

## Profile: Wendy Easton



Although having always been interested in art it wasn't until I retired, about 8 years ago, that I took up painting with a passion. I loved the realist style and so used my photographs for a reference. Since then I have dabbled in many genres trying to find which gives me greatest pleasure. I have found I like so many styles that I haven't been able to choose a particular one.

I joined the Waverley Art Society in 2006 and greatly enjoyed doing portraiture classes with them. I joined the Peninsula Art Society in 2012 and find the workshops and demonstrations very helpful in broadening my appreciation of art.

During the last 7 years I have enjoyed exhibiting my work at the Camberwell, Sorrento, Brighton and now the Mornington Rotary Art shows and with the Peninsula and Waverley Art Societies. I have been fortunate to sell work at a number of these venues. My background before painting was in photography and graphic design. Both of these professions have helped enormously in understanding lighting and composition with my paintings. I often combine elements from a number of photographs to produce a painting.

I am enjoying the exploration into painting techniques and subject matter as my confidence in art grows. Highly Commended Waverley Art Show....Arum Lilly



