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Little Bit Long Way - An exhibition of paintings by Valerie Glover

Bringing memories and experiences to life through artwork is at the forefront of a Perth artist's exhibition at the Tresillian Arts Centre in Nedlands this month.

Perth artist, Valerie Glover's exhibition - "Little Bit Long Way" - will open on Friday 19 September.

The exhibition will showcase over 85 paintings created with oils, acrylics and mixed media.

Valerie is passionate about creating art that evokes memories of places and landscapes that she and everyday people have experienced.

"I like to paint. I enjoy the challenge of combining theory with the practice of art. Be it the thrill of captured light or the power of primary and blended colours," said Valerie

"I take the images from landscapes that I have travelled through and landscapes that may be familiar to the viewer to evoke memories of places and locations well known.

"I combine memories, experiences and feelings of multiple places I have been exposed to and that eventually becomes the paintings.

"I work in oils, acrylics and mixed media to achieve the effect I am looking for. I have studied art in Australia, Europe, Canada and Asia and love every new experience it brings me," added Valerie.

For Valerie, Tresillian Arts Centre holds a special place in her memory. She recalls how as a teenager her life was saved when a doctor at the former Tresillian hospital diagnosed her with appendicitis and rushed her across the road for an emergency operation

"When I decided to have an exhibition, I thought of Tresillian. It is an ideal place with very good memories for me," added Valerie.

Details in a nutshell:

Little Bit Long Way
Friday 19 September to Sunday 28 September
Tresillian Arts Centre
21 Tyrell Street, Nedlands

Official opening: Friday 19 September 2014 at 6pm

The exhibition continues until Sunday 28 September 2014.

All artworks are for sale.

Gallery hours: Monday to Friday 10am – 5pm; Saturday and Sunday 10am – 4pm.

For more information please contact the City on 9273 3500 or council@nedlands.wa.gov.au

About the City of Nedlands

The City of Nedlands is situated 7km from Perth and stretches from the banks of the Swan River to the edge of the Indian Ocean. A population of over 21,000 live in the suburbs of Nedlands, Dalkeith, Mt Claremont, Swanbourne, Karrakatta, and parts of Floreat and Shenton Park.

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