



Needy migrants helped by creative minds

THE University Of Western Sydney's Students In Free Enterprise (SIFE) team need artists to donate their work for the group's annual Art For Literacy Exhibition.

The exhibition is to raise funds for the Australian Literacy and Numeracy Foundation and SIFE needs artworks to sell, according to group member Stephanie Borg.

"Anyone is able to donate work whether they are a professional artist or just have a creative streak," she said.

"This is a great opportunity to gain some exposure for artwork.

"All types of art are welcome, including paintings, photographs, sculptures, woodwork, textiles and ceramics."

Ms Borg said that supporting artists would be helping to fund the foundation's New Migrant Youth Project.

"This is a literacy tutoring program to help new migrants from African and Afghani backgrounds in years 7 to 11," she said.

"A number of schools are targeted in areas of high need in the western Sydney region."

There will be two Art For Literacy exhibitions, the first being on Friday, May 30, at the Ian Turbott building on the UWS Parramatta campus.

The second will be held from Saturday, June 7, to Monday, June 9, at the Beach Art Gallery, Thirroul.

■ To donate work, register your details by emailing Stephanie Borg on 1593146@uws.edu.au