



A PROJECT OF
THIRROUL-AUSTINMER
LIONS CLUB
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Instructions for collection of boards and presentation of entries for 9 x 5 exhibition

Boards measuring 9 x 5 inches are provided by the Lions Club and can be collected from:

Horizon Credit Union, Lawrence Hargrave Drive, North Thirroul
Christine Hill, 2 Roxburgh Ave, Thirroul
Beach Framing, 13 George St Thirroul

The following guidelines should be followed:

- We envisage that most will be displayed *without frames*, but if you prefer to frame yours please feel free to do so.
- **Whether framed or unframed all boards must be ready to hang** when delivered to the exhibition.
- If you choose not to frame you must use a **12mm thick** MDF (or ply) board cut to size (as supplied by Lions). The 12mm thickness is essential to allow for a hanging device to be fitted: ie D-rings with a cord, or a *centrally* drilled hole large enough to accommodate the hook on the display panel.
- If you prefer to provide your own unframed boards please ensure they are thick enough for you to attach a suitable hanging device – minimum 12mm.
- If you intend to frame your work, you could use a thinner 9x5" board but these must be provided by you. Please note that, if framed, the maximum size must not exceed about 11" x 7". There is no scope to hang *framed* works with large mats between the painting and the frame.
- You should prime the board before painting with Artists' Gesso (or acrylic house-paint).
- You may cover it with another working surface such as canvas or paper.
- You **may use a 9" x 5" stretched canvas** rather than a board if you wish.