

# **Terms & Conditions**



# **ABOUT THE POP-UP PROJECT & EA EXPERIENCE:**

For years, artists and creatives across the Southern Highlands have been calling for more opportunities to reach the public, share their stories and grow their practice beyond a once-a-year event. After two years of working on the Southern Highlands Arts Trail, EA Experience, in collaboration with a passionate collective of artists, founded The Pop-Up Project, a year-round platform created by artists, for artists.

Established in 2021, The Pop-Up Project was designed to give Southern Highlands artists more visibility, more opportunities to open their studios, and more ways to connect with their community. The goal: support artists to tell their story, build their brand, and most importantly, sell more art.

#### **Proud Presenter of the 2025 Angels In Our Town Art Prize**

The Angels In Our Town Art Prize 2025, with the theme "Echoes of Kindness," is an annual non-acquisitive art prize presented by Angels In Our Town in partnership with The Pop-Up Project and Centennial Vineyards. It celebrates how small acts can ripple through communities

#### Overview

- Event description: The Angels In Our Town Art Prize 2025, with the theme "Echoes of Kindness," is an annual non-acquisitive art prize presented by Angels In Our Town in partnership with The Pop-Up Project and Centennial Vineyards. It celebrates how small acts can ripple through communities
- Venue & exhibition period: Held at Centennial Vineyards, 252 Centennial Road,
  Bowral. Exhibition will run Thursday, 25 September to Thursday, 27 November 2025,
  open daily 10 am-5 pm
- Prizes: First Prize \$2,000; Second Prize \$750; People's Choice \$500

#### **Eligibility & Entry**

- Eligible participants: Open to Southern Highlands-based artists across all mediums including painting, sculpture, photography, textiles, and mixed media.
- Entry limit: Maximum one entry per artist
- Entry fee: \$45 per artwork (\$35 for Pop-Up Project members)

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# **Submission Requirements**

Materials to submit:

- · High-quality image of the artwork.
- A short written response to the theme.
- Paid entry fee submitted at time of entry.

Submission method: Entries via the online form

- Deadline: Sunday, 19 October 2025
- Open: Friday 31 October Thursday 29 January 2026, 10am-5pm daily
- Close & Bump Out: Thursday 29 January, 9.30am-10.30am

### **Delivery & Collection of Artwork**

- Delivery (Bump-in): Wednesday 29 October, 10am-4pm
- Opening Night: Tentatively scheduled for Friday, 31 October 2025, 5:30 pm for a 6 pm start
- Exhibition open to the public: Friday 31 October Thursday 29 January 2026, 10am-5pm daily
- Collection (Bump-out): Thursday 29 January, 9.30am-10.30am

#### Note for artists:

- Remove all packaging materials at time of delivery.
- Responsible for transport, insurance, and removal of their work.
- Must supply own installation equipment (e.g., plinths) if required
- Entry fees are non-refundable.

#### Sales & Commission

- Non-acquisitive exhibition: Artists retain ownership.
- Commission: Minimum 30% commission from all sales goes to Angels In Our Town to support first responders and community volunteers
- Sales logistics: All finalist artworks are exhibited and available for sale across the two-month exhibition period

## **Rights & Responsibilities**

# Artist's responsibilities:

- Ensure artwork is their original work, and they hold all copyrights and rights to exhibit or sell it.
- Take responsibility for transport, installation, insurance, and removal.
- Cover any special equipment needs (plinths, etc.)

# **Exhibitor's indemnity:**

 Artists indemnify the organisers (Angels In Our Town, The Pop-Up Project, EA Experience) against any loss, damage or legal costs arising from any breach (e.g., infringement of copyright)

#### **Commission & Charity**

• Purpose of commission: Supports Angels In Our Town's initiatives to honour and assist first responders and community volunteers

#### **Refunds & Cancellation**

• Entry fees are strictly non-refundable, even in the event of withdrawal or cancellation

#### **Liability & Insurance**

- Artists are fully responsible for transporting, insuring, and removing their own artworks.
- Organisers are not liable for damage, theft, or loss—it's the artist's responsibility to insure their work.

#### **Disclaimers & Changes**

- Organisers reserve the right to make changes to the exhibition schedule, rules, submission process, or opening night as needed.
- Participants will be notified of any material changes in a timely manner.

#### **Privacy & Contact**

- Privacy: Artist contact details are used only for administrative communication purposes and not shared without consent.
- Queries & assistance: Contact Erin Adams via email at <u>erin@eaexperience.com.au</u> or by phone at 0410617262

#### **Governing Law**

- These Terms & Conditions are governed by the laws of New South Wales, Australia.
- Any disputes to be resolved under the exclusive jurisdiction of courts in New South Wales.

#### COPYRIGHT RELEASE FORM FOR WRITTEN WORK, IMAGES, ARTWORK

I hereby grant to THE POP-UP PROJECT/EAEXPERIENCE permission to use all images submitted as part of my application. I understand I am giving permission for my images to be used to promote Arts and Culture in the region. I certify that no other individual or parties hold copyright interest in any of the work(s) submitted, that I hold all rights to said works, and that the license granted herein does not violate any third-party rights or applicable laws. I hereby certify and covenant that I am of legal age (a parent or legal guardian must sign for a minor), or if applicable, that I am authorised to sign.

- 1. Artwork must be original
- 2. Artwork must be done by local artists
- 3. Artwork must be hung professionally, be well lit and include neat labels
- 4. Avoid crowding the artwork