



CUBISM

With Guest Artist Leanne Carkeet



Mother, Teacher, Painter – in that order at the moment. Leanne considers her beautiful daughter to be her primary creation.

Leanne teaches art in her home studio, to adults mostly. *“I love teaching art. People respond to their art lessons with joy, a sense of growth and pride in their achievements. This, in turn, is very rewarding for me.”*

Paintings reflect Leanne's life: *“I have an amazing family, I love my garden (even in the drought!) and the beach, I have done lots of self-inquiry and I just love to make art. So my images can range from dads and daughters, mothers and child, florals, esoteric introspective abstracts, to life class figurative works. Being a teacher allows me to be the eternal student.”*



Let the fun begin....

In the morning, Leanne will give a 30 minute history lesson on Picasso and the cubist period, look at images of cubism, from Cezanne's influence, African art influences, to Proto-cubism, Analytical cubism and through to Synthetic cubism which introduced collage to the art world.

Then copy a Picasso or choose your own subject matter from a portrait, still life or musical instrument. We will provide copies of some of Picasso's paintings, a still life and a guitar. You are welcome to bring a favourite photo, picture of a musical instrument or an item you'd like to reproduce.

Students will then do a series of sketches exploring the multi-viewpoints of the subject, deconstructing and reconstructing reality into a Cubist image. We will also look at considerations of colour, tone and line.

Then, take your favourite sketch and draw it on to canvas, check for composition, balance, fit etc, and let the painting begin.

Enjoy a glass or two of champagne to help the creativity flow, and enjoy what will be a truly fun day!

ALL materials are included in this fantastic price. The only thing you have to bring is some lunch.

Date: Saturday 16th August 2008

Time: 9.30am - 4.30pm

Minimum 5 Students

Maximum 10 students

Bookings Essential



Cost: \$220.00

Includes

- Sketch Book per person
- Pencils
- Acrylics, Chalk & Oil Pastels, etc
- 60 x 60 cm or 50 x 70 cm Canvas
- Free Resin

Deposit required: \$75.00