



2019 FORBES HERITAGE YOUNG ARTIST SCHOLARSHIP

Closing Date: 5:00pm Monday 29 April 2019
Applications to: forbesartss@gmail.com or PO Box 541 or
deliver to Platypus Gallery, 111 Lachlan St Forbes
Scholarship announced: 6:30pm Tuesday 7 May 2019, Heritage Award night Platypus Gallery,
Lachlan St Forbes

The Forbes Shire Council/Forbes Arts Society Young Artist Scholarship is offered to support innovative young artists aged between 15 and 21 years to undertake self-directed professional development in their chosen field.

In 2019 the Forbes Heritage Young Artist Scholarship will have a total value of \$1000. This may form the offering of two (2) scholarships valued at \$500 each or one (1) scholarship valued at \$1000, decided at the discretion of the scholarship committee.

The scholarship is open to young artists living in the Forbes Shire and is open to all art forms including visual arts, curatorial arts, dance, design, digital arts, Aboriginal arts, history, writing, music, theatre and screen.

Scholarship Objectives:

- Support professional skills development and career pathways for young Forbes Shire artists
- Contribute to the development and diversity of arts within the Forbes Shire
- Support the building of sustainable careers in the arts
- Provide opportunities for Forbes Shire community to access arts

Activities may include:

- Short term courses, workshops or other training that does not necessarily result in a formal qualification
- Towards a degree or other tertiary qualification which has an arts focus
- Mentorship or internship or work experience with recognised arts organisation and/or screen production businesses
- The creation of new work
- Periods of research or experimentation
- Skills development as appropriate
- Exhibition of a body of work
- Promotion and marketing
- Publishing
- Performances

Criteria for Application Evaluation:

- The scholarship will be awarded on artistic merit and the feasibility of the proposed application and its ability to lead to sustained arts development and outcomes
- Well-developed concepts
- Demonstrated need for scholarship
- How you will provide feedback from your proposed project or skill development to the community or Forbes Arts Society (FAS)? Eg will you exhibit in the Platypus Gallery or hold a presentation or disseminate information to the public.



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Terms and Conditions:

- Scholarship applicants must be between 15 and 20 years of age and Australian citizens or permanent residents and reside within the Forbes Shire
- Applications must be submitted by the due date, late applications will not be accepted
- Applicants must be prepared to provide feedback to Forbes Arts Society and/or exhibit work from their project in the Platypus Gallery as negotiated
- Applications should outline how funds will be spent, including for example, cost of workshops, travel, studio fees, residencies, materials costs.
- Funds are not retrospective, they are available for projects taking place from May 2019, but can go towards continuing study within the arts area. Funds cannot be given to projects that have already taken place.
- Previous recipients of arts grants should not apply

Support Material:

As well as completing and submitting the application form you may submit support material with your application. This material can include images of examples of your work; your CV or bio material; letters of support; audio or video material as appropriate.

Further enquiries:

Contact Forbes Arts Society Secretary Karen Ritchie on forbesartss@gmail.com or mob: 0411 099 432



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If not enough room, feel free to answer questions on additional space

Name:

Address:

Contact number:

Email address:

Date of birth:

School (if applicable):

Title of your project or other:

Summary of your project – an outline of what you want to do:

Timeline or itinerary of your project:

Description of the outcomes of your project:

Budget of your project (outline approximate full cost, include any travel, accommodation or insurance etc):



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How will you provide feedback on your project to Forbes Arts Society and Forbes Shire Council eg present at a meeting or exhibit in gallery or article in paper or other as negotiated?

What supporting material are you submitting?

How will this scholarship benefit your artistic development?

Any other comments?
