Do you have photography skills and want to develop them further?

Maroondah City Council is seeking young people to participate in an exciting project that will help further develop your photography skills and give you the opportunity to display your artwork as part of a broader project at the new Realm in Ringwood.

What do I get out of it?

You will be mentored by the renowned photojournalist Andy Drewitt (www.andydrewitt.com.au) in documenting and displaying the story of a member of our diverse Maroondah community through photography and the Creative Arts. You and other young people will work with Andy on developing the pieces into a final art installation that will highlight and celebrate the diversity of cultures within Maroondah.

Every participant who completes the project will receive a reference from Andy Drewitt, as well as their artwork to keep (Once the exhibition has closed).

You may also have the opportunity to display your work across other Council sites and Maroondah Festival.

If you are a young person aged 16-18; live, work or play in Maroondah; have an interest in and basic skills in photography then this project is for you!

The project is being delivered from March 2016 – October 2016. Most of the sessions will be delivered late afternoons at a local venue.

How do I apply?

Submit 3 photos you have taken, along with the story of each photo, some background on your interest and skills in the area of photography as well as your links to a particular cultural group in Maroondah (If you do). You may then get an interview to determine your suitability for the project.

Email your application to <u>sarah.cullen@maroondah.vic.gov.au</u> or drop it off to Maroondah City Council service centre in Croydon attention Sarah Cullen in Youth Services by Friday 18th March. For more information contact Sarah at 9294 5701.





Andy Drewitt "Boarding House"