



# The Welcome Swallow Gallery

~ Winter Collection 2023 ~



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# Winter Collection 2023

The 2023 Winter Collection exhibition presented by the *Welcome Swallow Gallery*, ranges across the subjects of land and water, spliced with flora and bird-life.

Using an eclectic mixed media palate, **Renata Nemeth**, exhibits in the gallery for the first time with three compositions that examine the intersect between land and water. We are presented with an empty beach, a simple rowing boat without occupancy and an unobtrusive river that barely registers beyond anticipated visual cues.

This reflective theme continues with **Charlotte Giblin's** four impressionist water-inspired vistas that present both movement and serenity. Similarly, **Stephen Milner's** majestic photography and **Sue Currie's** watercolour compositions capture breath-taking New Zealand landscapes, bounded by lakes and sea water.

**Toni Kingstone's** Te Wai Pounamu resin on acrylic roundel is emblematic of the Maori legend that envisages how water and land were formed by a passionate journey in pursuit of love.\*

\* See gallery notes for detailed narrative

Leaning in the direction of abstract art, **Juliet Roper's** exhibition pieces also imagine journeys, perhaps to be serenaded with bird song, along with tuis and an owl that are presented in vivid watercolour by another new artist to the gallery, **Bernadette Ballantyne**.

Now back on dry land, **Rebecca Dowman-Ngapo** presents the gallery with her signature floral watercolour studies that combine a taste of honey with whatever vicissitudes Winter may throw at us as Spring yearns to arrive.

Should inclement seasonal weather ensue, our third new artist to the gallery, **Chris Greenslade**, invites the viewer to sample the delights of Zenders Café, while also returning us to the theme of water with tranquil beach scenes including his award winning composition, *December Evening at Waitarere Beach* that can be seen in this exhibition for a limited period only.

Finally, **Kirsten McIntosh** punctuates this exhibition with three stunning studies of wintery light, variegated across land and water.





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**Sue Currie**

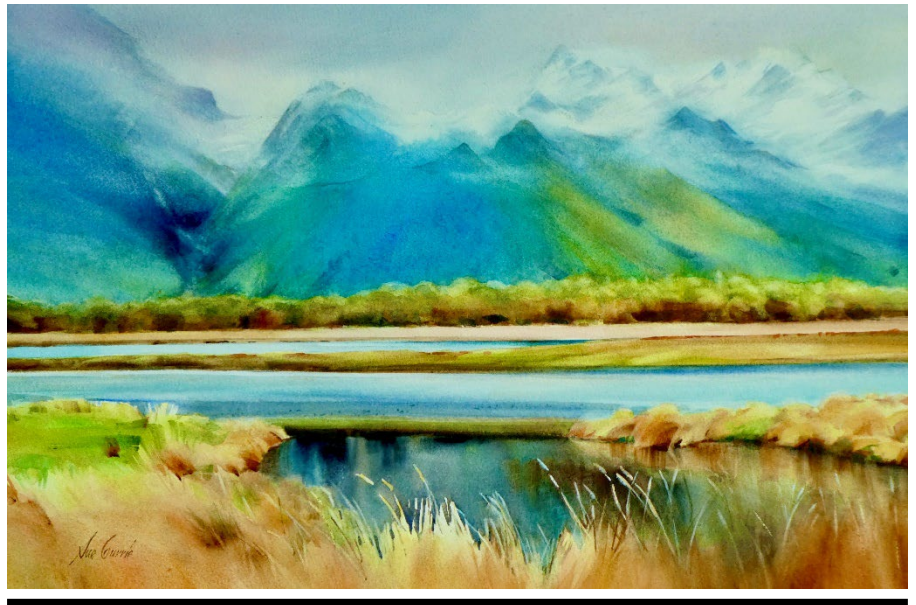
'Serenity' - Lake Manapouri

Watercolour

545x735mm

Price: \$2600

2.



**Sue Currie**

Vanishing Mists

Watercolour

555x735mm

Price: \$2600

3.



