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Celebrating the arts, Celebrating Bathurst

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You are invited to attend the
Bathurst Arts Council

Youth Arts Awards Showcase

2.00pm Saturday 22 November 2014

The Orchard Room

Mitchell Conservatorium Russell Street Bathurst

RSVP by 20/11 to youthartsawards@gmail.com

www.bathurstartscouncil.org.au



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like the **2BS Youth Arts Awards** and the **Bathsy200** Facebook pages.



Bathurst People in Time a Peoplescape

In 2015 Bathurst celebrates its bicentenary. It is 200 years since Governor Macquarie proclaimed the site for the town of Bathurst, the first settlement west of the Blue Mountains. Many exciting events and activities will be held throughout the year and the whole community is invited to participate and celebrate. One special project that directly engages all sectors of the community is *Bathurst People in Time*.

Bathurst People in Time is a project that celebrates the contributions of Bathurst people from all walks of life over the past 200 years. It is a community project that will deliver an outdoor public art installation of 200 life-size two-dimensional person-shaped figures in May 2015. People represented in the installation will be nominated and decorated, using whatever methods and materials best signify the personality and achievements of the person nominated, by individuals, groups and organisations from around the Bathurst region. *Bathurst People in Time* is a joint project of the Bathurst Arts Council and Bathurst Regional Council.

Bathurst People in Time is modelled on the *Peoplescape* held on the lawns of Parliament House, Canberra as the finale to the Centenary of Federation celebrations in 2001.

You can get involved now!

This is a project open to all members of the community, of any age, writers and non-writers, artists and non-artists. Think of someone you feel has been significant in shaping Bathurst into the community it is today, then tell us about them in your own words. They may be famous or unknown, they may be alive or have lived at another time. They should have lived in Bathurst and district at some stage in their life or have made a very significant contribution to Bathurst. For example, Governor Macquarie visited Bathurst briefly on two occasions but it was his vision for the developing colony that led to the establishment of a

settlement that became the Bathurst we now know. He was indeed significant to Bathurst!

Fill in the details on the nomination form, telling us about the person you wish to nominate and why you have chosen them. The only criteria for *Bathurst People in Time* are ...

- The person should have lived in the Bathurst area at some time in their life (there will be some exceptions such as Governor Macquarie and architect Edward Gell)
- Their achievements will be significant in the history and/or life of Bathurst
- They must be a real person – not a mythical figure or cartoon character
- You must nominate one person – not a group of people or an organisation

If the person you wish to nominate meets these criteria, fill in the form and send it in now! Nomination forms can be downloaded from our website www.bathurststartscouncil.org.au or also from www.bathurst200.com.au. Nominations close on 28 February 2015 and figures need to be completed and returned by 30 March 2015. However, the sooner your nomination is received, the more likely you will be allocated the person you nominated and the sooner you can start!



Nominations will be processed as they are received and assessed on the basis of the information you provide. Get in early as only one cut-out figure will be assigned for each nominated person ie, *Bathurst People in Time* will include only one Governor Macquarie. If your nomination is successful you will be provided with a figure and guidelines to help you with the process.



NOMINATION FORM

Nominate your *Bathurst People in Time* story

About you

Your Name:
(CONTACT PERSON for all correspondence regarding this project)

Group Name (if applicable):

Contact Address:

City: State: Postcode:

Contact Phone: Contact Email:

About your *Bathurst People in Time* nominee

The name of the person you want to nominate:

What contribution this person has made? (up to 150 words):

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Why this person is important to you? (up to 150 words):

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Please note: An additional page may be submitted but please keep to 150 words.

I/We would/would not like someone to further discuss our nomination. *(cross out whichever is not applicable)*

I/We understand that my/our *Bathurst People in Time* nomination and figure will become the property of Bathurst Regional Council. *(cross out whichever is not applicable)*

An image of the completed figure, words from the application and name(s) of the creator(s) (not the contact details) will be used in various media as promotional material and documentation of the *Bathurst People in Time* exhibition.

I/We would/would not like to apply for ownership of our figure at the conclusion of the event. NB: Figures may be used in promotional displays throughout 2015. *(cross out whichever is not applicable)*

Signed:

Mail completed nomination form to:

Bathurst People in Time, Bathurst Arts Council, PO Box 452, Bathurst NSW 2795

OR

Email to: people@bathurstcouncil.org.au

Further information may be obtained from info@bathurstcouncil.org.au or on 02 6332 2825

DO YOU LOVE TO DO STENCIL ART?

DO YOU WANT TO WIN \$250?

BE AN IMPORTANT PART OF BATHURST'S BICENTENARY CELEBRATIONS



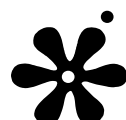
The Bathsy200 project offers an opportunity for you to create a stencil – a creative and artistic interpretation of particular sites that were important in the early years of Bathurst. The sites include the Convict Barracks between Keppel and William Streets; the two possible sites of the hanging of the Ribbon Gang; and the site of the end of Cox's Road – the first road across the Blue Mountains.

The stencils will become a permanent feature of Bathurst.

