



Callan Park Gallery

For Self-Taught and Outsider Art

Black & White and Scottie Wilson

Curated by Colin Rhodes

Professor Colin Rhodes launched the Callan Park Gallery and the Self-Taught and Outsider Art Research Collection (STOARC) in 2009. STOARC is a unique international centre for the study and promotion of self-taught and outsider art in Australia and internationally.

The latest show is devoted in one space to the internationally famous outsider Scottie Wilson, while the other is a selection of artists working in black and white. Scottie Wilson (1891 – 1972), real name Louis Freeman, was a Glaswegian peddler and sometime antique dealer turned artist. He was a great favourite of the surrealists and his work was collected by Picasso, among others. The exhibition comprises two original hand-painted plates and a major drawing by Wilson, alongside a selection of his dinnerware designs, which were commissioned by Royal Worcester in the 1960s.

Black & White, is an exhibition of works by a selection of Outsider artists that use only black and white. Artists include classics Madge Gill and Malcolm McKesson, well-known Australians Phillip Heckenberg, Jodie Noble and Damian Michaels, and established and emerging international artists James Lancaster, Donald Mitchell, Damian LeBas, Kenneth Rasmussen and Gérard Sendrey.

Rhodes says, 'This is a rare opportunity to see work by some of the major figures of outsider art, as well as less familiar names. By turns extraordinarily subtle and powerfully intense, this is a selection to stimulate reflection on the nature of creativity.'

Black & White and Scottie Wilson will be on display to Friday 8 July 2011

Gallery hours: By appointment
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1. Phillip Heckenberg (Australia)
2. Damian LeBas (UK, b. 1963)
3. Damian Michaels (Australia, b. 1969)
4. Donald Mitchell
5. Malcolm McKesson (USA, 1909 - 1999)
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11. Madge Gill (UK, 1882 - 1961)
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21. Madge Gill (UK, 1882 - 1961)
22. Jodie Noble (Australia, b. 1981)
23. Gérard Sendrey (French, b. 1928)
24. Gérard Sendrey (French, b. 1928)
25. Kenneth Rasmussen (Denmark, b. 1971)
26. Kenneth Rasmussen (Denmark, b. 1971)
27. James Lancaster (UK b. 1960)