



**Gallery director
Terri Lew is
thrilled with
the show**

Quirky feminine touch

IT is a good time to head to the 19Karen gallery in Mermaid Beach if you are in need of a culture fix.

Packed with striking pop culture pieces from Sarah Beetson and Dan Withey, the explosion of colours and political statements captured on canvas make it well worth getting to the gallery before March 19 to see the show.

A string of separate exhibitions to celebrate International Women's Day also opened at 19Karen this week and include the quirky sculptures of Midge Johnsen.

Gallery director Terri Lew said the shows included ceramic sculpture, embroidery, video and paintings.

"It is the first time we have had an exhibition like this (for International Women's Day)," she said.