



YPC ARTIST IN RESIDENCE at Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat 3-16 June 2024

INFORMATION

Application opens 18th March 2024
Application closes 15th April 2024 midnight
Successful artist notified end of April 2024

The two-week YPC Artist in Residence is offered in partnership with the YP Arts & Culture Working Group and Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat Artist Residency Program located at Warooka, Southern Yorke Peninsula – Guuranda.

This inaugural residency program vision is to provide the opportunity for a local artist (Yorke Peninsula Council resident) to immerse themselves in their art. Ballara is located not far from the extraordinary natural beauty of Dhilba Guuranda – Innes National Park and is on the traditional country of the Narungga people. It is a rare and beautiful landscape steeped in history and cultural significance for artists to pursue their practice while immersed in the beauty of the Dhiba Guuranda coastal and landscape environment. It is also a haven for many rare and endangered plants and animals.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

The application must present the following:

- A brief description of your practice. (Maximum 500 words)
- Outline the benefit of the residency to either your professional development or the successful realisation of your project or both (Maximum 500 words)
- Outline how you propose to interact with the wider community, materials, maximum number and expected skill level of participants and equipment needed. Please note, the capacity to engage the local community – artist & young people, in your activity will be assessed as part of the selection criteria. This could include collaborative projects and workshops. (Maximum 500 words)
- Files to be accessible via file share link (this can include links to images, music, performance, etc) Sound or video to a maximum of 10 minutes. Writing up to a maximum of 10 pages.
- Provide the contact information of two referees.
- Artist CV.

Community Engagement is an integral element to the residency. The artist in residence will be expected to develop a proposal of how they intend to engage with local artists and community members through the delivery of either of the following or a combination:

- Arts community workshop - support skills development in the Yorke Peninsula community, as part of the residency. The workshop can be held at Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat during the residency. If needing a larger space, the Warooka Town Hall can be booked.
- Exhibition at Baker Brothers, Warooka.
- Open Day – share your art practice with local artists and community.
- Meet & greet with other local YP artists – Ballara have regular fortnightly gatherings for artist to come together.
- Visit the local schools - share your art and possibility to do an art session with students.

- Ballara Afterschool art workshop – negotiate with Ballara to deliver an art session with young people who attend.
- Performance – musicians can perform at an inhouse concert at Ballara, Warooka Town Hall or place of your choosing in the Yorke Peninsula Council area.

The artist is also asked to consider the donation of an artwork from their residency to the YP Arts & Culture Working Group to be displayed at the Yorke Peninsula Council.

Relationship with the local community is supported and artists will have the opportunity to meet with the local arts community members and will be supported to ensure the community feels welcome and able to engage with the project.

The inaugural Artist in Residence program is an initiative of the YP Arts & Culture Working Group led by Sonya Rankine, Arts & Cultural Facilitator position, Creatives Communities Partnership Program between Country Arts SA, and Yorke Peninsula Council.

Eligibility

- All Australian permanent residents over the age of 18 are eligible to apply.
- Resident of Yorke Peninsula Council area.
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists are strongly encouraged to apply.

Selection Panel

- The panel will include Sonya Rankine (Arts & Culture Facilitator – Yorke Peninsula Council & Country Arts SA) and the YP Arts & Culture Working Group

Notification

- Applicants will be notified by end of April 2024 as to the success of an application.

WHAT DOES THIS RESIDENCY INCLUDE?

Residency budget

Funded by Yorke Peninsula Council and Country Arts SA, Creative Communities Partnership Program.

Item	Amount
Artist Fee	\$2000
Ballara Accommodation: 3-16 June 2024	\$1300
Artist fuel/travel allowance	\$500
Artist Living away from home allowance	\$700
Workshop materials	\$500
TOTAL	\$5000

Payment to artist

The successful artist will be paid an Artist fee, \$2000 (excluding GST) to be paid in two stages:

- \$1500 artist fee at the commencement of the residency (invoice required 2 weeks prior to residency).
- \$500 artist fee upon receipt of their final report with invoice.

Expenses covered by the residency

- Accommodation at Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat. [Artist Residency Program | ballara \(ballararetreat.com.au\)](http://ballararetreat.com.au)
- Costs associated with studio.
- \$500 for workshop materials (invoice required 2 weeks prior to residency).

Travel and Accommodation allowances

- A fuel/travel budget of \$500 will be paid to the artist (invoice required 2 weeks prior to residency).
- A living away from home allowance to be paid to the artist of \$350 per week (\$700 in total) for the period of the residency (invoice required 2 weeks prior to residency).

