

Mural by Flox (flox.co.nz), Alexandra Primary School

What's On: Youth Arts (April)

CENTRAL OTAGO & ONLINE

1 April: IHC Art Awards Entries Open

The awards provide artists with an intellectual disability the opportunity to have their talent recognised & their voices heard. It includes a Youth Award section for 13–17 year olds. www.ihc.org.nz/get-involved/art-awards

4 April: Tühura Photography Competition Entries Open

Calling all budding young photographers. Categories include wildlife, botanical, landscape, & black & white.

www.otagomuseum.nz/photo

'Around The World' School Holiday Programme (Alexandra)

15-28 April: World Doll Display

Admire the variety of costumes, & complete a clue hunt.

23 April: Workshop - A Taste of France

Make a pop-up Citroën 2CV with Marion Vialade-Worch.

25 April: Workshop - A Touch of Malaysia

Make a shadow puppet with Christian Schmidt.

Call (03) 448 6230 or email manager@centralstories.com

26 April: Morton Trio & Friends (Bannockburn)

A Christchurch-based ensemble delivering original, intense chamber music, featuring the two great sextets for clarinet, horn, piano, and strings.

www.artscentral.co.nz/morton-trio

FURTHER AFIELD

25-28 April: Arrowtown Autumn Festival

Book your place now for workshops in art, juggling, or beginner circus classes. Other events include an outdoor movie (Toy Story) & Māori storytelling (pūrākau).

www.arrowtownautumnfestival.co.nz

25 April: Land of the Long Long Drive (Arrowtown)

A play featuring iconic NZ creatures, landscapes & waiata by NZ singer-songwriter Benny Tipene. Winner of the 3-8 year-old section of Playmarket's Plays for the Young Competition.

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BOOK NOW: Upcoming Events

- The Big Bike Film Night (Alexandra): 10, 14, 17 May
- Swan Lake RNZB (Dunedin): 30 May
- LUMA Southern Light Project (Queenstown): 30 May-3 June

We'd love to hear about upcoming arts events to share with our region's youth. Please email Isabel - isyboek@gmail.com