**Renata Nemeth**

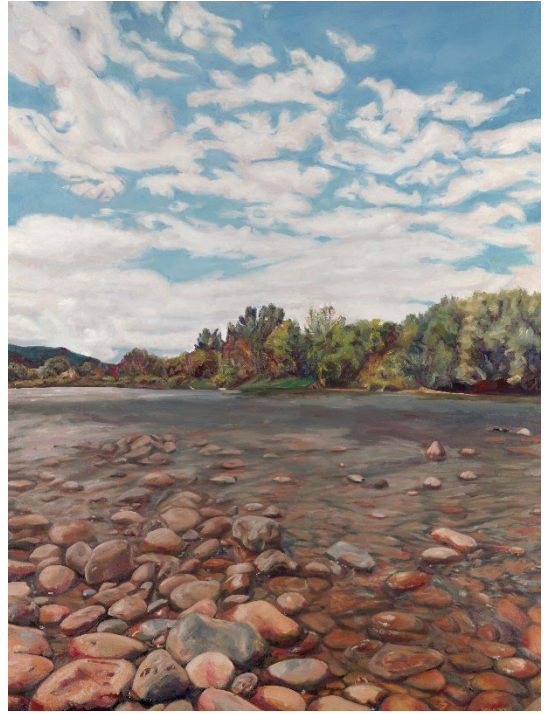
The Shore of Silence

Oil

900x600mm

Price: \$4200

4.



**Renata Nemeth**

Whispering Flow – Whanganui River

Oil

1000x750mm

Price: \$4200

5.



**Renata Nemeth**

Onetangi Bay –

Waiheke Island

Mixed Media

800mm d.

Price: \$4900

6.



**Toni Kingstone**

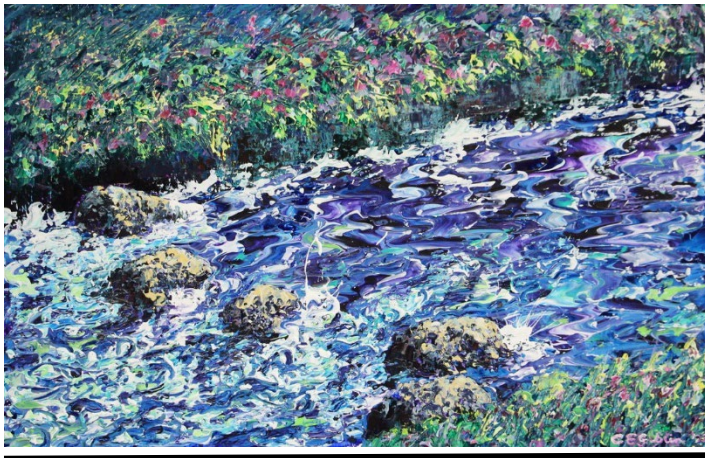
Te Wai Pounamu  
Acrylic and Resin  
1200mm d.  
Price: \$4250

7.



**Toni Kingstone**  
Autumn Dance  
Acrylic and Resin  
800mm d.  
Price: \$1550

8.



**Charlotte Giblin**

The Crossing  
Acrylic with Gloss Varnish  
405x605mm  
Price: \$840

9.



**Charlotte Giblin**  
Breathing in The Detail  
Acrylic  
610x410mm  
Price: \$840



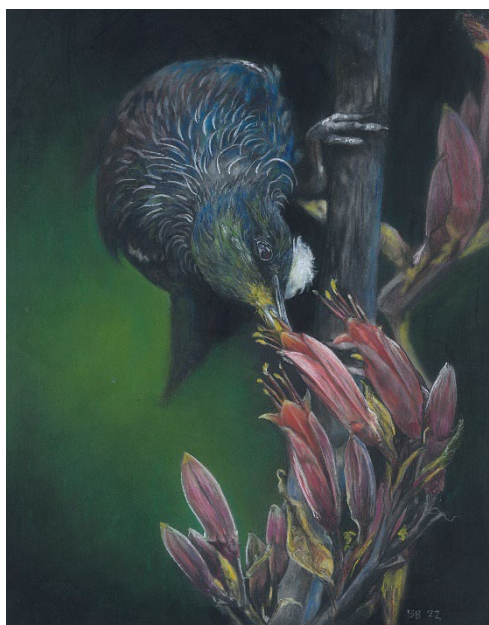
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**Charlotte Giblin**  
Homecoming Part I  
Acrylic  
762x762mm  
Price: \$2300

