

CREATIVE DISCOVERY

WHANGAREI CENTRAL SUMMER 2022-23

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QUARRY ARTS CENTRE

The Quarry Arts Centre New Zealand's longest running arts centre. Founded in 1982 by artist Yvonne Rust, it has been home to many of Northland's finest artists, potters, and craftspeople. It's an eclectic place with a bohemian feel, located in a scenic spot just off State Highway 1. Quarry Arts features galleries, ceramics and art supplies, kilns, workshops and artist studios. There is a beautiful waterfall and many sculptures and artworks on display on the grounds. We are also home to the Te Kowhai Print Trust and a fine crafts co-op shop and the Quarry Café.

Address: 21 Selwyn Avenue
Phone: 09 438 1215
Website: www.quarryarts.org
Facebook: @quarrycentre
Instagram: @quarryarts

Opening Hours:
Yvonne Rust Gallery & Ceramics Shop: Mon-Sat 9:30 am - 4:30 pm
Co-op Shop: Mon-Sun 10 am - 4 pm
Closed 25 December - 3 January



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THE SHUTTER ROOM

The Shutter Room, a community photography gallery summer exhibition 'The Great Print Show 2022' is an exhibition of works by our members in response to the challenge of the Square Format image. Square format photography has a long tradition and has been used by renowned photographers such as Irving Penn and Diane Arbus to challenge conventional approaches to composition, portraiture and landscape. Exhibition dates: Friday, 2 December 2022 - Saturday, 28 January 2023.

Address: 7 Rust Avenue
(at the back of the Old Library)
Email: theshutterroom@gmail.com
Website: www.theshutterroom.com
Instagram: @theshutterroomnz

Opening Hours:
Wed-Fri 10:30 am - 2:30 pm
Sat 10 am - 12:30 pm
Gallery 17 December - 10 January



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MEGAN DICKINSON GALLERY

MD Gallery proudly presents high quality contemporary art by established and emerging Te Tai Tokerau artists. With a new exhibition each month and a well appointed stockroom, we offer a wide range of original artworks to suit all budgets without compromising on quality. Established in 2017, the gallery has a steadfast reputation for showing authentic and unique artworks of an internationally recognised standard. We look forward to welcoming you soon.

Address: 10-12 Rust Ave
Mobile: 027 338 1578
Email: megan@mdgallery.co.nz
Website: www.mdgallery.co.nz
Facebook: @mdgallery.co.nz

Opening Hours:
Tue-Fri 10 am - 4 pm
Sat 10 am - 2 pm
or by appointment



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JOURNEY

Journey Collab is Northland's most innovative and evolving art, design & fashion studio located in the heart of Whangarei. We are both a working studio and a contemporary retail space hosting a selection of local brands and products. It is the joint project of Local Artist & Designer Mike Paora & Ruth Gayford. Within our space we design, create, produce and sell our three in house brands - SOMg, Mercy Clothing & Sketchy Fulla. Our kaupapa here at Journey is one of connection & collaboration. We aim to uplift and support Local artisans and makers within the community.

Address: 19b Bank Street
Email: info@journeycollab.co.nz
Website: www.journeycollab.co.nz
Facebook: @JourneyCollab
Instagram: @journeycollab

Opening Hours:
December: Tue-Fri 9:30 am - 4:30 pm,
Sat 9 am - 2 pm
January: Thu-Sat 9:30 am - 4:30 pm
February: Wed-Sat 9:30 am - 4:30 pm



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THE GREENNEST GALLERY

This is a base for a uniquely kiwiana project of ceiling high sculptures built from 'retired' xmas trees. Storytelling the science of climate catastrophe through dragons, sea shells, and many larger than life characters. Plus, it's a good spot for selfies!

Address: The Strand Arcade

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sun, all day



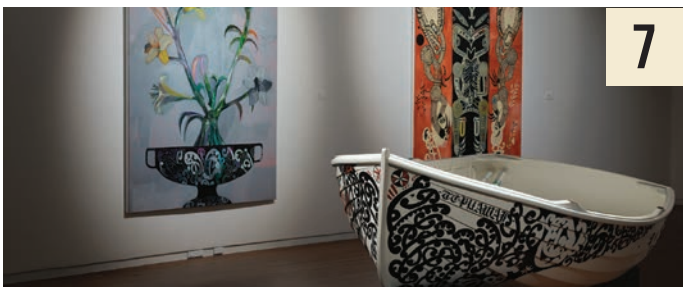
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THE MYRRH GALLERY

The Myrrh is a precious little room in The Strand for showing a small number of artists, in a variety of mediums including digital, paper tape sculptures, and drawings, with the remaining space for paintings. The gallery concentrates on figuration and representational art. Life portraiture is also on offer here.

Address: The Strand Arcade

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sun 12 pm - 5:30 pm
or open by appointment



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WAIRAU MĀORI ART GALLERY

Our gallery is the first dedicated public Māori art gallery in the world. It joins a select group of public indigenous art galleries internationally and is housed within the Hundertwasser Art Centre in Whangārei. We celebrate and showcase the best of contemporary Māori art and customary practice in Aotearoa. Māori art is made by Māori and it encompasses the full expanse of art practice. Māori art is distinctive and defining of Aotearoa. Wairau Māori Art Gallery will share real stories from living communities and reflect Māori today, both in Aotearoa and on the world stage. Haere mai!

