

Press Release

260 Rocks – A Bold New Exhibition from 3DayArt

3DayArt is a Mullumbimby arts initiative that celebrates and supports local artists through inclusive, adventurous, and community-driven projects. Each event offers a three-day art experience that transforms the Civic Art Space (part of Mullumbimby Memorial Hall) into a vibrant hub of creativity, dialogue, and connection.

The upcoming exhibition, *260 Rocks* — the third 3DayArt event this year — continues this spirit of playful experimentation and community collaboration. It presents three distinctive works by three accomplished local artists.

Coinciding with the **Chinny Charge 2025** on Saturday, 20 September, the exhibition offers a unique opportunity to unite cultural experience with community sport — blending artistic inspiration with physical challenge.

- **Richard Tabaka – 260 Rocks**

Inspired by abstract aerial photographs of Lake Eyre's shores, Richard's installation suspends 260 ceramic rocks from the ceiling, arranged over patterns reflecting the colours of sand collected in central Australia. The natural patterns found there are recreated on ceramic rocks using the *Obvara Method* of ceramic firing.

- **Suvira McDonald – *Revistation Sentinels***

Suvira's works, drawn on materials from a bygone era, revisit the times of early settlers and their complex relationship with land, materials, and purpose. These sculptures invite reflection not on what they represent, but on the resonances they create — physically, spatially, and within the shared imagination of place.

- **Stefan Mager – *Mandala of Curious Spirits***

Stefan's presents 33 ceramic sculptures arranged in a square mandala. Each figure is unique, from fantastic animals and chimeras to humanoid forms and entirely imagined creatures. At the centre sits a contemplative, human-like figure, anchoring the mandala within a black tray on a square pedestal.

Together, these works form a curious and thought-provoking experience. Visitors are invited to move among the installations and imagine how individual objects transform when brought together in a shared creative field.

3DayArt believes art should be open, accessible, and unexpected. Sculpture comes into dialogue with the community, uplifting the imagination into an experience of wonder and play.

Exhibition Details:

Where: Civic Art Space, Mullumbimby Memorial Hall, 55 Dalley Street

When: 18–20 September 2025

Opening Hours: Thursday 6–8pm, Friday & Saturday 10am–5pm

Opening: Opening by Byron Shire Mayor Sarah Ndiaye on **Thursday, 18 September at 5pm**

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Images

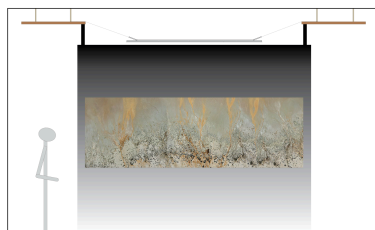


From left to right: Suvira McDonald, Richard Tabaka, Stefan Mager

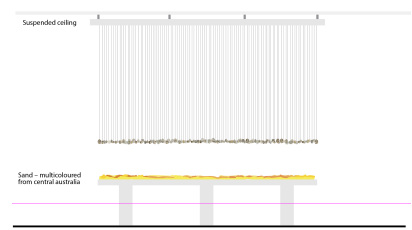
Richard Tabaka, 260 Rocks Installation



Obvara ceramic rock samples

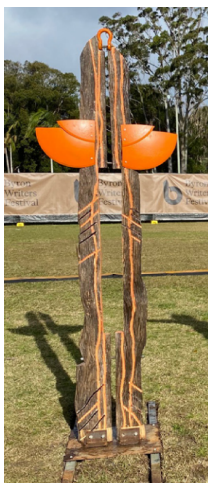


Installation concept



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Suvira McDonald, Revistation Sentinels



Revistation Sentinel #1

Revistation Sentinel #2

Revistation Sentinel #3

Stefan Mager, Mandala of Curious Spirits



Side view



View from the top



Detail of the centre piece