**Charlotte Giblin**  
Still Waters  
Acrylic  
510x510mm  
Price: \$840

12.



**Bernadette Ballantyne**  
Harekeke Tui  
Soft Pastel  
355x280mm  
Price: \$1780

13.



**Bernadette Ballantyne**  
Whakaaro Nui Owl  
Soft Pastel  
280x355mm  
Price: \$1980



14.

**Juliet Roper**

Bird Song

Acrylic on Framed Canvas

1022x915mm

Price: \$1800

15.



**Juliet Roper**

The Traveller's Tale

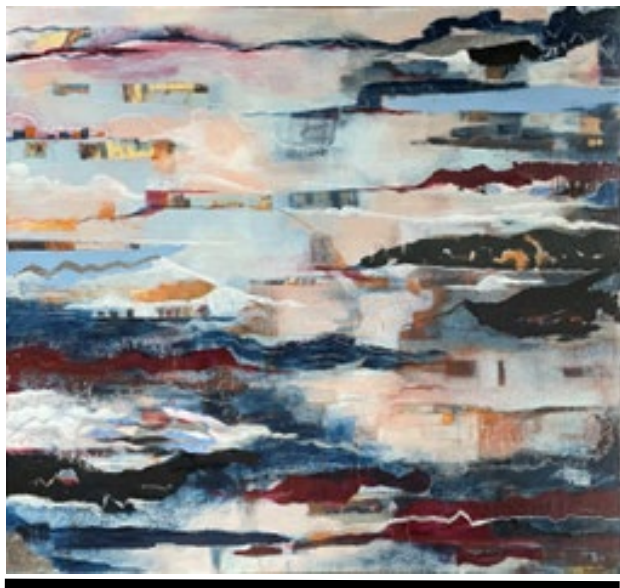
Mixed Media on Paper Mounted

on Cradled Board

845x770mm

Price: \$1200

16.



**Juliet Roper**

Passages

Mixed Media on Paper

Mounted on Cradled Board

845x770mm

Price: \$1200

17.



**Juliet Roper**

Kairuku

Oil and Cold Wax on Cradled Board

760x500mm

Price: \$850

18.



**Rebecca Dowman-Ngapo**

Wind Clover

Watercolour

560x770mm

Price: \$2800

19.



**Rebecca Dowman-Ngapo**

Herald of Spring

Watercolour

560x770mm

Price: \$2800



20.



**Chris Greenslade**

Zenders Cafe

Watercolour,  
390x420mm

Price: \$900

21.



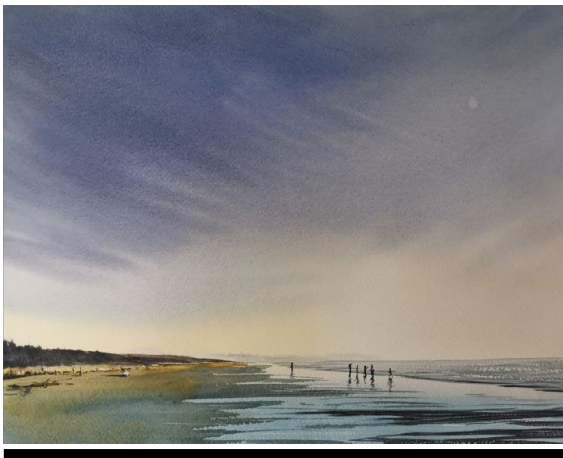
**Chris Greenslade**

End of a Good Day

Watercolour,  
510x650mm

Price: \$1000

22.



