

Pearl Beach Art Trail, Saturday 3 October 2020

The red flags were flying and the sun was shining in Pearl Beach on Saturday 3 October inviting visitors to over 20 artisans exhibiting in their garages, gardens and studios.

Hundreds of visitors streamed through our COVID-19 safe barriers to see, taste and buy the wonderful array of art pieces.

This is the second time we have held an art trail in Pearl Beach and reports back confirm that locals and visitors very much appreciate the pleasure it brings. Kids, dogs, mums, dads, aunts and uncles strolled the bejewelled named streets of Pearlie being entertained by the wide variety of displays. Artists and artisans had the self-indulgent pleasure of discussing the where's, why's and what's of their art and if they were very fortunate the price!

We met holiday makers and people new to the village. There were visitors who have been to our exhibitions before and also a lot of new faces of people who live in Pearl Beach but who have never been to any of our shows.

The general consensus is that the Art Trail is a wonderful way for us to show the community our art so we will keep you posted about our next venture.

Appreciation and thank you:

On behalf of the artists' mob thank you to:

- All the distributors of flyers, posters and electronic distributions
- Greg McPhee for carrying our messages in COOEE in the build-up, and for his 'tables are us' service (pick-up and delivery included)
- Gaby and John and Peggy and David for providing debriefing venues
- Lynne Lillico for her dedicated advertising ethic
- Duncan Bridel for his picture taking - providing the only record of the group exhibition as a whole

And of course - the artists