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Refugees have created artworks for the Diversity in Action exhibition at Campbelltown Arts Centre.
Picture: Tim Clapin

Refugees in picture

Exhibition shares asylum seekers' experiences

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IN A celebration of Refugee Week, Macarthur Diversity Services Initiative and Campbelltown Arts Centre is showcasing the experiences of refugees through an art exhibition.

Celebrating Diversity which has the theme "with courage, let us combine" features art by refugees and shows the hardships they ex-

perience in the search for peace and freedom.

MDSI generalist settlement caseworker Sana Al-Ahmar said the exhibition told important stories which the community must know about.

"Many refugees face ongoing discrimination, violence and uncertainty, with little hope for a resolution in the near future," Ms Al-Ahmar said. "The theme

calls on us to consider how we can provide solutions for these refugees."

The exhibition began last Friday and will be available for viewing at Campbelltown Arts Centre until Sunday.

The centre is open every day from 10am-4pm.

Refugee Week is a national celebration which coincides with World Refugee Day.

For details on the exhibition, call 4645 4100.