**Chris Greenslade**

December Evening at  
Waitarere Beach\*

Watercolour

270x350mm **Private Collection**

23.



**Chris Greenslade**

Ororaurangi

Graphite and Pastel Pencil

270x440mm

Price: \$750

*\* Winner of the Watercolour New Zealand,  
Winsor & Newton Summer Competition 2023*

24.



**Stephen Milner**

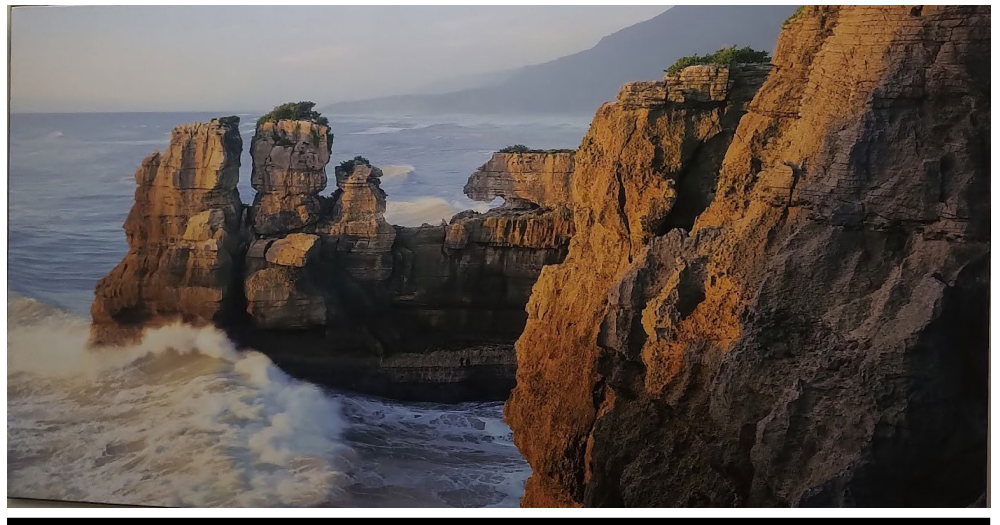
Golden Peaks

Digital Photography

1058x3000mm

Price: \$3300

25.



**Stephen Milner**

Punakaiki Sculptures

Digital Photography

1125x2000mm

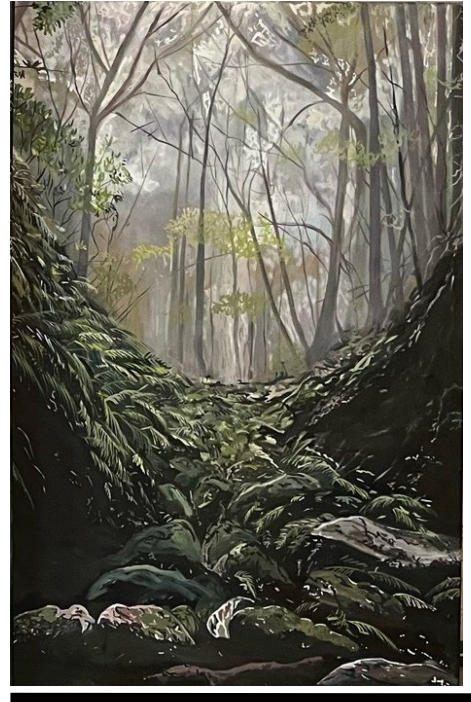
Price: \$2500

26.



**Kirsten McIntosh**  
Symphony of Light  
Oil  
1016x762mm  
Price: \$5900

27.



**Kirsten McIntosh**  
Journey into Light  
Oil  
916x610mm  
Price: \$4400

28.



**Kirsten McIntosh**  
Whisper of Light  
Oil  
762x762mm  
Price: \$4600

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