

Call for Entries

Celebrating its 20th year, the As We Are Art Awards are WA's premier exhibition showcasing Western Australian artists with intellectual disability.

In 2022 Western Australian artists (aged 18+) are invited to submit one artwork in any art form, for example:

Painting / Drawing / Print-Making / Sculpture / Textiles / Ceramic. Artworks are limited in size and weight: **1m x 1m and up to 5kg for 2D works, and 0.5m³ and up to 10kg for 3D works.** This year's exhibition is being held at the prestigious **Wilkinson Gallery at Claremont Showgrounds (Gate 1 Entry, 1 Graylands Rd, Claremont).**



8 award categories

There are 8 art award categories, each with a corresponding cash prize of \$1,000:

- **Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Award** (Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander entrants only)
- **Contemporary Art Award**
- **David Guhl Award For Artistic Excellence**
- **Patti Ferber Creative Development Award**
- **People's Choice Award**
- **Regional Art Award** (regional WA entrants only)
- **Rosalind Lewis Award**
- **Stephen Delower Memorial 3D Award** (3D entries only)

The judges will also award up to ten Certificates of High Commendation for outstanding entries. Entries will be judged by a professional, independent visual arts panel, except the People's Choice Award which will be judged by visitors.

Key Dates

Online Entry Forms

Due 5pm Wednesday 12th October 2022

Entry Fee \$10 – TO ENTER CLICK HERE (link to online entry form separate doc)
Please note incomplete and late entry forms will not be accepted.

Delivery of Artwork

12pm - 4pm, Tuesday 25th October 2022

Wilkinson Gallery at Claremont Showgrounds
(1 Graylands Rd, Claremont. Drive in Gate 1, parking available next to the gallery)

Exhibition Opening and Award Presentation Evening

5.30 – 7.30pm Thursday 27th October 2022

Wilkinson Gallery at Claremont Showgrounds
(Gate 1 Entry, 1 Graylands Rd, Claremont).

Exhibition Opening Hours

9am - 2pm daily

Friday 28th - Sunday 30th October 2022

Collection of Artwork

 (Artists unsold artworks are to be collected)

9am - 12pm Monday 31st October 2022

Wilkinson Gallery at Claremont Showgrounds
(Gate 1 Entry, 1 Graylands Rd, Claremont).

Please note this initiative will comply with State Government Health Guidelines in regard to COVID-19, meaning these times and dates may be subject to change.

Contact Details

For further information please contact

As We Are on **0429 605 543** or **coordinator@asweare.com.au**

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Please read carefully

ENTRANTS

1. Entrants must be 18+, live in Western Australia and have an intellectual disability.

ARTWORK SPECIFICATIONS

2. A maximum of one entry per entrant.
3. Artworks must be the entrant's original work, completed during the 12 months prior to 25 October 2022.
4. Entries must not exceed 1 x 1 metres or 5 kilograms for 2D works, and 0.5 x 0.5 x 0.5 metres or 10 kilograms for 3D works.
5. Artworks must be ready for exhibition – failure to do so may result in artwork not being displayed. 2D works are to be framed with 'D' ring hanging attachment.
6. As We Are reserves the right to reject any entry if the number of entries received exceeds the capacity of the exhibition space and/or on the grounds that the material, subject or method of production is considered unsuitable.

AWARD CATEGORIES

7. There are 8 award categories, each with a cash prize of \$1,000: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Award, Contemporary Art Award, David Guhl Award for Artistic Excellence, Patti Ferber Creative Development Award, People's Choice Award, Regional Art Award, Rosalind Lewis Award and the Stephen Delower Memorial 3D Award.
8. To enter the 'Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Award,' entrants must be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Heritage.
9. To enter the 'Stephen Delower Memorial 3D Award,' entries must be 3D.
10. To enter the 'Regional Art Award' entrants must reside in regional Western Australia.

ENTRY

11. All entrants must complete the online entry form. Completed online entry forms must be received by As We Are by 5pm Friday 30th September 2022. (Incomplete, late or hard copy entry forms will not be accepted).
12. An entry fee of \$10 (including GST) must accompany your entry form. (The entry fee is non-refundable under any circumstances).

DELIVERY AND COLLECTION OF ARTWORK

13. Artwork MUST be delivered to the Wilkinson Gallery at Claremont Showgrounds (Gate 1 Entry, 1 Graylands Rd, Claremont) between 9am – 2pm Tuesday 25th October 2022. Failure to deliver artworks during this time will result in works not being displayed.
14. Unsold artwork MUST be collected at the conclusion of the exhibition from Wilkinson Gallery at Claremont Showgrounds (Gate 1 Entry, 1 Graylands Rd, Claremont) between 9am – 2pm Monday 31st October 2022. Failure to collect artworks during this time may result in storage charges.

SALE OF ARTWORK

15. All entries are to be made available for sale - 80% of the sale price is retained by artist, 20% commission is retained by the As We Are Awards. Entrants must recommend a sale price on their entry form above \$50 and inclusive of the 20% As We Are commission. *Family members wanting to secure purchase of the artwork MUST request and submit a sales form upon delivery of work.
16. If your artwork is sold at the exhibition, As We Are will contact you by Sunday 30th October 2022 (so you will not need to collect your artwork on the Monday).
17. Artists will receive payment, less commission, for any artworks sold. Proceeds from sales will be deposited directly into the bank account that you nominate on the entry form.

INSURANCE

18. Artworks are not insured by As We Are. The organisers will take due care when handling and displaying artworks, however As We Are cannot accept any responsibility for damage to or loss of artworks through fire, accident, theft or vandalism. Artists are advised to provide their own insurance for artworks for the duration of the exhibition, including transit to and from the venue.

JUDGING

19. As We Are will appoint a professional panel to judge entries for all art award categories, except the 'People's Choice Award'. Artworks will be judged according to artistic excellence. The 'People's Choice Award' will be judged by visitors to the exhibition. All entries will be judged.
20. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
21. Award winners will be announced at the Exhibition Opening and Award Presentation Night (Thursday 27th October 2022) except the 'People's Choice Award' winner, who will be notified post-exhibition.

PUBLICITY AND PROMOTION

22. As We Are reserves the right to reproduce artworks, or portions thereof, within reason, for promotional purposes. Appropriate acknowledgments will be made and Australian copyright laws will be observed. Copyright remains the property of the artist.



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