



## **Lochmara Lodge Artist Residencies**

Each season we invite applications for short term residencies at Lochmara Lodge. The residency programme allows artists to be resident at Lochmara to work on a specific project, to be inspired by Lochmara and the Marlborough Sounds, and to interact with our New Zealand and overseas guests.

### **The purpose of the programme is twofold:**

- a) To support the development of art by providing opportunities for artists in all stages of their career to undertake a residency, with a focus on inspiration, dedicated time, and making art accessible to new audiences.
- b) To provide an opportunity for national and international visitors to learn about art and the creative process by talking to artists and watching them work.

### **Residencies in 2016/17 will:**

- Be from 1 – 3 weeks long and occur between October 1<sup>st</sup> 2016 and May 31<sup>st</sup> 2017 according to availability.
- Include pre-agreed times each day where the artist will be available to the public.
- Include information about workshops, artist talks, performances or other additional forms of availability to discuss the work as proposed by the artist, and agreed to in advance.
- Result in new work to be exhibited for sale at Lochmara, or credited to Lochmara in accordance to the minimum value of the residency as negotiated with Lochmara.
- Please be prepared with an artist's statement, the length of one A4 page, to assist in any promotion prior to your arrival, and to announce your residency in the Cafe.

### **Residencies will include:**

- Accommodation for the artists as agreed with Lochmara. This may be in the loft of the Art Studio or in the guide room (according to availability).
- A stipend of \$100/week towards food and other associated costs. The stipend can be exchanged for upgraded accommodation in shoulder season dates from September - mid-December or April-May (according to availability).
- Kitchen facilities are available, and resident artists are eligible for staff discount in the cafe (except alcohol) and on other lodge services while in residence.

- Access to display work in the Huia Exhibition Space, and on the main wall of the front of the Lochmara Cafe for the duration of the residency.

**Costs:**

- Artists are expected to meet their own costs for travel to Picton and any costs above the stipend agreed to. Costs of materials and any shipping of work and/or materials to/from Lochmara (as far as Picton) are also the responsibility of the resident artist.
- One hour of internet is provided per week unless needed for the purposes of the residency. Additional internet use is provided 500mb \$5.00.
- Provisions are difficult to access from Lochmara. Please discuss all your potential needs with the Arts Co-ordinator to avoid disappointment during your stay.

**Applications and Selection**

The programme is open to serious and professional artists at all stages of their artistic career. Applications are welcomed from artists working across the arts, including but not limited to: sculpture, photography, carving, writing, performance music, dance, weaving, fashion, painting, film making, and jewellery.

Applications must include a current CV and a completed Residency Application. Full terms and conditions of the residency will be negotiated with successful applicants. There is no deadline for applications, but residencies will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Early expression of interest and prompt application are recommended.