canterbury Potters Association (ind) 34 th Annual Exhibition November 8-18th 2007 canterbury Museum - Visitors' lounge Guest exhibitor Darryl Robertson

## Opening night sales procedures

Guest selector \& exhibitor
Darryl Robertson

## Exhibition Committee

Michael Michaels (CPA President), Alex Prentice, Sarah Ford, Magda Sakowska, Anu Pratap, Phillipa Trumic, Kate Walton, Lorraine Bonisch, Dorit Dolev, Anne Hill, Hawwa Moore, Sue Talbot

Catalogue
Masda Sakowska
Photography
Jim Pollard

## Exnibition Designer

Michael Michaels, Phillipa Trumic
Catalogue cover $\&$ poster design
Amy Michaels
Thanks also to all the volunteers who gave their time generously to help receive pots, select them, pack them, transport them, assist with exhibition set up, and photography. Without you, we wouldn't have an exhibition.

No work will be sold until Michael Michaels, President of the Canterbury Potters' Association, has declared the exhibition open.

On each exhibition stand are small white sales cards, which bear numbers corresponding to the works on that stand. To purchase a work, remove the corresponding white sales card, write your name and address on the back and take it to the Sales Desk where your purchase will be recorded.

Please do not remove any sales cards until the exhibition has been declared open.

A minimum of $10 \%$ of the sales price is required as a deposit.
Note: Raku and pit fired work is not intended for holding liquids

## Collection of work

Work will be available for collection from the Museum on Monday November 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, between 9 am and 11am. Work not collected at this time, can be collected from the Pot Shop, Arts Centre, Worcester Street. Christchurch. Please keep the sales card as proof of purchase and present it when you collect your work

## Darryl Robertson

Darryl Robertson was born in Reefton and lived in the small rural settlement of 30 people at Mawheraiti, twenty kilometres away. At the age of four his family moved to Nelson.

From an early age, Darryl was fascinated with the stained glass windows, sculptures and architecture. On his way home from school he would visit St Mary's church or the Suter Art Gallery, and absorb the atmosphere of these buildings which demanded respect when entering their large echoing spaces. From here the artistic feeling was set in motion. At the time, he did not understand what evoked the exciting powerful emotions from within, but later, working as an artist he understood why he had felt the way he had done as a child.

As a college student, in 1972, Darryl first became involved with clay whilst working with May and Harry Davis, both highly regarded potters. Darryl completed his training in seven studios over seven years in New Zealand; Cornwall, England; and Queensland, Australia. These included an apprenticeship with Jack Laird at Waimea Craft Pottery, New Zealand.

Darryl later travelled through 30 countries seeking art and artistic expression of many kinds, sometimes seeking places, other times finding them by chance. These experiences changed him and the way he would aim to work from that point on.

Since 1980, Darryl Robertson's works have been widely exhibited in over 260 exhibitions and collected by both New

Zealanders and overseas including in Japan, Taiwan, Singapore, USA, Italy, Germany, France, South Africa, Switzerland, Mexico and Saudi Arabia.

Robertson's works are held in many museums and art collections nationally and internationally, as well as in hundreds of corporate and private collections. Many of these works were specifically commissioned orisinal pieces for each client. He has also extensively exhibited locally, nationally and internationally (Switzerland, Italy, France, Germany, Australia, Japan, South Africa, Esypt, USA, England).

His work has gained recognition in the form of many honors and awards in both New Zealand and overseas. Of note, he was awarded in 1993 the Gold Medal and Diploma of Honour at the XIII Biennale Internationale De Ceramique Art in Vallauris, Southern France. He was also the recipient of the New Zealand Japan Foundation Grant (1993) to make artworks and sculptures, carry out lectures and held two exhibitions in Japan.

On his return to New Zealand in 1980, Darryl co-established studios in two different locations around the Nelson province before finally settling at Bronte and establishing the Bronte Gallery where he and his artist partner Lesley Jacka Robertson are the resident artists.

## Catalogue

Darryl Robertson
A. Waimea in my canoe 1,400
B. Waitua in my canoe ..... 1,400
C. Manuka jade head ..... 390
D. We two jade heads ..... 660
E. Equal but opposite ..... 1,200
F. Flying hair \#1 ..... 290
G. Flyins hair \#2 ..... 290
H. Venus ..... 310
I. Volcanic upthrust DNA \#1 ..... 1,100
J. Volcanic upthrust DNA \#2 ..... 1,100
K. Over my shoulder ..... 960
L. Landform - two points of view ..... 1,600
Lorraine Bonisch

1. Raku wall bottle - large ..... 70
2. Raku wall bottle - small ..... 80
3. Raku wall bottle - medium ..... 80
Yvonne Chians
4. Basket ..... 220
5. Bowl ..... 200
Steve Dench
6. Pumpkin pot 1 ..... 80
Dorit Dolev
7. Iron dish ..... 120
8. Iron dish ..... 60
9. Iron dish ..... 80
Erica d'Stewart
10. Angel and fishes flying by ..... 220
11. Tomboy ..... 280
12. Upstream ..... 220
Frederika Ernsten
13. Bottle ..... 76
14. Bowl ..... 68
15. Bowl ..... 54
16. Bowl ..... 36
17. Vase ..... 86
18. Vase ..... 96

