

# KALAMUNDA ART AWARDS 2025

ART AWARDS APPLICATION PACK



ZIGZAG  
GALLERY



The City of Kalamunda is proud to present the 2025 Art Awards. Held annually at the Zig Zag Gallery, the Kalamunda Art Awards is a supportive arts prize that will showcase a diverse range of multi-disciplinary artworks from talented artists around Western Australia.

This is an open exhibition inviting all artists to apply and will showcase artworks by established and emerging artists from Kalamunda and beyond. The City of Kalamunda Art Awards are proudly sponsored by White Room Framing Studios.

Please read below all the important information regarding your application.

## Key Dates



Entries close 12pm



Successful applicants notified by 5pm



Successful artworks delivered between 10am–2pm



Awards night and presentations open to all from 6pm



Exhibition open until Sunday 6 April



People's Choice Award announced via website and socials



Unsold artworks collected by 2pm

## Exhibition Information

Approximately 65 artworks will be short-listed. The Gallery will have a pre-selection process which will involve selecting pieces based on the following criteria –

- Quality of work.
  - Skill and technique.
  - Strength of concept.
  - Communication of ideas and/or emotions.
  - Uniqueness.
- » The total prize pool will be \$4,300.
- » All unsold artworks must be collected by 2pm on Monday 7 April 2025.
- » Entries are limited to one artwork per artist.
- » Prices, titles, and other entry details cannot be altered after the entries close on Monday 17 February 2025. No late entries will be accepted. Please attach a high-quality image of the whole artwork with your application. If your work is framed, this must be included in the image.

## Payment and Entry Forms

- Please apply through the online portal. If that's not possible, send applications as a pdf email attachment to [zzgallery@kalamunda.wa.gov.au](mailto:zzgallery@kalamunda.wa.gov.au) as well as an image of your work.
- Artists with works that are shortlisted for exhibition will be required to pay a \$30 exhibition fee.

## Award Categories

**\$3,000**

**Overall  
Winner**

**\$500**

**Aboriginal &  
Torres Strait  
Islander Award**

**\$500**

**Kalamunda  
Residents'  
Award**

**\$300**

**People's  
Choice  
Award\***

\*Based on votes collected  
throughout the exhibition period

# Application Details

## Personal Details

Name	
Address	
State	Postcode
Phone	Email

## Artwork Details

Title	
Medium	Year Created
Dimension (WxHxmm)	Price

## Original Artwork Declaration

I declare that the artwork entered in the Kalamunda Art Awards 2025 is my own original work and have been completed in the year 2024–2025.	
Name	Signature
I have read, understood and accept the rules and conditions of this competition.	
Name	Signature
Date	
Please send through a copy of this application with a high-quality image and a 50 to 100 word artwork statement to <a href="mailto:zzgallery@kalamunda.wa.gov.au">zzgallery@kalamunda.wa.gov.au</a>	
<b>If you do not attach an image, your application will not be considered eligible.</b>	

If successful, please note the dates below for the delivery and pick up of your artworks.

## Delivery of Artworks:

All artworks will be delivered to the Zig Zag Gallery at 50 Railway Road, Kalamunda between 10am and 2pm Monday 10 March 2025.

## Pick up of Artworks:

At the conclusion of the exhibition Artists or their agents (with signed authority) must arrange the collection of their unsold artworks by 2pm Monday 7 April, 2024. The Gallery will take no responsibility for artworks after this time.

# Conditions of entry

1. An exhibition fee of \$30 will apply to each work shortlisted for the exhibition. Entrants whose work is not shortlisted will not be required to pay an exhibition fee.
2. All entrants must complete the Competition Entry Form.
3. Entrants must submit a high-quality image (300dpi or greater) of their artwork with their application form.
4. Entries are limited to one artwork per artist only. All works are eligible for the overall prize.
5. Artists over the age of 18 are invited to submit work for the Kalamunda Art Awards.
6. The artwork must be an original work of the artist and not contravene any copyright law.
7. Artworks must be produced by the entrant between December 2023 and February 2025.
8. All media welcome, including and not limited to painting, drawing, printmaking, sculpture, mixed media, and photography.
9. All pieces must be for sale. These will be retained on display until the end of the exhibition period.
10. All artworks must be suitably presented and ready for exhibition. Non-standard display equipment specific to the artwork must be supplied by the artist. Special requirements must be discussed with the Gallery Curator prior to installation. Any works not filling this requirement will be returned to the exhibitor.
11. 2D works are not to exceed 100cm x 100cm. All 2D works must include suitable framing to hang the artwork for public display using D rings or similar. Photographic clip frames and single string cords or wire will not be accepted.
12. 3D works are not to exceed 100cm x 100cm or weigh more than 15kg. Where a plinth or base are required, if your work is a successful entry, please consult with the Gallery Curator.
13. The Zig Zag Gallery will take 30% commission on all sales.
14. The work must be packaged and clearly labelled with your name, contact details, title and price of work.
15. Entrants will agree to digital images being created of your work for promotional purposes and credit given where possible.
16. Administration of sales and payment to artists may take up to four weeks after the closing of the exhibition.
17. Artists must recognise that their entries are on public display in a public venue and are therefore subject to the risk of damage due to unforeseen circumstances and actions of the public. Therefore, it is the artist's responsibility to provide insurance for their work. Entrants will not hold the organisers, its officials, volunteers, employers, agents and public servants, responsible for any claims of whatever kind or nature to any person or to any property arising out of or in conjunction with the Kalamunda Art Awards and the City of Kalamunda.
18. All artworks will be judged. The Gallery will implement a pre-selection process, where a selection panel will be formed to shortlist works for exhibition. There will then be two judges to decide which short-listed works will win the awards. The judges' decision will be final, and no correspondence will be entered into .
19. Sales are made for the duration of the award exhibition, during normal Gallery opening hours.
20. Sale of Artworks will require the artist to supply the Gallery with their relevant banking details. Please note that the administration of sales and payment to artists may take up to four weeks after the closing of the exhibition.
21. The gallery reserves the right to not exhibit works that contain culturally insensitive or appropriative material.