



Adelaide Park Lands Art Prize

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SNEAK PEAK AT PARK LANDS ART PRIZE FINALISTS

Wednesday 22 March – 11:00 AM
Adelaide Festival Centre Foyer Galleries

One of the richest Art Prizes in South Australia is about to launch, this week, at the Adelaide Festival Centre.

The \$50,000 Adelaide Park Lands Art Prize will officially open at 6pm on Friday 24 March, at an invitation-only event, featuring the Lord Mayor, Jane Lomax-Smith, former Lord Mayor Sandy Verschoor as MC, and a opening speech by Deputy Premier and Minister for the Environment, Susan Close, MP.

In preparation for the official opening, 80 art works from 75 finalists (selected from 480 entries) are being installed this week in the Festival Centre foyer galleries.

Some of the artists will be available for interview (alongside their artworks) during the installation process, on Wednesday 22 March at 11 AM.

The Finalists' Exhibition will be open to the public from Saturday 25 March. Winners will be announced at the invite-only opening night on Friday 24 March.

The biennial Adelaide Park Lands Art Prize has the theme “Inspire”. Artists have been inspired by the world-unique Adelaide Park Lands, and in turn hope to inspire others with their works. Their works represent each artist’s attempt to “capture the essence of one or more elements of the Adelaide Park Lands”.

From a competitive pool of over 480 submissions, a panel of five eminent art judges selected 80 works to be the finalists.

The exhibition is free to attend and open to the public from 25 March - 7 May 2023, at the Festival Centre Foyer Galleries.

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