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A Touch of Glass at Living Arts Space

A new exhibition titled A Touch of Glass will open in the Living Arts Space at the Bendigo Visitor Centre this Tuesday 10 May 2011. It brings together a diverse and exciting range of artworks produced by six glass artists currently living and working in Bendigo and region.

A variety of large-scale pieces by artists, Richard Morrell, Cas Davey and Di Piesse contrast with smaller, more delicate items and jewellery creations by Raelene Schmidt, Carli Hall and Jo Fraser to inspire and enthral visitors.

The works have been produced using a variety of techniques including glass blowing, lampwork and slumped glass, displaying the amazing range and scope of creative possibilities with glass.

"This exhibition beautifully showcases the wealth of artistic talent we have in our region," said Kathryn Mackenzie, Executive Manager Tourism, City of Greater Bendigo.

"When people visit a destination they hope to tap into the essence of a place. By having artworks created here on display we are giving visitors a window into our region's character. They will be impressed by this one, and so too will many locals!"

Admission to the exhibition is free and it is on until Tuesday 26 July 2011.

The Living Arts Space is within the Bendigo Visitor Centre, which is located in the Historic Post Office Building, 51-67 Pall Mall, and is open from 9-5 daily except for Christmas Day.

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