Address: 2 Quayside, Town Basin
Phone: 09 430 4230
Email: enquiries@wairaumaoiartgallery.co.nz
Website: www.wairaumaoiartgallery.co.nz/

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sat 10 am - 5 pm
Sun 10 am - 4 pm



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HUNDERTWASSER ART CENTRE

The Hundertwasser Art Centre with Wairau Māori Art Gallery is the only authentic Hundertwasser designed building in the Southern Hemisphere exhibiting original Hundertwasser artworks. The Hundertwasser Exhibition 1973 - 2000 celebrates Friedensreich Hundertwasser and his life and legacy in New Zealand. It is the largest Hundertwasser museum exhibition outside of Vienna with original artworks, architectural models and more.

Address: 81 Dent Street
Phone: 09 430 4230
Email: enquiries@hundertwasserartcentre.co.nz
Website: hundertwasserartcentre.co.nz
Facebook: @HundertwasserArtCentre

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sat 10 am - 5 pm
Sun 10 am - 4 pm
Closed on Christmas Day



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THE BACH

The Basin Arts and Craft House is Northland's largest craft cooperative. Our spacious gallery features quality work from over 80 local artisans. This vast array of quality work includes prints, woodwork, ceramics, bags, textiles, pottery, cards, garden art and so much more. Of special interest, attracting hundreds of visitors annually is our unique 'Community Tapestry', which is being woven depicting the history of the Town Basin. Visitors are welcome at any time to experience this ancient artform on the 'have a go' tapestries and contribute to the special 'history' series.

Address: 6 Quayside, Town Basin
Phone: 09 438 2787
Website: www.thebach.gallery
Facebook: @the.bach.gallery
basin.art.and.craft.house.nz

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sun 10 am - 4 pm



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GRINTER GLASS STUDIO

At the Grinter Glass Studio, you can watch glass blowing live. See molten glass at 1140°C being gathered from the furnace. Watch the glass blowers add colours and shape this amazing material to create vibrant pieces of glass art. Every piece of glass created here is a unique piece of art. You can buy our work either in the Burning Issues Gallery, in the studio or from the galleries around New Zealand that stock our glass art; see www.keithgrinter.com for details.

Address: 8 Quayside, Town Basin
Phone: 09 438 9810
Email: keith@keithgrinter.com
Website: www.keithgrinter.com
Instagram: @GrinterGlass

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sat 10 am - 5 pm
Sun 10 am - 4 pm



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STEVE HAYWOOD MASTER JEWELLER

At Steve Haywood Master Jeweller, we can design and custom make jewellery to mark the special occasions in your life, right here in Whangārei, Northland. Everything we make is of the highest quality possible; it is made to last and comes with a lifetime guarantee! We also have range of jewellery at the Studio/Gallery in the town basin that could be described as wearable art, made by very talented artists and crafts people in Aotearoa.

Address: 10 Quayside, Town Basin
Phone: 09 438 2161
Email: steve@masterjeweller.co.nz
Website: www.masterjeweller.co.nz

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sun 10 am - 4 pm
Available for private openings and consultations



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WHANGĀREI ART MUSEUM

The Whangārei Art Museum is Northland's public art gallery, and the permanent home of the city's art collection. Free to visit and open seven days a week, the Whangārei Art Museum presents a year-round programme of exhibitions, showcasing local and national voices in powerful and provocative exhibitions.

Address: 91 Dent Street
Phone: 09 430 4240
Email: whangareiartmuseum@wdc.govt.nz
Website: whangareiartmuseum.co.nz

Opening Hours:
Mon-Sun 10 am - 4 pm



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REYBURN HOUSE ART GALLERY & SHOP

Founded in 1959, the Northland Society of Arts presents art exhibitions from both established and emerging artists in this heritage villa. This long-standing non-profit society sells artwork on behalf of Northland artists, supporting hundreds of local creatives. Located at the picturesque Town Basin, the gallery itself sits within an award-winning heritage rose garden, a delight to visit, no matter the weather. Support Northland artists by visiting our gallery shop, full of unique gifts, statement pieces, ceramics, jewellery and much much more.

Address: 17 Reyburn House Lane
Phone: 09 438 3074
Email: office@reyburnhouse.co.nz
Facebook: [@ReyburnHouseArt Gallery](https://www.facebook.com/ReyburnHouseArtGallery)

Opening Hours:
Tue-Sat 10 am - 4 pm
Sun 10 am - 2 pm
Closed on Mondays



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INNONATIVE STORE

The InnoNative Economy is whanau prosperity through indigenous collaboration locally, regionally, nationally and internationally. Bringing you a one-stop-shop for authentic, locally, hand-made products with a native twist. All small businesses are indigenous owned and operated from all around Aotearoa, brought to you by the InnoNative Economy. We have both an online store and physical store based in Whangarei.

Address: 68 Reyburn House Lane
Email: m.niha@mokonkz.co.nz
Website: www.innonative.nz
Facebook: [@innonativemarket](https://www.facebook.com/innonativemarket)
Instagram: [@innonative_](https://www.instagram.com/innonative_)

Opening Hours:
Mon-Fri 10 am - 5 pm
Sat 10 am - 2 pm
Closed 24 December - 8 January



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HIHIAUA CULTURAL CENTRE

Step off the Hatea Loop and take some time to experience the Hihiaua Cultural Centre. View the magnificent carved waka, meet creatives at work, experience the unique local artworks, and shop for special gifts. Entry is free and a warm Whangārei welcome awaits you.

Address: 56-58 Herekino Street
Website: www.hihiaua.org.nz
Facebook: [@hihiauauculturalcentre](https://www.facebook.com/hihiauauculturalcentre)

Opening Hours:
Mon-Fri 10 am - 4 pm
Sat-Sun 10 am - 2 pm
Please check Facebook for public holiday openings



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