## **Moving forward by looking** back: memories, nostalgia and connection to place.

**By Sarah Lugton** 



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Sarah Lugton (born and raised in Bathurst) creates contemporary abstract paintings from her studio gallery in Williamstown North, land of the Kulin nation. Sarah explores expressionist and abstract styles, describing her process of mark making on canvas as "flowing through her rather than from her".

The body of work explores the ideas of identity and notions of self, that we are never truly lost, perhaps just displaced. Nostalgia, memories and connections to place are inextricably linked to our sense of self in the world. The work is emotive, gestural brushstrokes with energetic movement, creating layers of intense colour and texture.

'Moving forward by looking back: memory, nostalgia and connection to place' is the art of journaling life in colour. Revealing memories and nostalgia that is site specific to Bathurst as a way of sharing our mutual connection and sense of identity.





Begonia Blooms Dipper Deep-dive Sunbake Cloudscape Summertime Daydream Annie's Sofala Gold Fruit Tingles Delight Cornershop Magic King's Keepsakes Girlhood MacKillop Waterpolo Practise Macquarie breathe, walk. Pathway Sparkles Machattie Flowers For You Dreams Afloat



## **Begonia Blooms**

1200 x 1000 x 40mm Acrylic, mixed media. \$2250





## King's Keepsakes

600 x 600 x 40mm Acrylic, mixed media. \$910



## Annie's Sofala Gold

600 x 600 x 40mm Acrylic, mixed media. \$910



## Macquarie breathe, walk.

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## **Dipper Deep-dive**

1200 x 1000 x 40mm Acrylic, mixed media. \$2250



## Sunbake Cloudscape

1000 x 1000 x 40mm Acrylic, impasto, pumice, ink medium \$1900



## **Summertime Daydream**

1000 x 1000 x 40mm Acrylic, ink medium. \$1900



#### Machattie Flowers For You

250 x 250 x 40mm Acrylic, impasto, ink medium. \$290



## Pathway Sparkles

250 x 250 x 40mm Acrylic, mixed media. \$290



#### **Dreams Afloat**

250 x 250 x 40mm Acrylic, impasto, ink medium \$290



## Girlhood MacKillop

400 x 600 x 40mm Acrylic, impasto, ink. \$575



## Waterpolo Practise

400 x 600 x 40mm Acrylic, impasto, ink. \$575



## Fruit Tingles Delight

600 x 600 x 40mm Acrylic, ink medium. \$910



## Cornershop Magic

600 x 600 x 40mm Acrylic, ink medium. \$910



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