



# The Pastel Society of Victoria, Australia

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## QUEENSCLIFF PAINT AWAY | RETREAT 2025

Friday 28 February – Sunday 2 March 2025



<b>When</b>	<b>Friday 28 February to Sunday 2 March 2025</b>
<b>Where</b>	Queenscliff, Bellarine Peninsula, Victoria
<b>Information about the Paint Away Retreat</b>	<p><b>Tutor</b> - Due to overwhelmingly positive feedback from our last Paint Away, we have invited Regina Hona once again to be our tutor for this weekend. Please see Page 2 for further information about Regina.</p> <p><b>Accommodation</b> will be in the <i>Seaview Guest House</i> (in the centre of town—we have booked the whole house which includes 15 guest rooms with ensuite facilities. There is also a kitchen, dining room and lounge room for you to use.</p> <p><b>Program</b> - A program for each day's activities will be provided to you prior to your arrival. There will be a Friday afternoon sketching/painting session for those who can make it. We will book a venue for Friday and Saturday nights' dinners. Participants will need to make their own arrangements for breakfast and lunch. Food can be purchased locally or you can bring your own food. It might be a good idea to pack a thermos and cups, as well as a water bottle and umbrella, so that you can keep hydrated and for sun and weather protection throughout the day.</p> <p><b>Queenscliff</b> is a beautiful and historic seaside township located on the Bellarine Peninsula, please below for further information.</p>
<b>BYO</b>	<p><b>Food</b> - breakfast and lunch. Plus, your own cup/mug</p> <p><b>Materials list</b> - will be provided once you have booked and paid —however you will need to ensure that you have enough materials to cover the two days of painting. Please note there are no art shops nearby.</p> <p><b>Equipment</b> - a list of recommended en Plein Air materials will also be provided once you have booked.</p>
<b>Bookings</b>	<p><b>Price</b> - The total price for the Paint Away Retreat covering accommodation &amp; tuition is <b>\$690 for Members</b> and <b>\$730 for Non-members</b>. We require either an <i>Initial Payment</i> of the 1st Installment by 29 Dec 2024 or <i>Payment in Full</i> by 15 Jan 2025, to secure your place, or alternatively you may pay the full amount by 15 January 2025.</p> <p>Price for <b>Members</b> : 1st Installment of \$300 to secure your place is due by 29 Dec 2024  <b>2nd installment of \$195.00 is due on 15 January 2025</b>  <b>3rd (Final) installment of \$195.00 is due 15 February 2025</b></p> <p>Price for <b>Non-Members</b> : initial payment of \$340 to secure your place is due 29 December 2024  <b>2nd Installment of \$195.00 is due 15 January 2025</b>  <b>3rd (Final) Installment of \$195.00 is due 15 February 2025</b></p> <p><b>Booking is a 2-part process. To secure your place, both steps must be completed.</b></p> <p><b>Step 1:</b> Register online by filling out the Registration Form located on our Workshops webpage at <a href="https://vicpastel.com.au/workshops/">https://vicpastel.com.au/workshops/</a></p> <p><b>Step 2 :</b> Pay the 1st Installment or Pay In Full for the Paint Away Retreat.  Go to our <a href="#">Workshops webpage</a> &amp; select either the Member or Non-Member option from the drop-down list for the Paint Away, click on the <i>Add to Cart</i> button, then proceed to pay online.</p> <p>It is expected that this will be a very popular Paint Away Retreat, limited to only 13 participants plus our Tutor, so to avoid disappointment it is recommended that you book in early. A Partner/friend can be accommodated at no further cost, but are not entitled to attend painting sessions.</p> <p><b>CANCELLATION POLICY</b>  When enrolling in the Paint Away Retreat we require either a First Payment or Full payment. Please note that \$100.00 of the fee will be a non-refundable amount, if you cancel and we are unable to fill your place.  The Workshop Coordinator, in consultation with the President and/or Treasurer, has the discretion to alter the above Cancellation Policy should extenuating circumstances apply.</p>
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