



Would you like to be a fish artist
for 2020-2021?

Judges Choice Winner 2019/2020

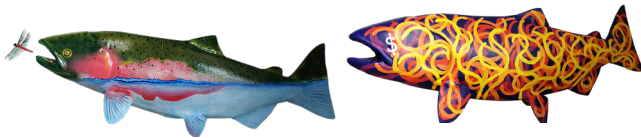


Battlefish - Karen Hansen

Judges Choice Runner Up 2019/2020



Dreamer
Bonnie Steere



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Celebrating Rotorua Lakes and Fisheries

There are 16 lakes in the Rotorua region, 15 are fishable lakes of varying sizes and depth. The stock is predominantly rainbow trout, plus some brook and tiger trout present. All lakes are easily accessible by car and most can be fished from the shoreline or by wading however a small boat opens up much more fishing opportunity.

Major fishing lakes are Rotorua, Rotoiti, Tarawera, Okataina and Rotoma. All lakes are open 365 days except for some gazetted areas on Tarawera, Rotoiti and Okataina. These trophy lakes are closed to boat fishing over the winter period (1 July – 30 September) though certain shoreline areas remain open to land based angling year round. Talk to staff at any of the tackle stores for information about access, regulations, tackle advice or visit

🌐 fishandgame.org.nz/eastern

📱 @FishOutOfWaterRotorua

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Call for Artists

Summer 2020-2021

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Join us in celebrating Rotorua's magnificent lakes and fishery and our 16th year of Fish out of Water!

Create a unique and memorable fish that is released into the inner city streets as part of the annual Fish out of Water Art Trail, where they will cavort during the festive summer season.

12 lucky fish are looking for artists who will 'transform' them for their stay on the land - after all they want to look their best!

Are you one of these artists or a group or artists?
With limited fish stock, we need you to 'bid' your idea for a fish.

There are prizes up for grabs, including the People's Choice Award and the Judge's Award. All participating artists will receive a personalised certificate.

Important Dates

Friday 9 October: Entries open

Thursday 5 November: Entries close

Sunday 8 November: Artists notified

Thursday 12 November, 5.30pm-6.15pm: Project briefing and meet your fish @ The Arts Village

Friday 13 November until Monday 14 December: Transform your fish

Tuesday 15 December, 5.30pm-6.15pm: Finished fish returned @ The Arts Village for meet and greet with all fish, hosts and artists.

Saturday 19 December: Beginning of fish in residence for Fish out of Water Art Trail for 2020-2021.

Rules

Fish remain the property of the Rotorua Lakes Council, although you may be able to negotiate a period for exhibition

Be creative and innovative. Let's make sure our fish don't become advertising devices!

Please note in considering MATERIALS to use:

- Fish are reused each year, so it is important that they are not permanently altered or damaged, they should only need sanding and primer coat to prepare for next years trail.

- Materials chosen need to withstand the elements and daily moving, however also need to be easily removed at end of project. (Also applies to glues, adhesives and fixatives)

- They will not cause risk to public safety.

- Use of acrylic paint is encouraged

Artists must be able to collect and deliver back their fish as per the dates listed. (unless arranged otherwise arranged with the project co-ordinator in advance)

ENTRIES CLOSE Thursday 5 November 2020

Make sure your Fish out of Water entry states:

Attention... FOOW Project Coordinators Jill Walker & Sophie Perry (envelope or subject line)

Deliver or post to: The Arts Village,
1240 Hinemaru Street, Rotorua 3010.
OR Scan and email to: foowrotorua@gmail.com

Entry Form

Name(s).....

Phone (mobile).....

Email.....

Address.....

MY FISH BID (idea)

Fish Name.....

Fish Idea (please describe in 50 words or less)

Indication of Planned Materials

I understand that in taking part in the Fish out of Water project I agree to abide to the rules as outlined.

Signed.....

Date.....