

Councillor Peter Blackmore, Mayor of the City of Maitland, the Councillors of Maitland City Council together with Brigette Uren, Cultural Director of Maitland Regional Art Gallery warmly invite you to,

The launch of the Summer Program

SATURDAY 5 DECEMBER 2015

Entry is free! Everyone is welcome!

2.00 pm | **CURATOR TALK**

by **Melanie Pitkin**

Assistant Curator
Museum of Applied Arts & Sciences

2.30 pm | **ARTISTS' TALK**

by **Mai-Wel Artists**

3.00 - 5.00 pm | **LAUNCH: 6 EXHIBITIONS**

to be officially opened by **Dolla Merrillees**

Director Curatorial, Collections & Exhibitions
Museum of Applied Arts & Sciences

6 exhibitions | 20+ artists | 40+ events & workshops

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Cover: Peter Speight, *Hammer Head* (detail), 2004, timber, paint and metal, 86 x 64 x 34 cm, on loan from private collection.
1. Lloyd Rees, *Tree at Caloola* (detail), 1980, lithograph, 50 x 65 cm. © Lloyd Rees/Licensed by Viscopy, 2015. 2. *Muslim fashion bloggers Delina Darusman-Gala and Mya Arifin with a group of friends* (detail), Photo: Marince Kojdanovski. © Powerhouse Museum, Sydney. 3. Stephen King, *Bert* (detail), 2010, stringy bark, 200 x 340 x 50 cm. 4. Lucinda Williams, Briety Dorahy, Lianna Creighton, Alexandra Rennie, Shae Pittman, Chantel Trent, Bradley Rowe, Sandra Redgrove, Dianne Melrose, Denise Stephenson (facilitator), *In Bloom* (detail), 2015, acrylic paint and mixed media on canvas. 5. Euan Heng, *Normandy Livestock* (detail), 1997, linocut on paper, 27 x 20.7 cm. 6. Peter Speight, *Tree* (detail), 2001, timber and paint, 47 x 21 x 50 cm, on loan from Lynette Speight.





1.

LLOYD REES LITHOGRAPHS

from the MRAG Collection

28 November 2015 - 7 February 2016



2.

FAITH, FASHION, FUSION:

Muslim women's style in Australia

28 November 2015 - 28 February 2016



3.

STEPHEN KING:

Sculpture

5 December 2015 - 31 January 2016



4.

IN BLOOM

Mai-Wel Artists

5 December 2015 - 31 January 2016



5.

EUAN HENG

from the MRAG Collection

5 December 2015 - 7 February 2016



6.

AGAINST CONVENTION

Peter Speight

5 December 2015 - 7 February 2016

*A travelling exhibition developed by the
Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences, Sydney*



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Tamworth Regional Gallery.*

Summer 2015-16 exhibitions