

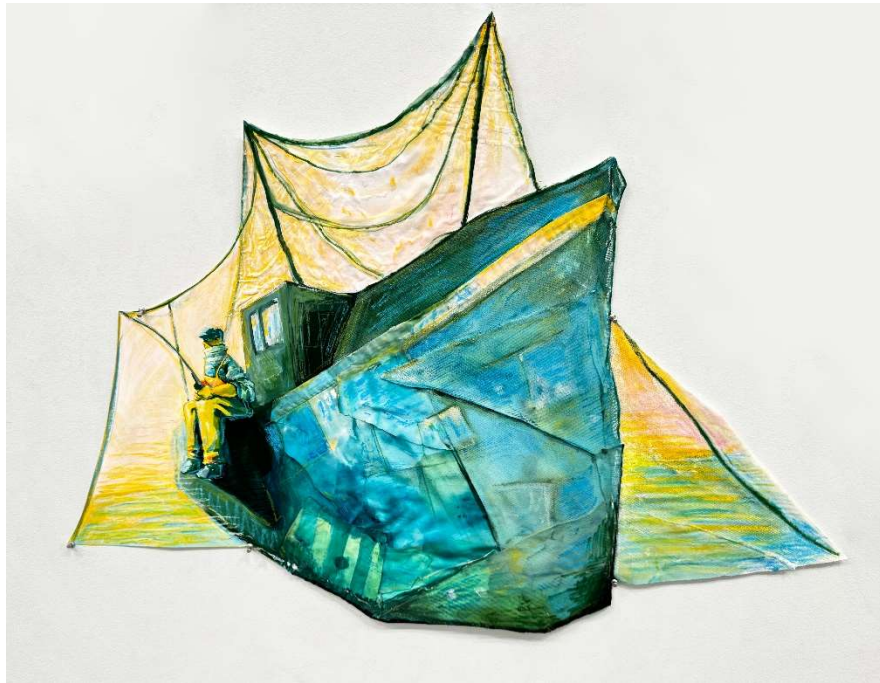
# OUR ART OUR REGION OUR TIME

## *Gone Fishing*

43" x 36"

Mixed media

\$200



## Noel Lieutard

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### Bio

Noel Lieutard is a 21-year-old Lowell born Artist, currently studying to receive a BFA in Drawing as well as a BFA in Art Education. Her work has been featured in both the UARK Summer art exhibition "Here/There" in 2024 as well as the Cane Hill Art Museum in 2021. Due to growing up with the struggles of ADHD and Dyslexia she finds the equal playing field creation provides to be one of the most important aspects of life and believes it is one that should be shared. Much of her work is prompted by exploration and experimentation of different materials. Her practice consists of a mix of soft and oil pastels, acrylic paint, colored pencils, and most recently cut and painted fabric she hands sews in order to explore both personal and invented narratives.

### Artist Statement

As of late, my work has been focusing on the idea of stacking. The buildup of materials and/or visuals adds a weight to the piece as well as a life. Oil pastel that clumps across wood, thread that pierces and pulls through fabric and paper, cloth that buckles and warps from heavy layering of paint, as well as the visual buzz created from the layering of colors are all experiences I choose to explore through my work.

Inspired by the feeling of creation, of working with my hands, I push what I affiliate with the most in my work in order to display my own connection within the pieces. I allow the aspects of what I do to be seen through my mark making. Capturing where I interact with the piece so that the viewer may interact as well. Experimenting within that mark making allows me to upkeep my own momentum and motivation within this fixation.

As I further delve into these thoughts, I work to uncover new grounds for exploration, following where my art leads me, I give the pieces I create the reigns as I work after the natural progression of my own thoughts and ideas.