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2026 ILLAWARRA PORTRAIT PRIZE
Terms and Conditions, Submission Form

Exhibition Dates: June 17-28
Entry Fee: $40 per entry (limited to three entries)
ENTRIES CLOSE – Friday, 23 May 2026

Prizes:

● First Prize;
 $1,000 cash, $1,000 Fantastic Framing Voucher and 2 weeks free gallery hire at Timbermill Gallery, Bulli

● Highly Commended; $500 Cash

● Curator's Choice; Artist's pack and voucher from Levers Art Supplies

● People's Choice Award; $200 & gift pack

By forwarding a completed submission form, the artist agrees to accept the terms and conditions, and that submission details are correct. The organisers retain discretion of assessment of artist or artwork in meeting the terms and conditions of entry. The organisers also reserves the right to revoke / re-award the Prize if the finalist provides false information.

Selection of works:

The successful entries for the prize are selected by a panel of guest judges, and the prize winners, are selected by distinguished local artist and dignitaries. The People's Choice Award is selected by members of the public attending the Opening Night.

The judges' decision is final, and no correspondence shall be entered into.
Prize winners will be announced at the Opening Night and published on the organisers and the Timbermill Gallery's website and social media pages.

Artists will be asked to provide additional information (such as biographical details and a statement about the work) to assist with preparation of prize-related material.

Key dates and information:

- Entry Fee: $40 per entry
- Limit of three entries per artist
- Submissions close May 23, 2026
- Artwork drop-off: June 13, between 10am and 4pm
- Exhibition dates: June 17-28
- Opening Night: Saturday, June 20, 2026
- Artworks collected: June 29, between 2pm and 4pm
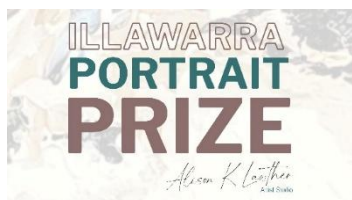- Winners announced at opening night.

Entry Terms and Conditions:

- The artist grants the organisers permission to display the work.
- Artworks must have been completed within the past 18 months.
- Must be a painting, may be in any medium (e.g. oil, acrylic, watercolour, mixed media).
- Maximum size: 105cm square (including frame).
- Works must have suitable D-rings and wire/strings and be ready for hanging.
- Artist's name, contact details and title of work must be on the back of artwork.
- Sale of artworks: 30% commission shall apply.
- Collection of artworks, by purchasers or artists shall take place on 29 June between 2pm and 4pm (non-collection fee of $5 per day will apply).
- Artworks must be original; The artist warrants that the work is their original work and does not infringe the copyright, moral rights or other rights of any third party.
- Artwork must stay at Timbermill Gallery for the duration of the Exhibition.
- It is expected that the Artist will contribute to Opening Night by attending, inviting friends/family.

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NAME:	Phone:
Email:	
If your art is sold, the organisers will contact you after the exhibition for your bank details.	

ARTWORK DETAILS: (maximum of three entries)

TITLE OF WORK:	
MEDIUM:	
DIMENSIONS (incl frame): *Maximum size: 105cm square*	
SALE PRICE:	

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PLEASE ATTACH A PICTURE OF YOUR ARTWORK FOR SUBMISSION WITH THIS FORM

SIGNATURE:_____   DATE:_____

PAYMENT DETAILS:

Send form to illawarra.portraitprize@gmail.com along with payment by bank transfer or Deliver form with payment in person BY DUE DATE, 23 May, 2026	Bank transfer to Commonwealth Bank BSB: 062 005 Acc No: 1166 5537 Acc Name: Alison Lawther *Reference*: "SURNAME Portrait Prize"