



CAPRICORNIA POTTERS GROUP

www.capricorniapottersgroup.com

Walter Reid Cultural Centre, Level 2 (Room 5), cnr East & Derby Streets, Rockhampton

Potter Profile – Tricia Greinke



Tricia is an accomplished potter and the instructor of Capricornia Potters Group's adult wheel classes.

Tricia has been teaching wheel throwing of pottery for Capricornia Potters Group and at local schools for the past 20 years. She has attended many workshops, both in Rockhampton and throughout the country. She has undertaken study through the Australian National University towards achieving a Diploma in Ceramics.

Tricia has taught wheel work to numerous people, aged from 7 years through to those who just refuse to give up learning and including students with varying impaired abilities. Most join her classes as absolute clay beginners, who go on to throw pots competently. Her pottery classes aim to meet the varying needs and aspirations of students, ranging from those who just want to try it out and make a few gifts to those who want to master the clay on the wheel.

Tricia's beginner classes are structured as weekly, 3 hour lessons extending over 6 to 8 weeks. During this time she covers clay preparation, basic throwing skills to make simple form pots, some decorating techniques, glazing and firing of the pots made in the classes. Once students have completed the course, they may be satisfied to finish their clay learning experience or eager to continue developing their skills under the guidance of Tricia or other experienced club members.

Tricia has been a leading figure within the Capricornia Potters Group for many years, holding executive positions within the club, including a lengthy period as President. She has also done a wonderful job of representing Capricornia Potters Group at various committees and forums.

Tricia has participated in many local exhibitions and arts awards, undertakes commissions of work and sells her pieces through the Capricornia Potters Group Gallery and Shop, the pop-up Reid Shop, the Paint Pot Gallery Yeppoon, the Rockhampton Art Gallery shop and at local markets. Her extensive body of work carrying her *Grass tree* design is well-known and readily recognisable.

Tricia's trademark grass trees



Unless otherwise noted, all materials on this document are the copyright and/or intellectual property owned by the potter profiled and/or Capricornia Potters Group Inc.

Disclaimer: This is a document published on the website www.capricorniapottersgroup.com. The website disclaimer applies to this document.

New work samples