19. Vase ..... 52
20. Bottle ..... 56
Mary Lou Foate
21. Mounted tile ..... 100
22. Mounted tile ..... 100
23. Mounted tile ..... 110
Sarah Ford
24. Carolina on my mind ..... 400
25. Sweeping cobwebs from the edge of my mind ..... 350
26. While I dance ..... 300
Renate Galetzka
27. Beaded candle stand small ..... 180
28. Beaded candle stand small ..... 180
29. Beaded candle stand medium ..... 210
30. Beaded candle stand medium ..... 210
31. Beaded candle stand large ..... 240
32. Beaded candle stand large ..... 240
Neil Hey
33. Blue bowl 1 ..... 50
34. Blue bowl 2 ..... 98
35. Blue bowl 3 ..... 160
36. Serving bowl ..... 115
37. Side bowl, set of four ..... 125
38. Platter of colours 1 ..... 185
39. Platter of colours 2 ..... 148
40. Bowl of colours ..... 155

Mary Koh
41. Natural II ..... 120
Yi-Ming Lin
42. Rolling horse ..... 700
43. Teapot set ..... 160
44. Still life ..... 450
Joy McKelvey
45. Lily vase ..... 70
46. Lily vase ..... 60
47. Lily vase ..... 50
48. Speckled lily vase ..... 70
49. Speckled lily vase ..... 60
Amy Michaels
50. Standing tall two ..... 250
51. On top ..... 330
52. High stools ..... 350
Michael Michaels
53. 'Head of a figure' after Spedos a/p ..... 895
54. 'Head of a figure' after Spedos a/p ..... 895
55. 'Head of a figure' series $\mathrm{a} / \mathrm{p}$ ..... 250
56. 'Head of a figure' series $a / p$ ..... 250
57. 'Head of a figure' series $a / p$ ..... 250
58. 'Head of a figure' series $a / p$ ..... 250


Seiji Miyajima
59. White lady ..... 650
60. Heart lady ..... 650
Hawwa Moore
61. Pair of plates ..... 150
Gaye Morton
62. Small flansed bowl ..... 35
63. Medium flanged bowl ..... 45
64. Large flanged bowl ..... 55
65. Large flanged bowl ..... 55
66. Medium flansed bowl ..... 45
67. Small flansed bowl ..... 35
Akane Nakao
68. Beaker ..... 50
69. Beaker ..... 50
70. Beaker ..... 50
71. Beaker ..... 45
72. Beaker ..... 45
Jane O'Neill
73. Offering II ..... 150
74. A box for dreams ..... 300
75. A box to keep the soul safe ..... 300
Ann O'Sullivan
76. Bear bowl ..... 20
Ranae Palatchie
77. Tea cup ..... 30
78. Gold vase ..... 55
Anu Pratap
79. Untitled ..... 250
80. Untitled ..... 180
Alex Prentice
81. Blue kelp ..... 30
82. Hotplate ..... 30
83. Hotplate ..... 30
Linda Pringle
84. Pacific shield ..... 200
85. Pacific shield ..... 200
86. Pacific shield ..... 200
87. Pacific shield ..... 200
Hugh Ricard
88. Large koru bowl ..... 250
89. Medium silver fern bowl ..... 195
90. Small silver fern bowl ..... 150
91. Small silver fern bowl ..... 150
92. Blackberry vase ..... 75
93. Blackberry vase ..... 75
94. Blackberry vase ..... 60


Margaret Ryley
95. Pot ..... 750
96. Pot ..... 750
97. Pot ..... 750
Masda Sakowska
98. Green oyster bowl ..... NFS
99. Copper oyster bowl (large) ..... 55
100. Copper oyster bowl (small) ..... 45
101. Copper twin oyster bowls ..... 55
Joy Swafford
102. Flight of fancy ..... 250
103. Withinwithout ..... 250
Rosemary Thompson
104. Bird vessel ..... 160
105. Bird vessel ..... 170
106. Nikau box ..... 170
107. Nikau box ..... 195
Phillipa Trumic
108. Bowl ..... 80
109. Set of three bowls ..... 160
Liz Walker
110. Wave of fire - bowl ..... 110
111. Wave of fire - bowl ..... 110
112. Wave of fire - bowl ..... 110


113. Cabernet/shiraz - bottle ..... 115
114. Cabernet/shiraz - bottle ..... 115
115. Cabernet/shiraz - vase ..... 115
Kate Walton
116. Turquoise mugs (pair) ..... 60
117. Turquoise mugs (pair) ..... 60
Alex Watson
118. Terracotta pot 1 ..... 240
119. Terracotta pot 2 ..... 240

First time exhibitors

We are a forty-four year old association with nearly 100 members in Christchurch and the Canterbury region. We are a sociable group interested in all aspects of pottery, and we welcome members who wish to learn more about our craft. We offer pottery classes for adults during the school terms, and for youns people during vacations. These classes, in which many Canterbury potters started off, cater for both experienced potters and absolute beginners. All classes are open to non-members.

Each year we present this regional exhibition in the Canterbury Museum and during the year a variety of more social events like open days and outdoor firings. We have facilities for a wide range of pottery techniques. These include three electric kilns a gas kiln, electric wheels, a four-inch extruder, pus mill, glaze spray booth and an extensive library, which includes a collection of videos.

## The Avice Hill Memorial Prize

This prize has been established to honour the memory of Avice Hill, devoted supporter of the craft of pottery and generous benefactor to the Canterbury Potters Association, who over many years sought to encourage excellence in ceramics.

The prize is awarded to a first time exhibitor who demonstrates outstanding potential in the craft of the potter. This award is selected by the Guest Selector, CPA President and immediate past president.

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Avice Hill Reserve
395 Memorial Avenue
Christchurch
Phone 3589467

Pottery Classes for

- Absolute besinners
- Experienced potters
- Youns people, after school
- Special needs adults
- School holiday programmes

Our workshop is set in the gardens of the Avice Hill Reserve at 395 Memorial Avenue.

For more information, phone (03) 3589467 or check out our details online under Affiliated Clubs at www.nzpotters.com.

