**CALL OF THE STRAIT**

A Shared Story from Bass Strait Islands

SUBMISSIONS OPEN

A shared story and creative exchange between Bass Strait Islands, opening at the King Island Gallery 6 September 2025 and Strait Works Gallery, Flinders Island in 2026.

We’re calling on artists, creatives, historians, cultural groups and community members to be part of a collaborative project that celebrates the people, industries and traditions across Bass Strait.

From fishermen to birders, maritime workers and cultural custodians, this project honours the deep connections, stories and skills shaped by the body of water between us.

We’re seeking artworks, maps, artefacts, written and recorded stories, modern and historical photographs, documents and more.

If you have something to share - creative, personal or historical - we’d love to hear from you. Works can be for sale or not for sale.

All works to be posted to King Island by 25 August 2025.

We may be able to offer financial support to cover the cost of postage.

To express interest or find out more please get in touch via email gallery@kingisland.tas.gov.au or phone

King Island Gallery – Taylor Stevens at 0493661816 or

Furneaux Community Arts – Sandro Donati at 0429 383 375.

A collection of works from Bass Strait Islands will be exhibited at the Call of the Strait Exhibition at the King Island Gallery, opening 6 September, and Strait Works Gallery on Flinders Island in 2026.

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