

Evolution: Founders of the Indigenous Art Movement

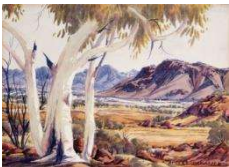
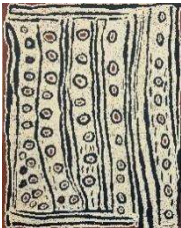
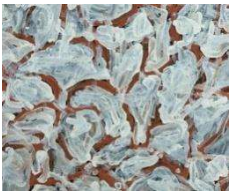
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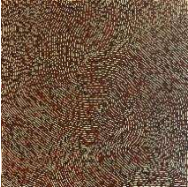
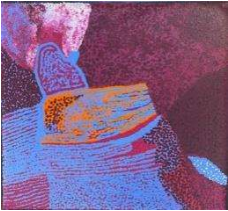
EMILY KAME KNGWARREYE, MAKINTI
NAPANANGKA, NYURAPAYIA NAMPITJINPA (MRS
BENNETT), EILEEN NAPALTJARRI, JORNA NEWBERRY,
ALBERT NAMATJIRA, NAATA NUNGURRAYI, OTTO
PAREROULTJA, RONNIE TJAMPITJINPA, CHARLIE
TJAPANGATI, WARLIMPIRRNGA TJAPALTJARRI,
GEORGE TJUNGURRAYI, TOMMY WATSON,
BARBARA WEIR.

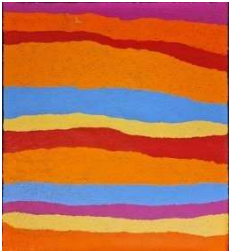
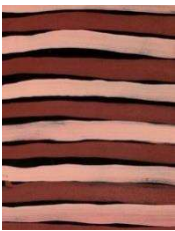
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This exhibition brings together works by some of the most celebrated figures in Indigenous Australian art, tracing the practice through the artists who shaped its contemporary expression. Evolution gathers paintings of remarkable depth, colour and cultural significance.

A Gallery Lane Cove Guest Curator Program exhibition.

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| 1 |  | <p>Albert Namatjira (1902-59), Hermannsburg NT.
 Language: Western Arrernte, Central Desert region
 <i>Ghost Gum</i>, c.1950's
 Signed lower right; titled & 421, C lower edge under
 matt board; titled verso in pencil: "Ghost Gum,
 McDonnell Ranges, Cent. Aust"
 Watercolour on paper
 (Additional pencil sketch of MacDonnell Ranges verso)
 24 x 36cm</p> | \$145,000 |
| 2 |  | <p>Otto Pareroutja (1914-1973) Hermannsburg NT
 Western MacDonnell Ranges
 Watercolour on paper
 38 x 51cm
 Signed lower</p> | \$12,000 |
| 3 |  | <p>Nyurapayia Nampitjinpa (1935-2013) Yumara, W.A.;
 Pintupi
 <i>Untitled</i>, 2011
 Acrylic on Belgian linen
 71 x 56cm</p> | \$8,000 |
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| 7 |  | <p>Makinti Napanangka (c.1930-2011) Lake MacDonald
 WA; Pintupi
 <i>Untitled (Mugilypa Shrub)</i>, 1999
 Utopia Art, Sydney (bears label verso)
 Private Collection, Sydney
 Synthetic polymer on linen
 38 x 46cm</p> | \$6,600 |

8		Ronnie Tjampitjinpa (c.1943-2023) Kintore, NT; Pintupi <i>Bushfire Dreaming</i> , 2007 Synthetic polymer on linen 203 x 300cm	\$95,000
9		Eileen Napaltjarri (1956-2024) Haasts Bluff, NT; Pintupi <i>Tali - Many Sandhills</i> , 2018 Acrylic on Belgian Linen 122 x 151cm	\$12,000
10		Ronnie Tjampitjinpa (c.1943-2023) Kintore, NT; Pintupi <i>Untitled (Tingari)</i> Synthetic polymer on linen 91 x 122cm	\$18,000
11		Charlie Tjapangati b.1949- Near Kiwirrkurra WA Language: Pintupi; Community: Kintore NT <i>Untitled</i> , 2018 Acrylic on Belgian linen 122x122cm	\$12,000
12		Warlimpirrnga Tjapaltjarri c. 1958- Kiwirrkurra, WA; Pintupi <i>Marrawa</i> , 2019 Synthetic polymer on Belgian linen 181 x 244cm	POA
13		Naata Nungurrayi (c.1932-2021) Kumilnga, WA Kintore/ Kiwirrkura; Pintupi <i>Marrapinti</i> , 2009 Synthetic polymer on Belgian linen 183 x 244cm	\$220,000
14		George Tjungurrayi Born c. 1943 in Kiwirrkura, WA; Pintupi <i>Mamultjulkunga</i> , 2015 Synthetic polymer on Belgian linen 151 x 181cm	\$120,000
15		Yannima Pikarli Tommy Watson (c..1935-2017) Anamarapiti, west of Irrunytju, WA; Pitjantjatjara <i>Walunja</i> , 2015 Acrylic on Belgian linen 102 x 112cm	\$40,000
16		Jorna Newberry b.1959-2025 Angus Downs, NT <i>Walpa- wind dreaming</i> , 2014 Acrylic on Belgian linen 91 x 122cm	\$13,500

17		Yannima Pikarli Tommy Watson (c.1935-2017) Anamarapiti, west of Irrunytju, WA Pitjantjatjara <i>Kungkarankalpa</i>, 2014 Acrylic on Belgian linen 112 x 102cm	\$40,000
18		Emily Kame Kngwarreye c. 1910-1996 Utopia, NT; Anmatyerre <i>Yam dreaming</i> Synthetic polymer on linen 32 x 62cm	\$25,000
19		Emily Kame Kngwarreye c. 1910-1996 Utopia, NT; Anmatyerre <i>Body Paint</i>, 1995 Synthetic polymer on linen 90 x 61cm	\$110,000
20		Emily Kame Kngwarreye c. 1910-1996 Utopia, NT; Anmatyerre <i>Body Paint</i>, 1994 Synthetic polymer on linen 31 x 41cm	\$18,000
21		Barabra Weir (1940- 2023) Bundy River Station, NT LANGUAGE: Alyawarre/Anmatyerre; COMMUNITY: Utopia, NT <i>Grass Seed Dreaming</i>, 2017 Signed verso Acrylic on Belgian linen 156 x 123 cm	\$17,500