP the LOOP with the free loop bus service which will pick up and drop off at or near all venues listed in the program, with the exception of the two open gardens - Mona and St Omer - which are out of town. Braidwood Quilters Inc. wish to extend their grateful thanks to the Braidwood Servicemen's Club for their generous support and provision of the free loop bus.



SUSAN DOROTHEA WHITE

Celebrating 50 years of White's art
(prints from 1960-2010)

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Footprints in Silk



• Textile artist Sandra Fisher at Material Art Gallery in the old Westpac Bank on Wallace Street.

Fresh from her successful Exhibition at Studio Altenburg, Braidwood artist Sandra Fisher will be displaying her work during the Quilt Event.

She will be at Material Arts in the old Westpac Bank building. The venue provides just the setting for Sandra's range of beautiful silk creations all coloured with natural dyes.

Sandra uses flowers, eucalypts and other leaves to create stunning designs of subtle beauty.

Calling her range 'Nature's Footprints' there are elegant long dresses in silk satin, ethereal scarves and wraps in silk chiffon and silk/wool mixes, skinny silk tops and a sofa piled high with shimmering silk cushions. Just to look lifts the spirits.

Susan Dorothea White

'Celebrating Fifty Years of White's print-making 1960-2010'

Consume Australian multi-disciplinary artist, Susan Dorothea White (1941-) opened her long-awaited print show in Braidwood on 12 November at FyreGallery. Local and international collectors were delighted by the 66 pieces selected to illustrate White's fifty years of printmaking in this unique survey of her lithographs, etchings, woodblocks and linocuts.

White might always have drawn as beautifully as Da Vinci but she has never been afraid to show the truth and the pain of her subjects.

Her passion for human rights issues and the environment, her love of family, music and nature, galvanize every one of her works in this show. Ranging in price from a few hundred dollars to a few thousand, White's prints are highly desirable and affordable. While much sought after in Europe and North America, she has to date been underrated in Australia, but not for much longer it seems.

New York critic, Ed McCormack, wrote of her work in the 1990s as "extraordinary...I have not seen narrative



• 1978 colour lithograph, 'The Magic Pudding'

[works] to compare with these in quite some time, perhaps never in recent times."

White's 2010 works, particularly the powerful message of 'She Sees His New Clothes', demonstrate just how

extraordinary an artist she really is.

White's wonderful 1978 colour lithograph, 'The Magic Pudding', was chosen to be the inspiration for the \$1,000 FyreGallery Art Quilt Prize in the 2010

Braidwood Quilt Event. The winner will be announced on Friday 26 November and on show during the quilt event weekend.

Cheryl Hannah
Director,
FyreGallery

Drink in the history

The Braidwood Hotel (formerly known as the Commercial Hotel) was built in 1859 at the height of the gold rush. The hotel's facade has recently been returned to the Georgian style in which it was originally built, as over the years extra features were added in keeping with the fashion of the time. The hotel has been undergoing a major restoration which has been slow due to the cost of the works.

The hotel has had a colourful history featuring in extracts from evidence given to the Royal Commission of Enquiry into the State of Crime in the Braidwood district

1867. In this commission the bushrangers, police and magistrate involved were all found guilty.

The hotel has also had a film history. During the making of 'Ned Kelly' (1970), Mick Jagger was known to have a few drinks and tinkle the ivories in the saloon bar. The hotel also featured in 'The Year my Voice Broke' (1987), and 'Flirting' (1992), both starring Noah Taylor.

Currently the building is operating as a public bar offering a wide selection of beverages, with pool tables, home-made pies, open fires and a sunny courtyard. Braidwood Kitchen has opened in

recent months operating out of the restored kitchen building, offering some interesting entrees \$7-8 and classic dishes as mains \$18-23, as well as specials, using fresh ingredients and cooked entirely on premise.

Braidwood Kitchen is able to provide for groups of up to 40 people, and is able to cater for a variety of functions on premise, as well as off premise.

• The historic Braidwood Hotel.



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13 Park Lane
In conjunction with Braidwood Quilt Event
Open 9am - 3pm
SATURDAY 27TH NOVEMBER
Come and see our Station Quilts!
Meet your local firemen. Learn about what we do
FIRE HAZMAT RESCUE
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Fire safety tips and more

OPEN GARDEN

With a Christmas theme, including Santa's cave
6 Malone Street Braidwood
Saturday 27th November 2010
Sunday 28th November 2010
10am - 4pm
Light refreshments available
Quilts to view
Music to listen to
Support our Hospital with a gold coin donation.
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