

## Judging of “Paint These Gardens “ Competition

Friends of the St Kilda Botanical Gardens “Paint These Gardens” Competition  
6-8 June 2009

The object of this competition is to celebrate the 150 years since the founding of the St Kilda Botanical Gardens (1859) and is a prelude to the Exhibition to be held in September 2009 in The Gallery, St Kilda Town Hall  
The winning entries will be showcased in this exhibition

Judges are to choose a Winner, Second prize and Winner (Children’s prize)

Judging will take place between 2.00-4.00pm on June 8<sup>th</sup> 2009

Winners of the competition will be announced at 4.30 on June 8<sup>th</sup> 2009

The Judges (appointed by the Friends of the St Kilda Botanical Gardens Committee) reserve the right to disqualify any entry which is not submitted in accordance with the Conditions of Entry (at [www.foskbg.org.au](http://www.foskbg.org.au)).

Judges’ decisions are final. Neither the Judges, nor the Friends of the St Kilda Botanical Gardens are obliged to provide any reason or enter into any discussion or correspondence relating to the Judges’ decisions or to the Conditions of Entry

Majority decision is final (2 out of 3)

If no majority, FOSKBG Committee will choose a Winner, a Second prize and a Children’s Prize from the panel of preferred entries commended by the judges

The three Judges will determine their own judging criteria. The following criteria are provided to the Judges as a starting point for discussion only , as they will judge according to their own discretion

All entries will be judged and weighted on the following criteria

A) Originality and Uniqueness	25%
B) Aesthetic appeal	25%
C) Interpretation and articulation of the competition theme	25%
D) Creativity	25%

Committee, Friend of the St Kilda Botanical Gardens