Project Reporting

- The artist in residence will provide YP Arts & Culture Working Group with a report at the end of the project. Reporting documents will include an overview of activities, key goal indicators achieved, documentation of the project visually with photographs.

WHAT ELSE DO I NEED TO KNOW?

Group Application

This residency program is intended for one artist. Applicants wanting to jointly apply with another artist or as part of a group are eligible to do so but should note that the living allowance will not be increased. Ballara accommodation sleeps up to 6 (1 queen bed, 1 double bed & 2 single beds)

Additional Guests at Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat

Members of the artist's family or friends are welcome to stay during this period. There is a maximum of six people allowed. You will need to advise Country Arts SA and Ballara Arts & Lifestyle Retreat Management of any additional guests that will be accompanying you before the residency commences.

Bond and Rental Fees

A bond of \$400 is required to be paid up front directly to Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat prior residency beginning. The artist is responsible for repair costs where damage has been incurred during the residency period.

General maintenance repairs are the responsibility of Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat. The final payment of \$400 shall be paid upon satisfactory inspection of the accommodation following the artist residency.

Rental fees are covered for the period the artist is in residence.

The Artist is responsible for providing:

- Food and consumables
 - Bring your own food supplies or can purchase from FoodWorx (small supermarket) in Warooka or Foodland at Yorketown (20km/15 minute drive)
 - Warooka Hotel – lunch and dinner available
 - Coffee Van located in Main Street, Warooka (across the road from Ballara)
- Own materials
- Public liability insurance (copy to provided prior to residency)

Communications

- Mobile phone reception is varied dependent on provider and location.

Climate

- Weather conditions range from very hot in the summer, to very cold and frosty during the winter months.

Location

- **Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat** is located in main street of Warooka in the Southern Yorke Peninsula. A beautiful old stone home built in the early 1900s, Ballara can accommodate up to 6 adults in 3 rooms, with shared bathroom. The house sits on 4 town blocks surrounded by art-inspired gardens. A large outdoor entertaining area has wonderful views across rural countryside down to the ocean only 5km away. Perfect for artistic inspiration! [Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat \(ballararetreat.com.au\)](http://ballararetreat.com.au)
- Guuranda, Yorke Peninsula is renowned for its stunning coastal landscape, native flora and fauna, and the stunning Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park. In late 2020, we celebrated the 50th anniversary of the proclamation of Innes National Park and the start of a new chapter with the commencement of a co-management agreement with the Narungga traditional owners. In recognition of this milestone, the park was renamed to Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park. [Dhilba... - National Parks and Wildlife Service South Australia](#)

How do I get there?

- Ballara is located at 56 Main Street, Warooka.
- Ballara is located in the heart of Warooka and is a 50km drive to Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park.

Ballara Art & Lifestyle Retreat amenities & utilities

- 1 bedroom– sleeps 2 (queen bed)
 - 1 bedroom – sleeps 2 (double bed)
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 - Shared bathroom – toilet, vanity basin, bath and shower
 - Additional toilet in laundry
 - Laundry – includes washing machine & dryer
 - Kitchen – equipped with electric stoven/oven, fridge, sink, all crockery and cutlery
 - Lounge – with sofa and 2 armchairs, wood fireplace, air conditioner
 - Dining table with seating for eight people
 - Outdoor verandah, table and seating, outdoor electric heating
 - Outdoor bath
 - Firewood is provided
 - First aid kit
 - Back verandah and yard have stunning views across the landscape to the sea for perfect sunset viewing.
 - Septic tank - Other than toilet paper, items such as sanitary products, nappies and non-biodegradable products are not to be flushed down the toilet or sinks as the sewerage system uses a septic tank.
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For further information, contact:

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Please respond to the following in an attached word/pdf document:

APPLICATION

COMPLETED

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Address – Note: must live within the Yorke Peninsula Council area:

Artist CV: Please attach with your application. Use a share file link for supporting images which are large files.

1. Please write a brief description of your practice. (Maximum 500 words)

2. Outline the benefit of the residency to either your professional development or the successful realisation of your project or both. Please note the residency is intended to inspire the creation of new work in response to the opportunity and the Yorke Peninsula and surrounding communities. (Maximum 500 words)

3. Outline how you propose to interact with the wider community, materials, maximum number and expected skill level of participants and equipment needed. Please note, the capacity to engage the local community – artist & young people, in your activity will be assessed as part of the selection criteria. This could include collaborative projects and workshops. (Maximum 500 words)

4. Supporting images, music, performance etc. can include links and share larger files via file share link. Sound or video to a maximum of 10 minutes. Writing up to a maximum of 10 pages.

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