

GRAFTON ART CLUB NEWSLETTER- DECEMBER 2025

WOW. What a year, and we have started organizing events for next year 2026. WOW again.

The members Christmas party is today, I hope to see you there.

The BIG event that remains for this year is the clean out, not clean up, but out. So if you have belongings at the club that you would like to keep, please collect this week.

Skip bin arrives on Friday, and we commence the clean out at 9am Saturday & Sunday, please come and give a hand. Give what time you can, at what time is suitable to you.

The fridge is to be emptied for over the break, come and collect your containers and all the flotsam that has taken up permanent residency.

Deb McLennan is busy putting in our submission for the Plunge Catalogue, which is on again in April next yr. If you a person who is interested in holding an event, submissions close 1.1.2026. Go to Plunge 2026 and follow links to apply.

Deb will have events for adults- 18 & 19th April. Youth events on weekdays, 15 & 16th April. 1-4pm.

We have May Markets and Garage Sale, as part of Plunge. Mariea has been a little power house out in the shed, relieving it of unsuitable goods. Some given to charities, some to the bin. Our Market Day and Garage sale is on Saturday only this year 2nd May. There will be Art for sale, demos and a class etc, also market tables. With regard to the garage sale and donations, consider this- if you wouldn't give it to a friend or family, don't give it to the club, we are not a dumping ground for unwanted and generally unsellable goods.

EVENTS

New exhibition at Grafton Regional Gallery . If you are interested in ceramics pottery etc this will be just up your alley. Closes 1st Feb 2026.

Club Member Stacey Conridge has a beautiful exhibition showing at Coldstream Gallery Ullmara. Well worth a little trip to aa delightful village and have a look.

Travel on up then to Cowper and have a look at Kerrie's Christmas Collection from local artist at Cowper Art Gallery & Studio. Open daily 10-4

Ferry Park 8x8 is on in April. The theme this year is – “My Landscape, Mind, Place, Community”

Entry fee is Adults \$15 and Youth \$10. Member Anne Walter will bring back canvases and hold them at her place, until club opens again next year. Contact her if you feel inspired and can't wait to get to painting your landscape. Entries close 20.3.2026

The club will be open until 19th Dec and classes continue till then as well, so you can still come along to club and get your fill of friendship and art till then. Club Closes 19th Dec and reopen 19th Jan 2026. Classes youth and adult start again 2nd Feb

I wish you all a very joyous Christmas , and New Year period. Thank you for this years friendship and camaraderie, I look forward to seeing you all again next year.

Next Meeting Tuesday 10th Feb, 2026

MERRY ARTMAS, & ARTY NEW YEAR !!!

Vicki