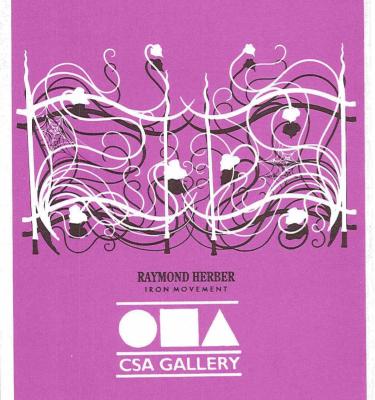
COMING EXHIBITIONS PREVIEW Art in the Heart of Christchurch

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The Southland Art Society is this year hosting a new exhibition—the Invercargill Licencing Trust Art Awards, which will incorporate the SAS 29th Annual Exhibition and will be held at the Southland Museum and Art Gallery, Invercargill, from 11 - 26 June 1994. There will be an open award of \$ 1,000.00, and a further award of \$ 1,000.00 for the best entry from an SAS exhibitor. Up to three merit awards will also be given, and entries will be accepted in all media. Entries are invited from any financial Art Society members. Entry forms from the CSA Gallery. Closing date for entries: Wednesday 25 May.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

There is still a percentage of members who have not renewed their subscriptions for 1994. In order that we may sustain the present growth and vitality of your Society, it is essential that we have a steady income. We hope all members who have overlooked their subs will renew as soon as possible. THE ACADEMY CRAFT SHOW 1994

For craft work in all media, to include sculpture and the practical arts and crafts of fabric and weaving, furniture, domestic ceramics, glassware, wood and metalwork etc. For artists outside the Wellington area submission is on the basis of photographs. Entry forms at the CSA Gallery. Receipt of photo Entries: Thursday 28 April Receiving days: Monday and Tuesday 16 and 17 May

GAUGUIN AND THE SCHOOL OF PONT-AVEN
Sydney 2 - 5 June 1994. This exhibition provides a fasinating insight into the Bohemian life of Paul Gauguin and the Pont-Aven School and the inspiration they derived from this distinct area in Brittany, France. It is a unique collection of 116 works from twenty artists who lived and painted there in the 1880's and 90's.
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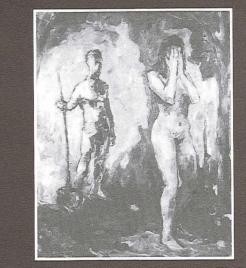
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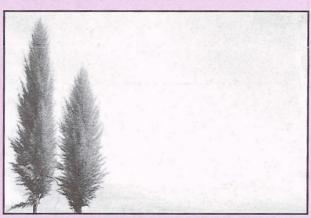
HAGHI PERSIAN CARPETS

We are pleased to invite you to the year's first exhibition of hand-knotted rugs and Kelims from Iran.

There are over a hundred pieces in the exhibition, both old and new, in geometric tribal designs. The rugs have been collected from outlying market towns in Iran where they have been traded by the nomadic tribes who live totally from their flocks. This ancient way of life is not likely to last much longer, in which case we can expect the hand-knotted rug to gradually disappear from the market and

increase in value. There are also top quality pieces of silks from the city of Qhom (Qum) in jewel like colours in this collection. Be sure not to miss this beautiful selection of Persian Carpets.

5 - 24 APRIL 1994 PREVIEW TUESDAY 5 APRIL 5.30PM



"Two of us" (1st prize in Fuji contest) published in HK "Photo and Camera Review" Magazine in 1993

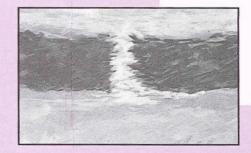
CALEB TSE

"In 1990, I moved from Hong Kong to Christchurch and discovered the wondrous beauty of Mother Nature in this picturesque city. Here I fell in love with the beautiful settings that surrounded me. Being an artistic and sentimental young man with much love and appreciation for these things, I am now drawn to capture all memorable moments on film, and to make them last a lifetime for all to see. The love and passion that I have for my work is evident in these pictures which are expressive of my feelings and emotions towards the beauty of all things on this wonderful world."

MICHAEL EBEL ABSTRACT REALISM — WHAT'STHAT?

It's a style of painting. -Painting I understand. That's where you put paint on something and either call it a house or call it a picture. What do you call yours?

-I call it a picture unless it's of a house and then I call it a painting of a house. "Then why do you call it abstract realism? Because all pictures are abstracted from the real with paint. -If that's the case why don't you just call them pictures? OK, you are invited to an exhibition of my pictures, painted since my recent return from three years in exile at Little River, to live in a studio loft in the heart of Cashel Mall. I've brought some of



the country with me in the pictures. Come to the opening at 5.30pm on the 5th of April. -Thank you I will.

Michael Ebel

ANN WILSON NEPALESE PASTELS "My first exhibition held in Kathmandu in 1964, was of Nepalese pastels done while helping with Ed Hillary's school building expedition in the Himalayas.

"Last September/October I was back there again with a building team, and was able to return to Nepalese subjects with a thirty year difference in style and technique.

CSA WORKING MEMBERS

"As before, I found the colourful Sherpa people, the mountain villages, the Buddist monasteries and chortens with flying prayer flags, and the swirling monsoon mists occasionally revealing the massive peaks. All wonderfully drawable."



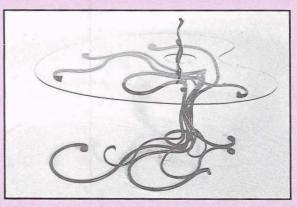
Ann Wilson, Sherpani, pastel

The human figure depicted by various means in many forms and activities, is probably the most ancient and enduring subject for art. This Working Member's exhibition of 21 works by seven artists, will continue this tradition of variety and innovation in subject matter and media.

26 APRIL - 15 MAY 1994 PREVIEW TUESDAY 26 APRIL

RAYMOND HERBER

Christchurch artist Raymond Herber has been working with iron for many years, creating a style which many describe as growing or living. Plant theme can be seen in many of the pieces displayed. The style called upon is often wild and daring, but in other pieces soft and delicate. The Hammer, Anvil and Forge play a great part in making this possible. A great deal of the work exhibited is functional art, yet some purely sculp-



Raymond Herber