## Canterbury **SOCIETY OF ARTS** Newsletter



17th April 1963.

Your Council, realising the need to keep members better informed, has decided to send out a NEWSLETTER not only of Society affairs but concerning the visual arts throughout Canterbury.

The 83rd ANNUAL AUTUMN EXHIBITION was opened by Mr. Paul Pascoe at a Private View on Saturday, April 6th. The first night, with the great number attending, is not always the best occasion at which to see the work displayed and as this exhibition provides the one opportunity each year to see the current work, we suggest you might enjoy a second, better, quieter look at one of the following times the Gallery is open:

> Monday to Friday: Saturday & Sunday:

10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m.

until Sunday, April 28th.

Exhibitions which follow "The Autumn" are: ASIA WEEK EXHIBITION 18th May to 3rd June. (This is not organised by the Society but may well interest members; please see the newspapers for further information).

ANDRE BROOK - One-man Show: 8th June - 16th June. Hours as for the Autumn Exhibition.

> COMING EVENTS (Dates to be announced later)

FRANK GROSS: One-man Show. THE CHRISTCHURCH STAR Secondary Schools' Art Exhibition.

TONY FOMISON: One-man Show.

SIR HERBERT READ, President of the Society of Education through Art, and of the Institute of Contemporary Arts, is to give a public lecture 'The Nature of Abstract Art' in the University Hall, Worcester Street, on Tuesday, May 7th at 7.45 p.m. This lecture is under the auspices of the N.Z. Arts Advisory Council and members of our Society are warmly invited.

For three years now this Society has sponsored the JUNIOR ART SCHOOL, a very successful Saturday morning class, from 10 to 12 a.m. for children from eight to fourteen years. This year the tutor is Mr. Tony Fomison, a graduate of the Canterbury University School of Art and a working member of the Society. The Secretary will supply fuller details.

NEW MEMBERS ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL at the Annual Meeting are: Mr. Maurice Askew, lecturer in Design at the University of Canterbury School of Art; Mr. Stewart Mair; Mrs. Vy Elsom, a portrait painter; Mr. Austin Deans, whose paintings of the Canterbury high country are widely known.

An exhibition WELL WORTH SEEING is the "NEW ZEALAND PAINTING OF TODAY" circulated by the City of Auckland Art Gallery. It will be in Christchurch from Wednesday, May 1st to Saturday, May 11th at the upstairs Common Room of the Students' Union, corner Hereford and Montreal Streets. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily and 2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday; admission is free.

During the last six months the Council has instituted the following standing committees: FINANCE: Messrs. Mair, Gross, Oakley and Wilkie.

BUILDING: Messrs. Minson, Sandston and Mair.

Messrs. Askew and Wilkie, Mrs. Forrester.

These meet regularly at times other than the monthly Council meetings. Several subcommittees have been actively engaged throughout the year, notably concerning Gallery hire policy and exhibition procedure. A sub-committee will shortly consider future picturepurchase policy and storage.

REBUILDING: The poor condition of the present galleries is serious. Our site is valuable and important, adjacent to the Courts and close to the new Civic Centre. The Building Committee hopes to have something to report in our next Newsletter.

More news from us about July.

THE NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE FOR THE COUNCIL CANTERBURY SOCIETY OF ARTS

## anierbury Society Of Afts

1、1000年度5日



Page of halikan day therefore restriction to the military of Look and the Salte of the

Date of behind and bearon; interested to beer added the control of STREET FOR AMBRIAN AUTURN EXHIBITION Was opened by My Paul Paul Auturna interest with the satisfication of the first or and the satisfication of the treet number attending, is not always the best operation at which to see the work displayed and as this exhibition provides the one opportunity each year to see the current work, we suggest you light entry's second, better, quieter look at one of the following times the callery is open:

ASIA WHEN EXHIBITION 18th May to 3rd June, (This is not organised by the Society but as well interest members; please ago to restain for further information).

ANDRE HEOOK - One-man Show: Sth June - 16th June. Nours at for the Autumn

domina, Events PRANK CROSS: One-man Show.

THE CHRISTCHURCH STAR School of School of Charles Flore.

TON'T FOR SON.

OPG-dem Slanw.

Let us.

Le

SIR HERBERT REAL Product of the Subject of Made to through Aft, and walls Institute of Contemporary Arts, is to give a public Neet or The Mature of Abstract Art in the University Hell, Worepater Struct, on Tucsday, Mil. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. The Loture that under the auspices of the N.Z. Arts Advisory Council in Locure of Conference of the N.Z. Arts Advisory Council in Locure of Conference of the N.Z. Arts Advisory Council in Locure of Conference of

Por three years now this Bookst The sponsored to Thirty School, a work a von erasy sorth Saturday morning class, from 10 to 10 to 10t ohild; from cight to fourted years. This year the tutof 12 Mr. Tony Founce, a graduate of the Cangarbury street, School of Art and a working minbor of the Sobiety. The Soors will supply fuller details.

NEW MEMBERS ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL St the gangal scoting area Mr. Maurice Askew, locturer in Deal, mest the University of Canterbury School of Arts Mr. Stewart Mairi Mas, Vy Elson, a contrait painter; Mr. Adata Deans, whose paintings of the Canterbury high country are widely known. The image was a series of the

An exhibition WEIL WORTH SHEING IS the THEW ZERLAND FAINTING OF TODAY biredaty by the City of Auckland Art Gallery. It will be in Christohurch from Wednesday, May 1st to Saturday, May 11th at the upstairs Common Room of the Students Union, corner Horseord and Montreal Streets. House are 10 and 10

Parisi to last, all morths the Council has instituted the following placeding conditions:
Thinking to the following the condition of the conditions of the conditions of the conditions of the condition of the contractor of the co consisted have been actively procedure. A sub-count the var notably consists Callers have write shortly consists future blothers will shortly consists future blothers will shortly consists future blothers.

at effection, ediscept to the Courts and close at actions. Our site is ola bus strupp edt o se eved of secon estimaco a . notfelswell tren muo nit

More news from us about July.

THE NEWSLETTER COLUMNTER