## EVERARD READ

#### **BOYTCHIE**

(b. 2000 Kuils River, Cape Town)

Boytchie (AKA Phillip Richard Jannecke-Newman) is a contemporary artist working in painting, drawing and sculpture. His work draws from neo-expressionism, romanticism, Impressionism and anime. Experimentation is a huge part of Boytchie's practice; with the artist constantly pushing himself creatively. For Boytchie drawing is the foundation of his studio practice. It is from this point that he dips into other disciplines ranging from painting, sculpture, installation, and film. The artist's studio becomes a generative space for experimentation and play.

Boytchie writes: "As an artist, I want my work to misbehave."

Boytchie was born in 2000 and grew up in Kuils River, South Africa. He always had an aptitude for art. From a young age he took part in art competitions. He continued his visual art studies in High school; graduating in 2018. He then went to study visual art at Stellenbosch University, completing his Honours in Fine Arts in 2022. Since then he has been part of numerous group exhibitions, has had four solo exhibitions, and has taken part in the RMB Latitudes Art Fair in Johannesburg.

#### **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2024 DID YOU HEAR THAT SOUND? AVA GALLERY, CAPE TOWN

BANG BANG, EVERARD READ, CAPE TOWN

KASH OUT, VELA PROJECTS, CAPE TOWN

2023 BUSTED HEAD, A4 ARTS FOUNDATION, CAPE TOWN

MY PRECIOUS, WORLDART GALLERY, CAPE TOWN

#### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2024 GRAMMARS, LEMKUS GALLERY, CAPE TOWN,

LITTLE LIFE, EVERARD READ, CAPE TOWN

33.55 S, KALASHNIKOVV GALLERY, CAPE TOWN

WASTE, BREAKROOM, CAPE TOWN

TALKING LOUD, NATIONAL ARTS FESTIVAL OF SOUTH AFRICA, MAKANDA

VELA PROJECTS, RMB LATITUDES ARTFAIR, JOHANNESBURG

FUNNY AS IN FUNNY PECULIAR NOT FUNNY HA HA. BREAKROOM. CAPE TOWN

BLOCK PARTY, DEMO PROJECTS, 44 ROELAND STREET, CAPE TOWN

2023 FULL HOUSE, UNDER PROJECTS X FEDE ARTHOUSE X BLANK PROJECTS, CAPE TOWN

TINY TREASURES X, ART.B GALLERY, BELLVILLE

INDEX, RMB LATITUDES FAIR, JOHANNESBURG

TOOLBOX, UNDER PROJECTS, CAPE TOWN

PAINTINGS OF HORSES, UNDER PROJECTS, CAPE TOWN

POST FAIR BLUES, THE FOURTH GALLERY, ONLINE

WILD FLOWERS DO CARE WHERE THEY GROW, CAPE TOWN

LEEUWENHOF IV GREATEST HITS, AVA GALLERY, CAPE TOWN

TAF PAPER EXHIBITION, CAPE TOWN

2022 GRADEX, STELLENBOSCH UNIVERSITY, STELLENBOSCH

SCULPTURES OF CARS, UNDER PROJECTS, CAPE TOWN

BREATH OF AN ERA, ART B GALLERY BELLVILLE

2021 INCHEON PORT INTERNATIONAL PHOTO & FILM FESTIVAL, SOUTH KOREA

2020 HOME IS WHERE THE ART IS, ZEITZ MOCAA, CAPE TOWN



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### **ART FAIRS**

2024 RMB LATITUDES ART FAIR2023 RMB LATITUDES ART FAIR