


JANNA HAYES

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PROFILE SUMMARY

Janna is an emerging artist based in the Northern Tablelands of New South Wales. Her work consists of large, expressive landscapes and abstract pieces.

Janna's practice examines the relationship individuals have with nature and the way in which we turn to specific landscapes for solace, grounding and rejuvenation. Our identity is tied to a certain place as we develop our sense of self against that set landscape. As we move through life it is this same environment to which we return to draw , inspiration, hope and energy.

Painted primarily in bitumen and oil paint on paper, Janna's work reflects a deeply personal journey of moving through grief in a foreign landscape and learning to challenge one's own self-narrative in order to find beauty and connection in the unfamiliar.

Janna is currently preparing works for her debut show "This Will Be The Place" at Weswal Gallery in Tamworth, May 2023.

AWARDS & GRANTS

Bendemeer Art Prize Winner, Major Art Prize	<i>April 2023</i>
Arts North West Microgrant (professional development)	<i>October 2022</i>
Armidale Art Show 2nd Place "Blue Bottle" Acrylic on canvas	<i>Summer 2021</i>