



The Canterbury Potter

Newsletter of Canterbury Potters' Association

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members,

Greetings all as we plunge into autumn...

A big thank you to everyone who assisted on our clean-up day, January 16th, it takes quite a bit of effort to keep the grounds and the club rooms in a fit state, your efforts are appreciated.

A special AGM was held on March 13th (thank you to those who attended) specifically to approve the 2018 auditor's report. A stock take is scheduled for March 31st this in combination with the good performance of our new auditor should see the 2019 report submitted at the regular AGM i.e. in a timely manner.

Our annual auction was held on Wednesday 20th March. I would like to thank everyone who donated items for auction as well as a special thank you to Alex Prentice who once again acted as our auctioneer in a near three hour auctioneering marathon! We should see nearly \$1000 in proceeds which will go towards a new clay trap.

Interwaste will soon be removing our accumulated slops currently stored in plastic containers outside the cottage; this will probably become a regular procedure as part of our developing slop disposal protocol. Please be reminded members are welcome to take any wooden pallets stacked in the same area.

A note on clay: we have been given a bag of the new "Macs Mud White" formulation and I am receiving good reviews at this stage. In the mean time please be reminded the Production White 20 is our current substitute. Regretfully thanks to our monetary throughput reaching a crucial benchmark we are now obliged to collect gst on goods and services hence our clay prices have been changed to reflect this.

Best wishes and happy potting!

Darren Saunders
CPA President and Clay Master

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NEWS

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Please remember that membership renewals are now due! The CPA subs renewal form is attached. For any questions please email our wonderful Membership Secretary Trish Morant, canterburypotters@gmail.com

SPRAY GUN DEMONSTRATION

If anyone would like to demonstrate using the spray gun on a Wednesday sharing night we would like to hear from you. We have a number of people interested in learning this skill. Email canterburypotters@gmail.com if you can help!

CPA SOCIAL MEDIA

If you would like to share a photo of your work, an event or a snap of a class at the CPA please email us with your photo and a short caption. Please follow us and help us spread the word of pottery in Canterbury!
Find us at: [@canterburypotters](https://www.instagram.com/canterburypotters)

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Zina Swanson, Emma Turner, Sophie Eastman and Giampaolo Ferraro, Emily Spittal Williams, Brownyn McLennan, Jin Jayden.

BISQUE & GLAZE WORK

Please ensure at the end of the term you take your bisque and glazed work away.

ARCHIVAL MATERIAL

We are embarking on getting support from Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū to help with preserving our history. We have just been given 17 boxes of archival material from Jim Pollard (thank you Jim), which will need to be looked at. We also need to scan and digitise our precious records and treasures. We need support with this and if there is anyone who would like to help or is interested in this please contact Ngarita at canterburypotters@gmail.com



Peninsula Plaques

Jan Valentine Priestley

Photo imaging on corrugated paper clay

Stoddart Cottage, Diamond Harbour
March Exhibition, opening 5pm March 1st, 2019
Cottage open 10am – 4pm Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays



APRIL

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 10th April, 6-7.30pm (ish)

Jane McCulla Workshop
Saturday 20th April, 9.30am-3.30pm
Join us for a one-day, project-based workshop involving stretching, surface textures and sign making with Jane McCulla.

MAY

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 8th May, 6-7.30pm (ish)

JUNE

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 12th June, 6-7.30pm (ish)

AGM
Wednesday 26 June, 7pm
Please join us at this important annual event.
We need you!!

JULY

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 10th July, 6-7.30pm (ish)

Tatyanna Meharry Workshop - Landscape Pots
Sat 20 and Sun 21 July
Put together layers of different clays and inclusions, to produce stratified ceramic pots that create landscapes when fired.

Soup mug/bowl swap
Wed 31 July, 6.30pm
Soup provided - please bring a bowl or mug to swap, and something sweet to share.

AUGUST

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 14th August, 6-7.30pm (ish)

SEPTEMBER

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 11th September, 6-7.30pm (ish)

OCTOBER

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 9th October, 6-7.30pm (ish)

Gas and raku firing
5 October, all day
Last chance to gas fire or raku your work for our exhibition!

NOVEMBER

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 13th November, 6-7.30pm (ish)

DECEMBER

CPA Committee Meeting
Wednesday 11th December, 6-7.30pm (ish)

CPA Christmas Pottery Market
Sunday 8th December
Details TBC

CPA Exhibition dates to remember:
CPA Exhibition receiving day- Thursday 10th October.
CPA Selection day - Friday 11th October.
Selector workshop (Elena Renka) - 12th and 13th October.
Exhibition dates TBA.

Making sprigs and applying texture for hand built forms

A hands on workshop- by Jane McCulla, Ceramic Artist

In this workshop participants will explore the possibilities of surface texturing and decoration in stretched slab clay forms. Jane will share her unique plaster roller and stamping techniques to achieve endless texture and design possibilities.

You will learn to:

- Make Sprigs
- To stretch and texture clay into hand built forms (mythic voyager)



Date: Saturday 20th April

Venue: 395 Memorial Avenue (CPA rooms) from 9.30-3.30

Cost \$65.00

Limited places. For all levels.

In the first instance please email canterburypotters@gmail.com if you are interested. In Subject please put: Janes workshop.

Open to all members and students of Canterbury Potters Association



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Subscription Renewal (1st April 2019-31 March 2020)

Please submit to Canterbury Potters when paying.

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Complete only if details have changed:

Address: _____ Post Code: _____

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Amount enclosed

	Amount	Paid
Annual Subscription (one person)	\$60	
After 30 June 2019	\$70	
Annual Subscription (two people living at same address)	\$80	
After 30 June 2019	\$90	
Clubroom key, yearly rental, Key Number: _____	\$15	
Key, if you require a key (yearly rental included)	\$45	

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