
Beaudesert U3A Bulletin – Upcoming Events

13th October, 2011

**Art Appreciation Group: Visit to Queensland Art Gallery,
Wednesday, 19th October, 2011.**

Henri Cartier-Bresson: The Man, The Image & The World

'Henri Cartier-Bresson: The Man, The Image & The World' showcases over 260 of Cartier-Bresson's photographs, selected by Cartier-Bresson and long-time friend and publisher Robert Delpire for an exhibition at the Bibliothèque nationale de France Paris in 2003 before Cartier-Bresson's death in 2004. The exhibition encompasses his portraits as well as his travels through Mexico, Indonesia, Europe, China, Japan, the United States and the Middle East, and presents some of Cartier-Bresson's most acclaimed images from the breadth of his career alongside a selection of his documentary films.



Cartier-Bresson is responsible for some of the most iconic photographic images of portraiture and photojournalism. In many cases his photographs have become defining records of modern history, portraits of European culture from the 1930s to the 1970s, and examples of a 'decisive moment' — a phrase often used to describe Cartier-Bresson's works, which can illustrate action, emotion and an entire story in a single image. Cartier-Bresson's work focuses on humanity and, often preferring to blend into a situation, his camera captured faces and bodies full of emotion and intentions both intimate and bold.

Cartier-Bresson travelled extensively to document some of the most significant historical events of the twentieth century. His celebrated assignments for Life and other magazines not only reshaped photojournalism but gave its readership rare insight into world events such as the impact of MK Gandhi's assassination in India in 1948, the fall of the Kuomintang and Mao Zedong's communist troops marching into the Chinese capital in 1948 and into 1949 and life behind the Iron Curtain in the Soviet Union during 1950s.

A freelancer throughout his working life, Cartier-Bresson, together with fellow photojournalist Robert Capa, founded the Magnum photographic agency which

not only elevated the art of photojournalism but won recognition and representation for photographers' interests.

Tickets are \$12 adult and \$10 concession.

If you are interested in this exhibition, the group is meeting at the entrance to the Art Gallery at Southbank at 10.00am on next Wednesday morning. Some members are car pooling, so, if you would like to car pool, phone Jean on 5541 3706

RECIPE CLUB

On Sunday 23rd October the Recipe Club will meet at Tricia Edward's house outside Rathdowney for lunch at 12noon. The club is a social event set up by Margaret Kendrick. The format is that the host chooses a theme and those interested bring along a dish on that theme which we all share. The theme of this lunch is "Vegetarian" and those interested are invited to contact Tricia on 55441462. Although Tricia lives just outside Rathdowney it is a nice drive for a Sunday and maybe you could consider car pooling. Let's get together and have a fun lunch.

CURRENT COURSES FOR BEAUDESERT U3A

***** Computer Matters Discussion Group**

Mondays 10am to noon with Hennie van Dyk. A group of people interested in computer matters of any kind, exchanging views and information, raising questions, helping solve computer related problems through the group and where the need becomes evident specific additional courses will be held.

***** Hands on Computer Application**

Alternative Mondays. Members are assisted with individual tasks, usual previous discussed procedures. Most members bring their laptop along, access to desktop computer is also available. Tutors Bernie Brown, Jean Stevens and Val Chapman assist course participants.

***** General Discussion Group**

Tuesdays 9.30am to 11.30am. General Discussions on any subject the group wishes. Group participation is the key here. Phone Peter 5541 3660

***** Art Appreciation - The Fellowship of Artists**

3rd Wednesday each month - usually involving art gallery visits with Jean. A chance to look at and discuss works of art on display in the Scenic Rim and Master Pieces from around the world.

***** Line Dancing**

Tuesdays 2.30pm to 4pm with Trish Fraser held at the Uniting Church Hall.

This is a great form of exercise, helps balance, movement and is great fun. Come along and have a go.

***** Book Lovers Group**

Last Wednesday each month 9.30 to 11.30. This group is a little different so bring along your favourite book and share and exchange with others.

***** Art Group**

Tuesdays 10.00am to noon A keen and vibrant group of artists and art lovers. This very friendly group meet at the Beaudesert Tennis club, Bromelton Rd. This class is now filled, a second class will start each Wednesday, details below.

***** NEW Second Art Group**

Wednesdays 9.00 am, at the Centrecare rooms, Peterson Street, we welcome new members for the second course. Phone Margaret about this course 5541 0745

***** NEW Old Shoe Brigade [Shoe Ships and Sealing Wax](#).** A creative Activities Magazine. Submissions to Jean phone 5541 3706.

***** Myths and Legends**

To stimulate interest in these stories which have been an important part of the lives and cultures of those who have believed in them. Phone Bernie 5544 2042

***** Camera Club**

2nd and 4th Mondays 1.00 pm to 2.30 pm for beginners, from 3.00 pm for advanced. Learning to use your point and shoot camera in varied conditions and locations. Phone Carol 5541 0352

***** Jigsaw Library Exchange**

Fridays noon to 4.00 pm. Bring your jigsaw along for use by other members and select one to use from the library. Phone Margaret or Hennie 5541 0745

Social activities

***** NEW [Recipe club](#)** - monthly get together trying out samples of a "Theme" meal at members homes third week of each month, starts 23 October 2011. Phone Val 5541 3660 or Margaret 5541 0745.

***** Monthly Luncheon.** Scenic Rim food experiences

***** Monthly Theatre/Movies Lovers outings.** Phone Carol 5541 0352 or Val 5541 3660

All courses are held at the Centacare rooms, 6 – 12 Peterson Street, Beaudesert, unless otherwise indicated.

All participants must be paid up members of Beaudesert U3A (\$20.00) per annum and each session has a minimum fee of \$2.00 towards Centacare expenses (tea/coffee, aircon etc). If necessary extra Course costs for photocopying will be set by Tutors.

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