Welcome

Arts on the Rail Trail offer cyclists, visitors, locals and art enthusiasts the opportunity to view works by Central Otago artists all along the Otago Central Rail Trail.

Exhibitions will run for **12 weeks during February**, **March and April** in venues such as cafes, hotels, cycle shops and galleries from Clyde through to Middlemarch. Works will be available to purchase.

This event presents the opportunity for talented Central Otago artists to raise their profile and showcase their work to an extensive audience. It encourages rail trailers to further explore our region, discover venues they may not have otherwise visited and enrich their experience on the great Otago Central Rail Trail.

- We hope you enjoy the ride!



The **Central Otago District Arts Trust** supports the participation, education and development of young people in the arts in Central Otago. In 2017 an exciting project was commissioned by the **Arts Trust and Vincent Community Board** supported by the Creative Communities Scheme, Central Lakes Trust and Otago Community Trust. Participants from **four Primary Schools in the Alexandra area** created four murals depicting scenes from Central Otago. These can be seen in the following places;

• Clyde Railway Station; 'Four Seasons in Central'.

- Golden Block Carpark, Alexandra; 'Rail Trail Bird Girl'.
- Alexandra BMX Park; 'Aliens Beam up Cow'.
- Molyneux Park, Alexandra; 'Camo Deer'.

A thirty metre long mural, commissioned by the **Maniototo Community Arts Council** and created by young people in the community can be viewed at the Ranfurly Swimming Pool, John St, Ranfurly.





WHAT'S ON IN FEBRUARY, MARCH and APRIL 2018 ALONG THE RAIL TRAIL?

FEBRUAR

Lauder Ukulele Festival. A long weekend of performances and workshops. Lauder. February 2nd - February 5th. www.lauderukefest.com

The Central Otago Craft Beer Festival. Our annual Central Otago Festival celebrating local and NZ craft beers, ciders, wine and food. Enjoy great music, relaxed vibe and stunning weather. February 3rd. 2pm - 8pm. Pioneer Park, Alexandra. www.craftbeerfest.co.nz.

Alexandra Summer Markets. Local crafts, plants, produce and more - every Saturday until February 3rd 10am, Pioneer Park, Alexandra.

Alexandra Friday Food and Produce. Fresh seasonal food and produce - every Friday, 11am - 2.30pm, Pioneer Park, Alexandra.

Central Cinemas. Daily Film Screenings in Alexandra. www.centralcinema.co.nz

Clyde Cinemas. Daily Film Screenings in Clyde. www.clydecinema.co.nz

Music at Clyde. Central Otago Musicians perform every Sunday until March. 11am - 2pm, Main Street, Clyde.

Central Stories Museum and Art Gallery. 'Re Discover Elizabeth Stevens' and The Good Art Shop. 10am - 4pm daily. Alexandra. www.centralstories.com

Hayes Engineering Works and Homestead. Tours, artists displays, demonstrations and markets. 4th February, 4th March and 1st April, 10am - 5pm, Oturehua. www.heritage.org.nz.

Central Otago A&P Show. Livestock, equestrian events, arts and crafts and produce, slideshows and rides. 17th February, Omakau. www.coap.co.nz

Maniototo A&P Show. Livestock, equestrian events, arts and crafts and produce, slideshows and rides. 21st February, Maniototo Park Stadium, Pery St, Ranfurly. www.maniototo.co.nz

Otago Central Rail Trail Duathalon. A multisport event traversing the Rail Trail starting in Clyde and finishing in Middlemarch. 24th and 25th February. www.railtrailduathlon.com

MARCH

Strath Taieri A&P Show. Livestock, equestrian events, arts and crafts and produce, slideshows and rides.6 Browns Rd, Middlemarch, 3rd March. www.middlemarch.co.nz

Wedderburn Woolshed Photography Exhibition. A collection of works by Central Otago Photographers. 15th March - 30th April. Ph; 0224626328.

Omakau Hall. An exhibition of works by pupils from Poolburn, Omakau and Maniototo Schools. 2nd March - 14 the March. 10am -3.30pm daily. Ph 022 462 6328.

O Tawhiri Gallery. Wilding Pines - An exhibition of works by Otago artists, Middlemarch Railway Station, Middlemarch.

APR

Middlemarch Singles Ball. Live music and cash bar. Singles big night out in Middlemarch. www.middlemarch.co.nz.

Central Otago Art Society Easter Exhibition. Cash and Carry. 26th March - 2nd April. www.centralotagoartsociety.com.

Clyde Food and Wine Harvest Festival. Wine from the world's most southern vineyards, great food, markets and music. 1st April, 10.30am - 4.30pm, Main St, Clyde. www.promotedunstan.co.nz.

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Venues with ARTISTS:

Clyde

- 1. Dunstan Hotel: Bruce Potter Painting.
- **2.** Jan Rasmussen Gallery: Jan Rasmussen Painting and Hoglund Art Glass.
- 3. Oliver's Restaurant: Rachel Hirabayashi and Ro Bradshaw Painting.
- **4. Eade Gallery:** A wide selection of works by Central Otago artists including Melanie and Rex Eade.
- Folklore Store and Sisson Gallery: Sarah and Todd Sisson

 New Zealand Landscape Photography and Unique Artisan Goods.
- 6. deCort Design Jeweller: Bespoke jewellery design, manufacture and repair.
- 7. Bike it now: Dave Feathers Photography.
- 8. Paulina's Restaurant: Gail de Jong Painting.
- 9. Shebikeshebikes: Debbie Malcolm Painting.
- **10. Ross Cowie Studio:** Works by Ross and Annetta Cowie -Prints, Painting and Ceramics.
- 11. The Co Op Store: Sue Noble Adams- Photography.
- **12. Daphne Hull Subway (SH6 Underpass):** Mural by Bruce Potter.
- 13. Trail Journeys: Richard Parsons Painting.

Alexandra

- **14. Central Stories Museum and Art Gallery:** Works by Elizabeth Stevens.
- 15. D'L's Gem Gallery: Gem Cutter and Jewellery.
- 16. Courthouse Cafe: Kathi McLean Ceramics.
- 17. Shaky Bridge Cafe: Bianca Laing Prints.

Omakau · Ophir · Lauder

- 18. Chatto Creek Tavern: Sue Noble Adams Photography.
- 19. Shebikeshebikes: Beverley Rae Helm Photography.
- 20. Pitches Store: Nigel Wilson Painting.
- 21. Blacks Hotel: Maxine Williams Photography.
- 22. Stationside Cafe: Olaf Mengeringhausen Sculpture.

Oturehua · Wedderburn

- 23. Hayes Engineering Works and Cafe: Sean Boyd Sculpture.
- 24. Oturehua General Store: Marion Mewburn Ceramics, Martin Sullivan, T - Shirts.
- **25. Wedderburn Tavern:** Esther Dexter Painting.