**Full details, entry forms and lots more information at
www.bathsy200.com**

**ENTRIES CLOSE
DECEMBER 19, 2014**

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Bathsy200 is a Bathurst Arts Council Project

2BS Youth Arts Awards NOMINATION FORM



The Youth Arts Award is a community award that recognises outstanding young people in our region. Proudly supported by the Bathurst Arts Council Inc, this monthly award acknowledges the work of young people in the Bathurst region who have distinguished themselves in their particular field of the arts. The monthly award comprises media recognition and a \$100 cash prize to be applied to the furthering of artistic endeavours of the individual. Monthly award winners will be eligible for the annual Bathurst Youth in the Arts Award to be presented as part of the Australia Day celebrations each year. The winner of this annual award will receive a \$500 scholarship or subsidy to be applied to a specific arts related opportunity.

Name of nominee: _____

Nominated by: _____

Seconded by (School/Community group): _____

Address of School/Community group: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Field of artistic representation: _____

Achievement for award recognition (attach separate page if needed): _____

Authorised by (School/Community group representative): _____

Role: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

2BS YOUTH ARTS AWARD RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. 1503 2BS Gold / B-Rock FM 99.3 are the sole sponsors of the monthly award.
2. The award recipient is selected by a panel of arts practitioners and administrators chaired by the Bathurst Arts Council Inc.
3. The award is open to all Bathurst youth (25 years and under) who either attend a local educational institution (including schools, TAFE or Charles Sturt University) or are members of a Bathurst community amateur arts organisation and reside in the Bathurst Regional Council area.
4. The aim of the award is to acknowledge the contribution to the Bathurst community by a young person who has distinguished themselves in their particular field of the arts and to assist them in continuing to achieve excellence in the arts.
5. Following the selection as an award recipient, the award nominee will be presented their award at an appropriate function or media opportunity, preferably by a representative of the Bathurst Arts Council. In the event that this cannot be arranged, the award will be sent to the relevant school or community group for presentation. Awards will not be sent direct to the recipient.
6. The award recipient will be required to make themselves available for an interview on 2BS radio and or for other media sources, if and where requested.
7. The award is only available to individuals and not available to groups or organisations.
8. The award does not extend to teachers, coaches or arts administrators unless the person meets the eligible age and award criteria.
9. The nomination must be made on this official form. Please provide all the information requested.
10. Nominations can be made by an individual (not related to the nominee) and then must be seconded by a school or community arts organisation to which the nominee belongs to.
11. A school teacher or community arts organisation official representative must authorise and sign nominations.
12. Completed applications should be forwarded to Bathurst Arts Council, PO Box 414 Bathurst 2795 or emailed to youthartsawards@gmail.com

Guidelines for nomination are: The nominee should be recognised within their area of the arts as having achieved a level of excellence and/or consistently apply outstanding effort with regards to the arts within their school or community arts organisation.

RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM TO

Bathurst PO Box 414 Bathurst NSW 2795 or youthartsawards@gmail.com



Save the date: Brucedale Twilight Concert & Picnic 2015

Sunday 8 March

At historic Brucedale Homestead, Sofala Rd Peel

A special Bathurst200 concert featuring local performers and an especially selected repertoire.
* Special tour to Windradayne's grave site with David Suttor before the concert
Gates open 2pm (for tour), concert 5pm
Bring a picnic, a chair, a picnic rug.
Coffee and ice creams for sale.
\$15 adults/ \$10 concession tickets at gate.



Your membership: Supporting the Arts

In 2014 Bathurst Arts Council has been focussing in on our mission statement: 'Supporting the Arts' and making that our main priority - we're continuing this in 2015. We've found that one of the best ways we can support the arts is through small amounts of funding and sponsorship to local activities, and through programs like the Youth Arts Awards.

Recently, Bathurst Arts Council has supported:

- The Bathurst Eisteddfod
- Coordinating, and co-funding with 2BS, the Youth Arts Awards
- Bathsy200 Stencil Art Project
- Peoplescape - People in Time Bathurst200 project

We'll also continue to support the arts through our weekly column in the **Western Advocate**.

Fund-raising through our activities and membership subscriptions helps us to offer this support to the Arts in the Bathurst region. Our two main sources of income are our annual membership fees and the annual Brucedale Twilight Concert & Picnic. Your support of the Arts Council and the Brucedale concert in turn supports the arts in Bathurst. If you're not a member of Bathurst Arts Council or your membership has lapsed we encourage you to rejoin. Your support is valued by the Arts Council and by the artists we support.

Bathurst Arts Council membership form 2015

Bathurst Arts Council membership are now due. Memberships run on a calendar year January-December.

Membership is (tick): \$10 concession \$15 individuals \$20 households \$30 organisations

Name/s: _____

Postal address: _____

Phone: _____

Email contact: _____

Please send my newsletter by email rather than post

RETURN THIS FORM WITH PAYMENT TO

Bathurst PO Box 414 Bathurst NSW 2795

OR direct deposit the fee, with your name to: **BSB 032 – 814 Account 15-4486**

and email the completed form to info@bathurstartscouncil.org.au

