



Artwork: watercolour by Veronica Cashin

RESURRECTION

Resurrection is a group exhibition delving into themes of rebirth, renewal, resurgence, restoration and renaissance. It explores our responsibility towards the environment - as "caretakers" of the world we live in.

Scientists have attributed Australia's mass bush fires to climate change. We have ignored scientists' warnings on the effects of climate change, and only today, are beginning to understand the ramifications of our actions. Why does it take such mass devastation for us to understand our impact on nature and the environment?

If we could live in a Utopia where we live in harmony with our natural surrounds, why are we choosing an alternative way of life and one of destruction? The only way forward for our well being and the sake of environmental preservation is a complete renaissance in the way we exist.

We are seeking artists to express your creative version Resurrection, rebirth, renewal, resurgence, restoration and renaissance. You may present your symbolic, metaphorical or literal version surrounding the themes in this brief.

Off the Kerb celebrates its 13th birthday with this large scale group exhibition by donating proceeds from sale of art to Wala Animal Sanctuary www.wala.org.au/bushfire-rescue to rescue, restore and rehabilitate our wildlife and their habitat affected by fires.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Deadline to submit your applications Monday 9 March 2020 (by 5pm).
2. We will inform you of our decision of selected artists on Thursday 12 March 2020.
3. Show duration is 16-30 April 2020 (Opening Friday 17 April 6-9pm).
4. Delivery/Drop Off of work to the gallery is Saturday 4 April between 10:30am – 12.30pm.
5. Only one work may be entered by each artist or a series of works within the size restriction.
6. Work may be in any medium and no larger than 60cm x 60cmx 60cm (not including the frame). There is no minimum size requirement.
7. Include a brief description of your submission along with 1-3 jpeg images of the work. Include medium and dimensions. Submission may be works in progress, but not preliminary drawings or sketches. Works must be fully completed by drop off date.
8. All 2D works must be framed, unless they are on panels or stretched on canvas.
9. Criteria of selection will be based on works that are innovative, of high artistic merit and match the themes described in this brief. On successful selection to be part of this show you will pay an exhibitor fee of \$60 (for invitation design, PR, opening night refreshments, gallery staffing, administration and sales of the show).
10. Applications to be emailed to info@offthekerb.com.au (please ensure jpeg images are low resolution for web).
11. The gallery takes 25% commission on the sale of artwork. 10% of our commission will be donated to the charity www.wala.org.au/bushfire-rescue

For more information about this show please contact us on: (03) 9077 0174 or 0400 530 464 / info@offthekerb.com.au

