



GET CRACKING!

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Come On In

Lots of new and exciting things on the planning board for 2006. At both Hamilton & Palmerston North branches we will be show casing a Product of the Week and our free pattern of the month. Also plenty of new instore specials and loads of friendly helpful service and free advice. So come on in and see us.

"WEBSITE A CRACKING SUCCESS"

What an amazing response to our FANTASIC new website. Loads of new members have registered online giving them unlimited access to all the info plus getting the latest news and specials hot off the press as they come out. Tell all your friends and colleagues or anyone who's in to glass to jump online and register themselves and they too will receive all the newsletters and specials.

All of the products in our warehouse are featured online so it's a excellent way to look at a particular product whether it's a specific colour of glass or title of book, maybe you would rather just browse through all of our products just to see what's available.

Exciting new changes to the site planned for this year include student of the month photo from both the Hamilton classes and of course all the works of art from the Palmerston North Students.

Also featuring will be stunning examples of Leadlight Windows from our Manufacturing department as they are installed into the homes of their proud new owners.

The online shopping has been huge with members all over the country getting all their glass needs and supplies from the comfort and warmth of their own home or office.

More Marvelous Mosaics



Di's mosaic class from Term 4 2005 turned out some awesome and inspiring projects. Most students completed a wall art project though Sharon did a terracotta platter and Ngaire completed a mirror frame.

From left; Gemma Pouls with her dragonfly, Sharon Quinn and her fantail platter, Sarah Pouls with her fish, Anita Pouls with her sunflower, Maureen McRae and her café scene, Nigel with his pukeko, and Ngaire with her mirror frame.

DON'T DELAY - BOOK NOW...Due to Demand!! Both branches are holding a Stepping Stone Workshop on the 18th February, 9am to 4pm - To Book your space contact Di or Michelle



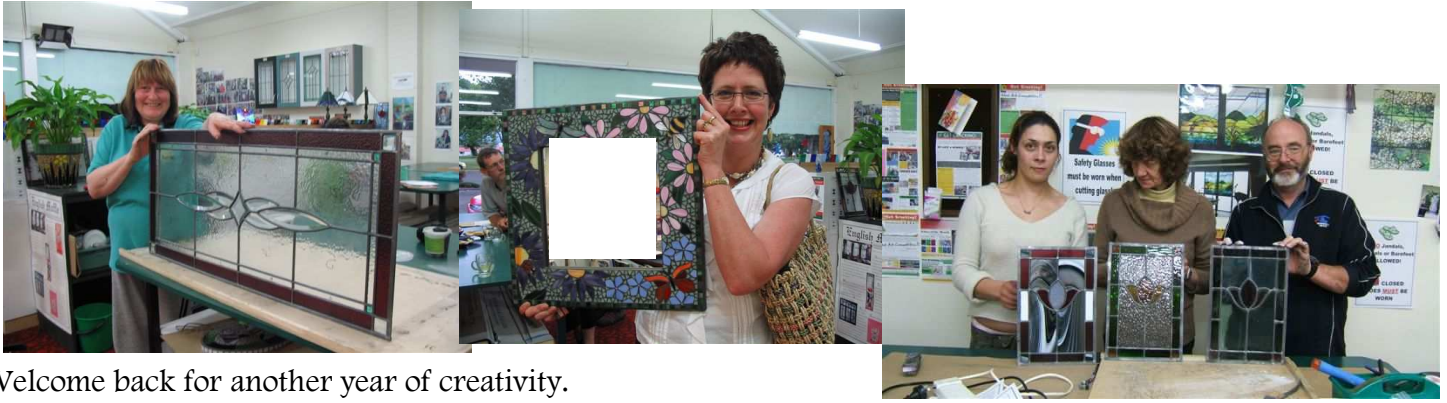
Happy New Year to you all!

Very scary I know that we are 6 years into the millennium...but that gets me to thinking that with time moving so fast it is NOT the time to put things off...and especially the things you enjoy most. So if you enjoy working with glass...if it makes you feel good to be creative...then do it! Do it now before the next New Year rolls around and you are saying to yourself "yeah, I was gonna do that glass project...but"

If you need a refresher course then check out the timetable for both branches on our website - its packed full for Term 1 including plenty of weekend courses for those out of our immediate areas.

