



The Collie Trusts

Benefactor history

Catherine Mary Collie and Barbara Collie were two of four children of Robert and Catherine Collie. Their father, Robert Collie, established R.Collie & Co Pty Ltd a print ink manufacturing business in 1893.

In 1950 the company went public as Collie Australia Ltd and was taken over in 1979. The business no longer exists under the Collie name.

Barbara Collie established the Collie Print Trust in 1967, in memory of her father and her late brothers, William and George. She died in 1970. Her sister Catherine died in 1966. Neither had ever married or had children.

The Wills were complex and provided half of their estates be placed in life interest trusts for the benefit of other relatives, with the capital passing to those relatives' children upon their deaths. On the deaths of the beneficiaries a charitable trust was then to be established.

The Collie Foundation was established on 1 September 2001.

Beneficiaries

The Collie Foundation is a general, perpetual, charitable trust giving the trustees wide discretion. The trustees have a particular interest in supporting charitable organisations that assist the disadvantaged and marginalised. The trust favours grants to organisations which have an impact in rural Victoria.

The Collie Print Trust has philanthropic aims within the print industry and supports industry education and scholarships in both graphic art and design, and in fine art.

Bequest achievements

The Collie Foundation has funded a range of projects that have assisted disadvantaged families and children in rural and regional Victoria.

The Collie Print Trust supports awards for talented apprentices in the printing industry, scholarships and awards through of the International Centre of Graphic Technology, School of Design. RMIT University supports artistic and educational endeavours at the Australian Print Workshop and sponsors AGIdeas, an international design event under the auspices of Alliance Graphique Internationale.

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ANZ Trustees is a co-trustee and the Administrator of The Collie Trusts.

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