

MAREE KELLY

b. 1968, Gunnedah NSW

EDUCATION

- 2022 Painting masterclass, National Art School
- 2000 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Newcastle University
- 1998 Advanced Diploma of Fine Arts, New England Institute of TAFE

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 'Half a Million Wild Acres' Outback Arts Centre, Coonamble
- 2023 'The Pilliga' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
- 2021 'My Country' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah
- 2016 'Precious Water' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
- 2011 'The Plains' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
- 2010 'A Good Season' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah
- 2009 'My Landscape' Haydon Hall, Murrurundi
- 2008 '12 x 16' Narrabri Antiques and Art, Narrabri
- 2007 'My Country' Narrabri Antiques and Art, Narrabri
- 2006 'Seeing the Trees' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
- 2004 'View From a Plain' Oriel Gallery, Brisbane
- 2003 'Landscapes' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah
- 2002 'Landscapes From My Country' Narrabri Antiques and Art, Narrabri
- 2001 'Rivers and Plains' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 'Uneven Terrain: Surveying the Landscape' Gallery Lane Cove
'To My Returning' Bank Art Museum (Moree Regional Gallery)
- 2023 CREATE Festival, Crossing Theatre, Narrabri
- 2019 'Art, Word, Place' Tamworth Regional Art Gallery + Regional Australia Institute, Canberra
- 2018 'From Mountains to Plains' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth (with Frances Feasey & Emily Simson)
- 2017 'A Wilful, Lavish Land' Creative Arts Gallery, Gunnedah (with Frances Feasey & Emily Simson)
- 2015 'The Road Home' Work of Art Community Gallery, Gunnedah
- 2007 'Less is More' Tamworth Regional Gallery, Tamworth
- 2005 'Gunnedah' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth
- 2003 'Storms, Droughts and Teacups' Weswal Gallery, Tamworth (two person, with Yvette Hugill)
- 2001 'Two Visions' Oriel Gallery, Brisbane (two person, with Gab Collins)
- 2000 'New Skin' Tamworth Regional Gallery
- 2000 '25kms from the Meridian' temporary artist run space, Gunnedah
- 1999 'Within the Landscape' Watt Space Gallery, Newcastle

SELECTED AWARDS + PRIZES

- 2023 Winner, Outback Archies Art Prize
- 2019 Finalist, Paddington Art Prize
- 2019 Finalist, Muswellbrook Art Prize
- 2012 Finalist, Norvill Art Prize
- 2004 Finalist, Cromwell's Art Prize
- 2003 Finalist, Country Energy Landscape Prize

GRANTS + COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS

- 2023 'A Letter to My Returning...' Arts North West
- 2021 'Look Both Ways' Arts North West + New England Regional Art Museum
- 2019 'Art, Word, Place' Arts North West + Tamworth Regional Gallery

COMMISSIONS

- 2021 Dorothea Mackellar Poetry Awards, creation of artworks for prizes for national poetry competition
- 2004 'Four Views of the Liverpool Plains' Arts Environment Project – Institute of Rural Futures
- 2002 'Christmas Eve' Christmas card design commissioned by the Australian Red Cross

PUBLICATIONS/ VIDEO/ RADIO

- 2023 Interview with ABC New England for 'The Pilliga' exhibition at Tamworth
- 2021 Video and printed publication, featured artist for the Dorothea Mackellar Poetry Awards
- 2015 'Contemporary Views of the Sweeping Plains' ABC Open Makers and Creators Project
- 2004 Australian Artist Magazine, May 2004

COLLECTIONS

- Gunnedah Shire Council
- Barraba Council
- Narrabri Shire Council
- Narrabri Hospital

TEACHING

- 2001 - 2006 Teacher, Fine Arts & Media - New England Institute of TAFE, Gunnedah and Tamworth
- 2003 - 2017 Tutor, Painting - Northern Inland Community College, Gunnedah