



ARTIST
HOLLY
MCLENNAN-BROWN

TITLE
FOR COMMUNITY

REGION
YORTA YORTA



Holly McLennan-Brown is a proud Aboriginal woman, who has roots in the Yorta Yorta region, with her father originally from Kyabram. Holly has always had so much pride in her family, her country and her culture. Creativity was always encouraged so strongly in her home by her mum growing up. Her family celebrates and admires art so greatly and she feels lucky to be surrounded by people whose values are so aligned with hers.

Selfishly when she indulges in her paints, she feels safe. She feels still. It allows her to digest the outside world. Painting allows her to transform the feeling of happiness and love into a physical form of matter. But even more beautifully it allows her anxieties, her worries and her heartaches to run through her and come out the other-side light.

This piece represents the journey of fundraising and coming together for community. There is one long journey line with stops along the way that represents the start and finish line of the fundraising goal. Along the way it explores themes of sharing knowledge, working together and engaging new interest for the cause. The gathering in the bottom left hand corner represents the people and community we wish to uplift with our work. This artwork depicts my purpose of painting it.