

CARLTON COX

'Close to Home, and Far Away' print exhibition



EXHIBITION:

1 March 2020 - 27 March 2020

A collection of 40 linocuts produced over the past two years, consisting of a several distinct themes.

Close to home are architectural images from northern Tasmania. Sometimes these scenes are recognisable to the viewer, but more frequently they are a less familiar view or an observation of some architectural elements. Growing up amidst the colonial architecture of the northern midlands, Carlton has developed a keen eye for our built heritage.

Far away is a series of Italian scenes that document a month spent in the Italian summer. Carlton's mission during this recent holiday was to translate the images of earthy Umbrian tones into a personal pictorial journal.

Another major theme is a collection of botanically inspired linocuts. Many of the images are of plants that seemed to be popular during the 1960s and 1970s and have a hint of retro about them. Carlton's professional training is horticulture and plant science, so his interest in botanicals is never far away. A number of these pieces are created using a complicated single block technique where the surface is gradually carved away for each layer of colour to be printed. 'It's a risky strategy as one simple error makes the entire edition redundant, says Carlton.'

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The remaining linocuts are comprised of various themes, but include a favorite subject, the Tasmanian Native Hen.

The whole process of assembling an exhibition is a long and slow process. Once a design is prepared the printing process begins where each colour is applied separately, allowing several days between each inking to allow for drying time. A limited edition of images, generally ten or twenty, are hand printed using tradition techniques, and once complete there are no more images produced from the carved blocks.

Catalogue Carlton Cox



Blacksmith's Shop Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 180 x 215 cm framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Cressy Silos Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 270 x 215
framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Franklin House Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction
215
framed \$360 un-framed \$230



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Jolly Farmer Kitchen Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Jolly Farmer, View from the Loft

Edition of 12 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 210 x 210 framed \$360 un-framed \$230

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Low Head Pilot Station Edition 10

Colour linocut - multi-block, reduction & caustic etch 300×180

framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Ritchies Mill Edition 12
Colour linocut - single block & reduction 300 x 180
framed \$360
un-framed \$230



Springbanks Stable Edition 12 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 300 x 195 framed \$360 un-framed \$230

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Tasmanian Colonial Edition 12 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 365 x 220 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Water Tank, Cressy Edition 20 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 180 x 170 framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Anemone japonica Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 300 x 300
framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Aloe striatula Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 300 x 300
framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Brachyscome multifida Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Chaenomeles japonica Edition 10

Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction

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300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Clematis & Cymbalaria Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block 300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Cornus capitata Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 300 x 300
framed \$360 un-framed \$200



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Dickensonia antartica Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction

300 x 300

framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Eucalyptus oblique Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 145 x 130 framed \$400 un-framed \$250

Echinacea purpurea Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Obra di Vallarsa' Edition Multi-block Linocut 300 x 300

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Fuchsia magellanica Edition 10 Multi-block reduction Linocut framed \$400 un-framed \$230



Montefalco vineyard Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Osteospermum ecklonis Edition 12

Multi-block reduction Linocut framed \$400 un-framed \$230



Rudbeckia fulgida Edition of 10 Multi-block and caustic-etch Linocut 300 x 300 framed \$400 unframed \$250



Arrivederci Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250

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Assisi Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 300 x 300 framed \$400 unframed \$250



Ca'Deserta, Monte San Pietro Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 190 x 270 framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Morning in Spello Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 300 x 300 framed \$400 un-framed \$250



Collinetta sentiero dei pini

Edition 20 Colour linocut - multi-block, reduction & caustic etch 295 x 240 framed \$360 unframed \$230



Perugia at noon Edition 20 Multi-block reduction woodcut 290 x 180 framed \$360 un-framed \$230

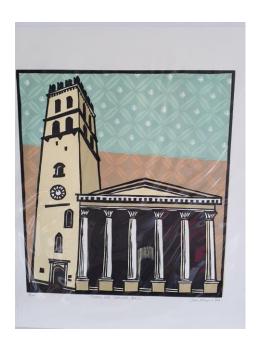
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Perugia cat Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 150 x 120 framed \$180 unframed \$100



Perugia rooftops Edition 20 Colour linocut - multi-block, reduction & caustic etch 240 x 165 framed \$360 unframed #230



Piazza del Comune, Assisi

Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 270 x 300 framed \$320 un-framed \$180



Piazza della Liberta, Spoleto

Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 220 x 300 framed \$360 un-framed \$230

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Road to Collepino Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 300 x 220 framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Sacchi Edition 20 Multi-block reduction Linocut 140 x 140 framed \$180 unframed \$100

Asparagus shard Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction
320 x 220 cm
framed \$280 un-framed \$200



Blue ring Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 150 x 180 cm framed \$180 un-framed \$100



Bus stop Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 120 x 130 cm framed \$180 un-framed \$100

Escapade Edition 56 • edition sold Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 200 x 200 cm framed \$360 un-framed \$230

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Fountain shard Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 270 x 240 cm framed \$360 un-framed \$230



King of the swamp Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 250 x 300 cm framed \$360 un-framed \$230



Saturday night Edition 10
Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 150 x 200 cm
framed \$180 un-framed \$100

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Spotted Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 190 x 180 cm framed \$180 un-framed \$1000



Sunday morning Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction 145 x 150 cm framed \$180 un-framed \$100



Train station Edition 10 Colour linocut - multi-block & reduction

150 x 180 cm framed \$180 un-framed \$100