



## A NEW **ART DIARY** FOR AUSTRALIA

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**AUSTRALIAN ART DIARY 2009**

**Stylish, sleek and lavishly illustrated, Australia's newest art gift diary is packed with stunning images of Australian and Aboriginal art while outlining the major art events for 2009.**

Launched to celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of publication of the 'bible' of Australian art *McCulloch's Encyclopedia of Australia Art*, this imaginative yet practical diary features more than 120 images by artists as diverse as Arthur Streeton, Rover Thomas, Arthur Boyd, Rosalie Gascoigne, Gloria Petyarre, Lin Onus, Darren Sylvester, Tony Tuckson, Johnny Warangkula Tjupurrula, Bill Henson and many others.

Each month features evocative themes of the seasons; or themes and style of Australian art to tell its story in a completely original and fresh way.

### Themes include:

**January** – Summertime. **February** – Fire Dreaming. **March** – A Festival of Prizes, the Archibald and portraiture. **May** – Thoroughly Modern. **July** – Coming Out, public, installation & street art. **August** Aboriginal Australia. **September** -Spring Fever. **October** – Water Dreaming. **November** – Crossing Cultures – Australian-Asian. **December** – The Midnight Hour.

**Major exhibitions and other art events are also listed per month for Australia's national and state galleries for 2009, and the Australian Art Diary also includes:**

- \* week to a page opening
- \* practical listings of holidays, calendars
- \* quotes from and links to artists' *Encyclopedia* entries

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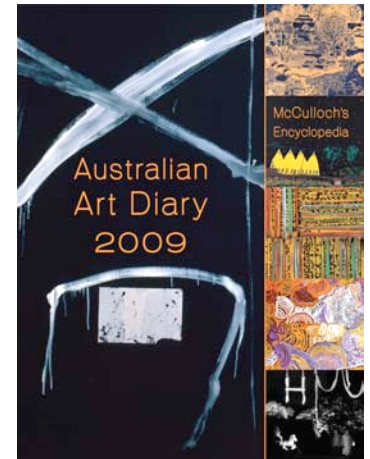
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