

An abstract painting featuring a palette of warm, earthy tones including ochre, sienna, and terracotta, contrasted with cooler greys and blues. The brushwork is expressive and textured, with visible strokes and layering of paint. The composition is non-representational, focusing on color and form.

Wanderlust
Dylan Jones



Online Exhibition from 22 June 2023

Jan Manton Gallery is proud to present *Wanderlust* by Dylan Jones, an online exhibition. This new series of works sees an evolution of Jones' *en plein air* approach to painting, as the artist adapted his modes of making to suit a more incidental engagement with time, place and subjects.

“Earlier this year, my partner, our child and I were fortunate enough to spend two months together exploring the UK and Ireland. The circumstances of travel required that I reduce my studio to an ultra-small scale. My painting box could only accommodate small works, even though the views in front of me were so large and expansive.

Travelling with an infant also meant I was limited in the amount of time I could paint each day. There were short windows of opportunity to paint during her naps, and in the evening after she had gone to sleep. This routine encouraged a more imaginative response to the landscape, painting from memory rather than from life. Portraits also began to emerge, inspired by simply looking at myself in the mirror or catching glimpses of my partner having some down time.”

— Dylan Jones

The resulting body of works draws an interesting parallel between the method of making and the resulting compositions. As the expansive vistas of new places are rendered in a restricted scale, so too is the artists' time, expanding and contracting against the novelty of travel and exploration.



A Moment Of A Peace, 2023
Oil on canvas, framed in Tasmanian oak
19 x 15 cm

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Lingering Light, 2023
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If Only We Had More Time Together, 2023
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My Muse, 2023
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This Is What I Remember, 2023
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The Passage Through, 2023
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The Coastal Route, 2023
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The Secret Waterfall, 2023
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There's An Energy To This Place, 2023
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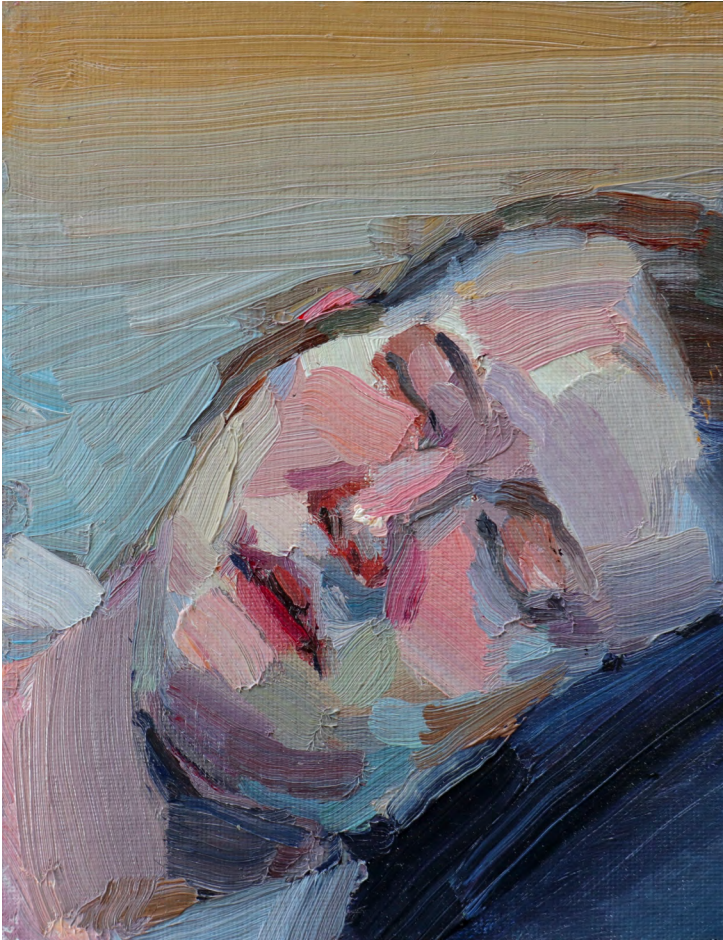
That Warm Inner Glow, 2023
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Reminds Me Of Home, 2023
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Wake Up Sleepyhead, 2023
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Connecting Flight, 2023
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No Fixed Address, 2023
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Jetlagged, 2023
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View From Above, 2023
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It's A Long Way Down, 2023
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Eye Of The Storm, 2023
Oil on canvas, framed in Tasmanian oak
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Exposed To The Elements, 2023
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Long Lost Brother, 2023
Oil on canvas, framed in Tasmanian oak
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Four Eyes, 2023
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Front cover image: *That Warm Inner Glow*

Back cover image: *It's A Long Way Down*

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