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14 June 2006

Dear Anne,

Percival Vestments
14 April - 21 May, 2005

Congratulations on your work and thank you for your involvement in Percival Vestments. Your contribution was invaluable to the success of this exhibition.

The show was warmly embraced by the community and visitors to Townsville. Considerable positive feedback was received and copies of the comments are included for your interest, as well as media clippings.

As you know, the idea for this exhibition came from Steve Price and he was incessant in his promotion of the exhibition. A total of 3420 visitors were recorded, including students from 5 schools.

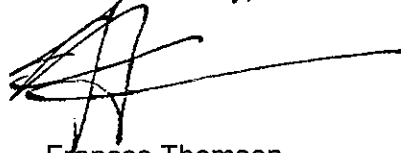
Thank you also to those artists who participated in the floortalks and to those who came in for the final wind-up. Your generosity in providing insight into your works is greatly appreciated.

The concept for next year's inclusive show is an exhibition of portraits, entitled The Percival - not to be confused with the Archibald! The dates for this are yet to be set, but tending towards the latter half of 2007.

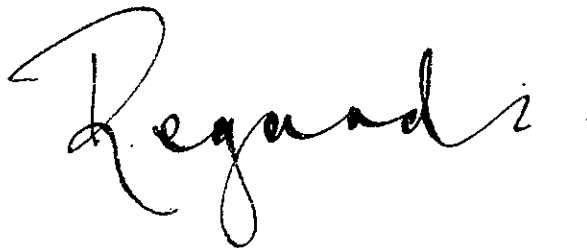
In addition please find enclosed a flier for Angels, an exhibition for the showcase for the lead up to Christmas 2006. We encourage you to apply keeping in mind that there is a size restriction per work of 15 cm.

The exhibition, Percival Vestments, and community response were especially pleasing, and again I thank you for your contribution.

Yours sincerely,



Frances Thomson
DIRECTOR



The Mayor of
Townsville, Councillor
Tony Mooney and
the Councillors of
Townsville City Council
invite you and your guest
to the official opening of

Percival Vestments

To be opened by

Steve Price

Media Personality and
Community Ambassador
for Townsville

**7.00pm Friday
28 April 2006**

**Perc Tucker
Regional Gallery**

Cnr Denham Street
& Flinders Mall
Townsville QLD 4810

Dress theme:
Personalised Vests
RSVP acceptance only
07 4727 9011

EXHIBITION DATES

18 April - 21 May 2006



Percival Vestments

Artists

Adriaan VANDERLUGT

Alison McDONALD

Anne LORD

Barbara DOUGLAS

Barbara PIERCE

Birte MULLER

Cerise JAZZ

Cheryl McGANNON

Chris JAKKU

Claudia WILLIAMS

Dinie GAEMERS

Donna FOLEY

Elizabeth TILLACK

Emily HILL

Erwin CRUZ

Fibres & Fabrics

Glen SKIEN

Heather BYRNE

Jackie ELMORE

Jan HYNES

Janne BOGOMIAGKOVA

Jenny TYACK

Joanna ANGLESEY

Judith DURNFORD

Judith FLOYD

Lizet FRIJTERS

Lynn SCOTT-CUMMING

Magnetic Island Crafters

Marion GAEMERS

Maxine SMITH

Mona RYDER

Richard GILLESPIE

Sharyn DENYER

Sylvia DITCHBURN

Therese DUFF

Victoria NELSON

Pricey's 'vested interest'

COLOURFUL vests that have been worn by radio personality, Steve 'Pricey' Price, will be on display at the Perc Tucker Regional Gallery until May 21.

The exhibition, *Percival Vestments*, follows the runaway success of *Walk this Way* (2004), artists' exploration of shoes and the foot fetish, and *Perc's Purses* (2005) where artists were invited to explore the purse in its varied manifestations.

Both exhibitions involved humour, captivated their audiences and led to a range of follow-up exhibitions being proposed.

The title and concept for *Percival Vestments*, suggested by Pricey, is a selection of his iconic vests, made by craft practitioners.

But there is more to the exhibition than Pricey's brightly coloured vests.

There are 37 artists involved in *Percival Vestments*, the majority from the twin cities, with representatives from Darwin, Sydney and Tasmania.



RADIO personality, Steve Pricey, with a selection of his signature vest collection
Photo: DAVEY RINTALA DR404051

A diversity of materials is used in the exhibition — Alison McDonald has knitted her vestment from bureaucratic red tape.

The barb in Alison's work is that she is a witness (victim) of the downsizing of the College of Music Visual Arts and Theatre at James Cook University as a result of bureaucratic decisions.

For more information contact the gallery on 4727 9647.

OH WHO CARES...
TROPICAL Friday today and just perfect weather for it so look out for that tropical shirt, leave the business shirt and tie at home with the umbrella you don't need any more until next year and get ready to welcome the weekend in true tropical style. And if you've run out of ideas for Tropical Friday gear, pop into the Perc Tucker and have a look at their *Percival Vestments* exhibition which should sort you out in no time.

Friday 28/4/06 MARY VERNON
A TRUCK driver

17/5/06

THE Sun

OUT ABOUT

RADIO station announcer, Steve 'Pricey' Price, will have his brightly coloured vests that he is notoriously known for throughout the twin cities, on exhibit at the Perc Tucker Regional Gallery until Sunday. The exhibition, *Percival Vestments*, was inspired by the 2005 runaway hit exhibition *Perc's Purses*. The title is a play on the words 'personal investment' and uses the Gallery's name 'Perc' and 'Vestments' thus creating a title that incorporates a variety of concepts artists can explore. The gallery is located on the corner of Denham Street and Flinders Street Mall. For more information contact the gallery on 4727 9011.