

Earth Canvas ~ Mount Gambier

FARM & ART OPEN DAY

REGENERATIVE FARM TOUR + ART TALK + LOCAL FOOD FOR LUNCH

Sunday 22nd August 2021

10am to 3.30pm

Art talk and walk

10am to 10.45am Starts at The Riddoch Arts & Cultural Centre (1 Bay Road, Mount Gambier SA) for a guided tour of the Earth Canvas Travelling exhibition.

Portland Artist **Carmel Wallace** will share her experience creating an art piece while working at Glenhuntly.

Farm tour & lunch

11am to 3.30pm Travel to **Glenhuntly** 51 Bones Rd. Eight Mile Creek SA 5291, 15 minutes from Mt Gambier.

A mixed farming business combining production, conservation and regenerative farming practices. Producing The Splendid Egg, lamb and beef on the Limestone coast.

Hosts for the day **Liam & Sarah Brokensha** will share their experience of building soils, plant diversity using animals to achieve their goals.

This is a real opportunity to see how artist **Carmel Wallace** and the Brokensha's see the landscape.

Ken Jones from Bush Repair will share local indigenous bush knowledge.




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\$35 per adult ~ \$75 family of 4 ~ \$25 student ~ \$15 under 16 ~ Free under 5



EARTH CANVAS

Earth Canvas is about reconnecting people with the farming landscape and using the eye of the artist to express what they see. It is about empowering people to be part of the solution to make the planet earth a better place.

Earth canvas started with 6 leading Australian artists working on 6 regenerative farms between the Murray and Murrumbidgee Rivers on the SW slopes of NSW.

The artists produced over 70 artworks now travelling to 6 regional galleries and museums in 4 states and finishing at the Australian National Museum in October 2022.

At each regional exhibition a local artist and farmer are engaged to share their knowledge of art in the region.

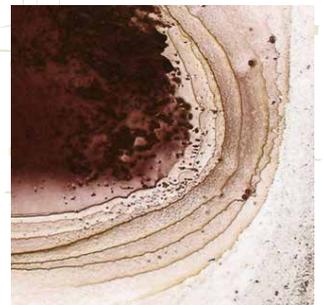
The Earth Canvas exhibition will be at the Riddoch Arts & Cultural Centre at Mount Gambier from July 16 to August 29 2021.



Artist: CARMEL WALLACE

Carmel is an award-winning printmaker/sculptor/installation-artist and finalist in major Australian prizes including the Wynne Prize, Woollahra Small Sculpture Award, and the SA Museum's 2020 Waterhouse.

Her work has been described as "Sensitive to the rhythms of tide and trail, and to the historical significance of the site, Wallace has created distinctive works that focus on the way nature is mediated by people. In collected materials and journal notes, Wallace marks the ubiquitous terrain of human presence. Time and patina, are at the core of her connection to the landscape – embodied both in the materials themselves and in the time it takes to walk, to observe, and to collect." NETS Victoria carmelwallace.com



Regenerative Farmers: LIAM AND SARAH BROKENSHA

The Hunt family have been managing regenerative farming at Glenhuntly for over 20 years. Liam & Sarah took over the management in 2016 and have continued the practice. Liam says "We want to make soil and talk about the subtle aspects of building soil capacity in this old brittle country."

Liam considers regenerative farming as conservation and a rehabilitation approach to food and farming systems. It focuses on soil regeneration, increasing biodiversity, improving the water cycle, enhancing ecosystem services and supporting bio sequestration. While increasing resilience to climate change and strengthening the health and vitality of farm soil. It enhances our lives, work and our community.

In 2016 they started The Splendid Egg and use the hens to sanitize and fertilize the pastures and in turn the hens produce a delicious nutrient dense egg. The eggs give them an opportunity to engage with the local community and consumers directly.

A family day at the Gallery and visit a regenerative farm.

For farmers, consumers and anyone interested in healthy food and healthy soil.

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