Keep Smiling....Di

“Students Doing It – In Palmerston”



Welcome back for another year of creativity. Trust you are all well, rested and happy - rearing to go for 2006. Thanks to everyone who took time out to attend our student xmas party, it was great to see you all and share in some festive cheer! 2005 saw some wonderful works of art created at Glassworks - as you have seen by the photos in this and previous issues of 'Get Cracking'. Well done to Jeanine pictured with her gorgeous mosaic mirror frame. Jeanine also made some neat mosaic platters for Christmas presents, pictured also is Kylie, John & Diane with their Start Up Leadlights well done to you 3 and pictured is Christine who surprised herself as well as the rest of the Keep On Class to complete her lovely bevel cluster window. Christine has enrolled again this year to learn the copperfoil method now so she can make suncatchers and lampshades. You go girl! It is fantastic to see you all doing more - life after Glassworks is very addictive! I am loving the mosaic table top buzz I'm on at the moment - you'll have to come into the shop to see these tho! We are getting ready for yet another demo night and it is great to see so many enrolments for classes already. Our Term 1 timetable is available on line or give me a call if you don't have access to a computer and I will happily post you one.

Look forward to seeing you all
Kindest Regards,
Michelle

GLASSWORKS STAFF FUNNY HAT CONTEST



Tina & Sandy enjoy nibbles while relaxing after a very busy term 4 in 2005. Well done girls.



Hot platters - showing just a sample of what can be done using different designs and glass selection. Create your own masterpieces and show off your skills.

WOW - Beautiful Mosaic Table

This wonderful work of art was crafted by our very own Michelle Carter. You will all agree that Michelle knows her stuff when it comes to glass art. For ideas on your own Mosaic project talk to Michelle and the team at Glassworks .



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GLASS HOBBY COURSES • TERM 1, 2006

Demonstration Evening	Wed night	7-8pm	1	1 hr	*FREE*	1 Feb
	BOOKINGS are ESSENTIAL for the Demonstration Evening					
Glass Cutting Introduction	Thurs night	7-9pm	1	2 hrs	\$30.00	2 Feb
	Tues night	7-9pm	1	2 hrs	\$30.00	7 Feb
	Mon night	7-9pm	1	2 hrs	\$30.00	13 Mar
To obtain basic skills you must attend Glass Cutting Introduction before starting any of the 5 weekly project courses.						
Quickstep Suncatchers	Saturday	10am-4pm	1	6 hrs	\$70.00*	18 March
*Includes use of tools and all materials.						
Start Up Leadlighting SUL W/end (inc GCI)	Thurs night	7-9pm	5	10 hrs	\$85.00	9 Feb
	Thurs night	7-9pm	5	10 hrs	\$85.00	16 Mar
	Sat/Sun	9-5 & 9-2	2	12 hrs	\$115.00	1 & 2 Apr
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Keep On Leadlighting Weekend Workshop	Wed night	7-9pm	5	10 hrs	\$85.00	8 Feb
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Copperfoil Lampshades	Wed night	7-9pm	5	10 hrs	\$85.00	8 Feb
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	Tues night	7-9pm	5	10 hrs	\$85.00	21 Mar
Glass Stepping Stones Workshop	Saturday	9am-4pm	1	7 hrs	\$100.00*	18 Feb

*Includes use of mold, mosaic mount, diamondcrete & tuition fees - only glass extra

Lampshade Workshop with Guest Tutor Peter Hohenberger

Due to popular demand Peter is back to teach his original copyright Strelizia Lamp (or design of your choice). Choose from the Strelitzia, Magnolia, Wisteria or Arum lily and create this elegant 3-dimensional free-standing table lamp complete with light fittings. This is an advanced course and some Copperfoil experience is required - contact Di for more info.

2 x Saturdays, 29 April & 27 May, 9am-4pm, tuition \$120, materials \$195 (strelitzia)




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Tiffany Workshop with Guest Tutor Peter Hohenberger	Saturday	10am-4pm	2	12 hrs	\$160.00	11 & 12 Feb
	& Sunday	10am-4pm	Create a challenging hanging piece using the traditional techniques of Louis Comfort Tiffany. Increase your technical knowledge and let Peter guide you in the 'ART' of working with glass and foil. <i>Please note this is an advanced level course.</i>			
						

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