



# mudlark

September 2021

South of the River Potters' Club Newsletter

## COMING EVENTS:

- City of Melville Art Awards Exhibition October 22<sup>nd</sup> (Call for entries September 9-12)
- MCAA AGM – September 23<sup>rd</sup> 6pm Atwell Gallery
- **Glorious Mud Exhibition** October 16<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>
- Body Beautiful Exhibition November 1-7 – Atwell Gallery



Link to Club website

## GLORIOUS MUD

The annual Club selective exhibition, Glorious Mud, is happening very soon – October 16-24 – which is only a few weeks away, and entry forms are due by October 1st! All the relevant instructions are on the entry form.

Entry forms are available from the Club website (look in the 'Coming Events' section) or from this link: <https://sorpottersclub.com/upcoming-events/gloriousmud>. You can also download the poster from the website and print it for distribution to family and friends.



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### ***KARLUP-ATWELL CERAMIC STUDIO – IT’S HAPPENING!!!!***

At last the long wait is over – work on the new studio is scheduled to begin on next Wednesday with the erection of the site fence and we have a schedule of when each stage of the construction will happen, cuminating in an estimated completion date in February or March next year.

Meanwhile a ‘sod turning’ ceremony was held on site with President Jenny and Barrie-Anne Morgan doing the honours aided by an excited group of members. Three of our Life Members were joined by some of the newest members to mark the occasion, a good indication that the future of the Club is in good hands. A more formal sod turing ceremony is being planned by the City of Melville in the near future.

### ***EMPTY BOWLS***

The club was represented at the Empty Bowls event in August and we had a stall filled with member’ pots for sale. There was a lot of interest shown by visitors to the event and we had a few sales. It’s always exciting to be a part of such a great enterprise as Empty Bowls and, once again, a sizeable sum of money was raised for Foodbank.



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## ***KILN***

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A couple of changes are afoot for the management of kiln firings. Payments for firings will soon be managed via a dedicated bank account which has been established for the purpose. More information will be circulated soon and please note that the bank account details published on the cover page above are to be used for all other Club associated transactions apart from kiln payments once the new system begins.

Bookings for kiln firings will soon be streamlined with a firing calendar to be added soon to the website. Members will be able to see what firings are planned and can then make contact to reserve space in the firing of their choice.

A motion detector security light has been fitted to the kiln room entry area for those visiting after dark to leave or collect pots.

### **Next Meeting:**

- **Wednesday October 13<sup>th</sup> at 10am**