

DISTANT EARLY WARNINGS

of global warming and climate change...

a multimedia exhibition and performance by

RON EDEN and **TOM FITZGERALD**



EXHIBITION

17 - 25 March 2010

PERFORMANCE

Thursday 18 March, 7.30pm

MEET THE ARTISTS

Thursday 18 March, 8.15pm

Upper Yarra Arts Centre

Bookings & Enquiries: 5966 4500



Upper Yarra Arts Centre in conjunction with Harmony Festival are proud to present this exciting multimedia work by two outstanding artists, highlighting the influence of climate change on our planet..

Ron Eden's projected images, together with Tom Fitzgerald's music performance form the combined D.E.W.S multimedia work. Featuring "Shower Songs", the original music composition made up of collected environmental sounds and composed music for solo violin.

"When I first learnt about global warming and climate change I was driven by the challenge of going to the ecological "frontline" and pictorially capturing the wreck and havoc it was causing our planet.

My tools included about 2000 slides from my audio visual production days. My "associate" was the completely unpredictable behaviour of film emulsion that I exposed mercilessly to the same catalysts that cause climate change – airborne chemicals, irresponsible human environmental activities and temperature extremes.

I have made a new kind of photography... the dewpics are an iconographic language not altered in any way by computer technology. I have put the environmental changes taking place on planet earth into some sort of order, some sort of pictorial logic, for the generations that will follow us."

Ron Eden

For more information visit www.edendewpics.com
Dr Tom Fitzgerald is a world renowned violinist and an award winning composer and conductor. D.E.W.S features a performance of his work "ShowerSongs", a piece commissioned by the ABC and awarded "Italia Prize Finalist" in Vienna 2008.

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