



brenda clouten memorial scholarship
presentation evening

friday 21st november 2008

6.00pm - 8.00pm

at brough house church st maitland

\$20 entry fee for the event includes drinks and canapes, and a door raffle with prizes from the maitland regional art gallery gift shop.

Ph melissa on 02 4930 1201 to book

RSVP 14 november



woodberry FREE art workshop series
presented by MRAG and MCC

thursday evenings 5:30pm - 7:30pm

16 october - 4 december 2008

woodberry family centre, lawson ave woodberry.

all materials provided

FREE workshop series for eligible applicants only.

click here for more info

art
tuesdays
@ mrag
2008

Term 1 with Amber Carbury

Term 2 (cancelled due to art gallery closure)

Term 3 with Kate Finn

Term 4



school holiday workshops 2008

Spring Holidays 2008

Circus Spectacle! Kids Beginners 2-day Workshop

Circus Creatures: Draw & Print with Taryn Raffan

Stencil-Wear with Kate Finn

CircUs! A full scale circus performance by local school students Francis Greenway HIgh School



Winter Holidays 2008
 kids carve it! - hebel sculpture workshop with Judy Henry
 unreal art - abstract painting workshop
 with Judy Henry



Autumn Holidays 2008
 Print Your Own Adventure with Clare Elliott
 MRAG claymation screening
 Landscape Painting with Caitlin Sneddon

Summer Holidays 2008
 Claymation with Lauren van katwyk



operation art exhibition
 opening 2.00pm saturday 29 march 2008
 by fiona steel
 executive officer, operation art 2007
 25 march - 27 april 2008

The exhibition presents 50 artworks selected for the Permanent Collection of The Children's Hospital at Westmead, NSW.

lilia jackson there's bugs at the bottom of my garden
 workshops facilitated by Fiona Steel, Executive Officer of Operation Art
 Monday 31 March Years 1-2 Tuesday 1 April Years 3-4
 Wednesday 2 April Years 5-6 Friday
 4 April Teachers Professional Development Day



Youth Week Eggface Stall @ earthcare park
 part of power up! youth music event
 5 april 2008



little big shots
international children's film festival

monday 28 january 2008
@ the gallery 10am - 4pm
just \$6.00 for the whole day!!
the world's best films for kids, by kids
about kids, to amaze and delight kids.
bring a cushion or a bean bag.



mrag connect ed

minds, maps and places
video and artwork by 9 - 12 year olds
and new media artist theresa schubert

[click here for more info](#)

2007



are you under 25?
2007 brenda clouten
memorial travelling scholarship for a young achiever in the visual arts
\$3,000 to travel, study, experience
and create work overseas
applications close friday 10 august 2007
[click here for more info](#)



school holiday workshops 2007

autumn holidays: FREE workshops @ stockland greenhills

winter holidays: designer creatures with olivia parsonage and plastic
puppets with ken o'regan [click here for more info](#)

spring holidays: doing the robot wth kelly white and playing clay(mation)
with lauren van katwyk



shopART
opens tuesday 17 april 4.00pm
greenhills shopping centre east maitland
[click here for more info](#)

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2007

term 1 2007 - shop ART with the strutt sisters, michelle maartensz and lauren van katwyk
term 2 2007 - wanderlust with ben soedradjit
term 3 2007 - with ben soedradjit
term 4 2007 - with caitin sneddon

egg face 2007

an mrag education initiative in connection with maitland regional art gallery's exhibition program

In conjunction with the Joe Furlonger and Robert Callander circus themed exhibitions, MRAG Education is proud to present egg face: an exhibition of signature clown faces created by Hunter pre-school students. In the tradition of clowning, professional clowns in Europe and America render their one-of-a-kind clown face design onto an egg in order to preserve its copyright. According to clown legend these 'egg faces' are stored in bank vaults in order that no two clowns ever look alike.

mrag education's egg face is an exhibition of over two hundred copyrighted clown faces by 2-5 year olds from Maitland Nursery, Chelmsford Drive Early Learning Centre, Shamrock Hills Learning Centre, East Maitland Pre-school Brunswick Street and East Maitland Pre-school George Street. egg face is aligned with MRAG Education's objective of taking kids art off the fridge door and bringing it into the art gallery.

During the course of the exhibition audiences of all ages are invited to create their own egg face to add to the growing exhibition. Simply dream up your one-of-a-kind clown face and bring it to life at one of our activity tables. Ask one of the gallery staff to photograph your egg face and see it added to the exhibition.





january 2007
 just \$6.00 for the whole day!!
 the world's best films for kids, by kids
 about kids, to amaze and delight kids.
 maitland town hall monday 22 january 2007



shot in maitland
 20 October – 3 December 2006

2006

With financial assistance from MCC and Arts NSW, MRAG commissioned Sydney based artist/photographer Michel Brouet to take a series of images of Maitland, a sort of 'day in the life of'. The outcome of the project was to have an exhibition and a book published featuring Brouet's selected images of Maitland that has come to be known as Shot in Maitland. To accompany and compliment this initiative, a series of postcards of Brouet's images was also produced that further promote the city of Maitland.

The project mutated somewhat when Australia's own mystery crime writer and Maitland resident Barry Maitland was commissioned to write accompanying fictional text for the book.

In typical Barry Maitland style he wrote six short stories which in the final chapter all come together with his usual twists and turns.

Together, the text and images evoke a somewhat surreal mysterious feel and therefore the book will provide a unique lasting document for the city of Maitland



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 2006

term 2 2006 - box city
 term 3 2006 - fantasy houses
 term 4 2006 - portraits