

# GREEK ORTHODOX COMMUNITY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED

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GREEK ORTHODOX  
CATHEDRAL OF ARCHANGELS

MICHAEL & GABRIEL

GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH  
OF KOIMISIS THEOTOKOU

GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH  
OF STs. CONSTANTINE & HELEN

GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH  
OF SAINT NICHOLAS

RIDLEYTON GREEK HOME  
FOR THE AGED

COMMUNITY CARE SERVICES

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OLYMPIC DANCE SCHOOL

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ELDERLY COMMUNITY CENTRE

GREEK WOMEN'S CENTRE

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GREEK COMMUNITY  
PUBLISHING HOUSE

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RESOURCE LIBRARY

GREEK ORTHODOX COMMUNITY  
CHOIR

HELLENIC CULTURAL FESTIVAL  
"ODYSSEY"

## GUIDELINES

### 2021 ODYSSEY FESTIVAL ART PRIZE

#### Competition Open

The Odyssey Festival Art Prize is an annual competition. Entries for the 2021 Greek Orthodox Community of SA (GOCSA) Odyssey Festival Art Prize are now open. Artists have until 5pm on Friday 24 September 2021 to lodge their submissions.

#### Prizes

Three main award categories are available. A First Prize of \$1000, a second prize of \$600 and a third prize of \$400.

#### Who can enter?

Artists of any age. Entrants can submit up to three original artworks based on the theme announced by the GOCSA Cultural Committee. Staff from the Greek Orthodox Community of SA, Cultural Committee members and people involved with the administration or judging of the Art prize are not eligible to enter. Art works shall not carry artists' names or signatures when they reach the judging panel. They should only be numbered.

#### Cost of entry

The entry is free of charge. First winning art piece remains as property of GOCSA to be exhibited at the sole discretion of the GOCSA.

#### What work is eligible?

Any form of original visual fine art, including digital art that relates to this year's theme "**200 and 90 Years of Independence**", is eligible for the Odyssey Festival Art Prize, with the exception of photography.

#### What are the judging criteria?

The Odyssey Art Prize is usually related to Greece, Greek culture, history and locations. The Judges will make their decision on the artistic merit of the work. Judges will also consider the relationship to the theme announced by GOCSA. The judges' decision will be final, and no correspondence will be entered into. No feedback will be given on works that are not selected for a prize.

## **Who are the judges?**

The three judges are independent arts professionals who have no affiliation with the Greek Orthodox Community of SA.

## **What are the key dates?**

The competition opens on 26 July 2021 and closes on 24 September 2021 at 5:00pm. Judging takes place in the week leading up to the launch of the Odyssey Festival, on 1 October 2021. All entries are exhibited for public viewing in the Olympic Hall from the opening of the Odyssey Festival.

## **Do I have to allow my work to be exhibited?**

All works entered must be available for the duration of the exhibition. At the close of the exhibition, artists will be responsible for collecting any works that are not award winners, unless they wish to donate them to GOCSA.

## **Are works for sale?**

Works exhibited by the Odyssey Festival will be available for sale by artists except winning art work which becomes the property of GOCSA.

## **How do I enter?**

Entry forms to the 2021 Odyssey Festival are available online or at the office of GOCSA, 262 Franklin Street, Adelaide SA. Upon entering, artists will need to provide a brief CV outlining their artistic career. By entering, the artist consents to images of their works being reproduced, and their biographical information and/or photograph being used by the GOCSA and their agents, without additional compensation.

## **More information**

For further information please contact the Greek Orthodox Community of SA on 8231 4307 or [admin@gocsa.org.au](mailto:admin@gocsa.org.au)