



APPLICATION FORM for Connect, Collaborate, Celebrate Art Competition and Exhibition 2024

Celebrating Social Inclusion Week and International Day of People with Disability 2024

25 November - 13 December 2024

Key Dates:

Each artwork must comply with the following dates in order to be eligible for the competition.

9am Monday 5 July to 5.00pm Thursday, 31 October 2024	Online Application (Form 1) must be received by Willoughby City Council (or email to dcc@willoughby.nsw.gov.au) on or before 5pm, 31 October 2024
Monday – Friday 11 – 15 November 2024 10.00am-1.00pm 2.00pm-4.30pm	Artwork(s) and completed Artwork Submission (Form 2) delivered to: Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor Street, Chatswood
Monday-Friday 25 November – 13 December, 2024 9.00am-5.00pm	Exhibition Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor Street, Chatswood
Tuesday, 3 December 2024 11.00am	Awards Morning Tea & Winner announced: Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor Street, Chatswood

Disclaimer

Civil Liability Act 2002: By participating in the **Connect, Collaborate and Celebrate: Art Competition and Exhibition 2024**, you agree to do so at your own risk and to exonerate Dougherty Community Centre and associated community groups and Willoughby City Council against all claims which may be brought in respect of any injury or loss sustained due to alleged liability or otherwise.

1. Application (Form 1) – Expression of Interest – due 31 October 2024

Artist Contact Details:

Artist's Full Name	
Alternative Contact Name:	
Address:	
Suburb	
Post Code	
Date of Birth DD/MM/YY	
Email address:	
Contact Number: <i>(mobile preferred)</i>	
Title of Work	
Upload your Work (optional)	<i>Max file size 10MB max number of files: 1 file (2480x3508 pixels at 600dpi recommended)</i> <i>if image not available now, email scan/photo to dcc@willoughby.nsw.gov.au by Sunday 17 November 2024</i>

Terms and Conditions

ELIGIBILITY

The **Connect, Collaborate, Celebrate Art Competition and Exhibition** is open to people 18+ living with disability, experiencing social isolation or at risk of marginalization.

ENTRY – for enquiries please call Event Coordinator on 9777 7804

1. Expression of Interest Application (**Form 1**) must be completed online or emailed to dcc@willoughby.nsw.gov.au or mailed to **Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor St, Chatswood NSW 2067**.
2. **Theme: Connect, Collaborate, Celebrate** – each artwork submission must reflect at least one of this competition's themes.
3. There is no entry fee for submitted artworks in this competition and exhibition.
4. There are three (3) prizes on offer for the **Connect, Collaborate and Celebrate: Art Competition and Exhibition 2024** totalling \$700 in vouchers. The judges' decision is final and there will be no appeals on these decisions.
5. Submissions may be not smaller than A4 and no larger than 100cm x 100cm.
6. A maximum of two (2) artworks in total may be submitted by each individual artist, one application per artwork.
7. Artworks must be flat – visual arts and graphic arts – no sculptures, models etc.
8. Each entry must be the original work of the artist suitably framed and **mounted with D-Rings** and clearly labelled with artist's name and title of the work.
9. The artist is responsible for ensuring that no relevant copyright laws are infringed.
10. A photo or scan of the submitted artwork may be exhibited on a digital platform by Willoughby City Council. Should a lockdown be imposed, these entries will be available to view on this website from 25 November 2024.
11. Photos or scans of the artwork submitted should be *2480x3508 pixels at 600dpi (recommended)* and in a well-lit environment if taken as a photo. Provide your name and your artwork name on the submitted file, e.g.: "Jan Brown - Connection.jpg"
12. **Artwork Submission (Form 2)** must be completed and attached to artwork entries when they are delivered. Works will not be accepted without a completed **Artwork Submission (Form 2)**.
13. The signed **Artwork Submission (Form 2)** is binding and listing information will only be taken from the **Artwork Submission (Form 2)**, not from the back of the artwork.
14. Entries with a completed Artwork Submission Form(s) must be delivered **Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor Street, Chatswood** between **10:30am – 4.30pm, Monday – Friday 11 - 15 November 2024**.
15. All transport and insurance costs to/from and during the exhibition must be met by the exhibitor. All care will be taken but no liability by **Connect, Collaborate and Celebrate: Art Competition and Exhibition 2024** will be accepted for loss or damage in transit, or whilst on exhibit.
16. Artworks cannot be removed before **Friday 13 December 2024** and must be collected on **Tuesday 17 December 2024 between 10:00am and 4:30pm**. Contact Event Coordinator - **02 9777 7804**, to discuss alternative arrangements and agree logistics.
17. Winner and 2 Highly Commended prizes will be announced at the **invitation only** morning tea to be held **11.00am Tuesday, 3 December 2024** at **Dougherty Community Centre, 7 Victor Street, Chatswood**.

GRANT OF RIGHTS

By entering the **Connect, Collaborate, Celebrate Art Competition and Exhibition**, you acknowledge and agree that Willoughby City Council has the right to screen and reproduce the artwork in any way or form during the exhibition, and in future years.

By submitting your entry, you grant the Willoughby City Council the right to publicise, broadcast and communicate to the public your name, character, likeness or voice for any promotion or matter related to the Competition with no compensation to you for such use.

I have read and understood the conditions of this application:

Name (PRINT): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____/2024