

42 View Street
Bendigo 3550

Thank you for your interest in considering membership of the Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc.

Based on our constitution, 'Model Rules for an Incorporated Association, 2012' any person wishing to become a Friend of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc. is required to register their interest in the form of a written application (as attached). Applications are presented at the following monthly Committee meeting for acceptance.

There is no joining fee. As a Friend of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc. you will be eligible to vote at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc. held in September each year.

The purpose of the Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc. :

- (i) To promote the activities of Bendigo Art Gallery in particular and interest in the visual arts in general.
- (ii) To do all such things and acts conducive to the furtherance of the objectives and interests of Bendigo Art Gallery.

The Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc. support this purpose by volunteering their time to undertake Gallery mail outs, supporting the monthly Art and Tea program, fundraising, and providing general support to the director and staff as requested. Funds raised are directed to purchasing items for use in the Gallery on the recommendation of the Gallery director, the Art and Tea program and scholarships for VCE Visual Arts students attending local secondary schools.

As Bendigo Art Gallery comes under the auspices of the City of Greater Bendigo (COGB) there is a requirement for all volunteers to be registered with the COGB, hold Working with Children Certificates and have a Police Check. Should you proceed with this application, information on this process and the appropriate forms will be forwarded to you after your acceptance as a member.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

Dale Little
President
Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc.

Application for membership of the Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc.

I, _____ (name)
of _____ (address)

In the event of my admission as a member, I agree to be bound by the Model Rules for an Incorporated Association for the time being in force (copy available on request from the Secretary).

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone Nos. (home): _____

(mob): _____

Email: _____

Please post your application to:

The Secretary
The Friends of Bendigo Art Gallery Inc.
42 View Street
BENDIGO VIC 3550

Office use only:

Application considered _____ (date)

Secretary's signature _____ (date) _____

Applicant notified _____ (date)