

press release

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O ROSE, CUT IN ROCK



Vivien Thomason, 'Mappa Mare 2', 2023, oil on canvas.

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“O rose, cut in rock” brings together works by six exciting, emerging, female artists from across the UK. Ranging from painting to sculpture, these works are inspired by the home, for the home. This is art that celebrates beauty, playfulness, and comfort.

Passionate about finding dwellers and dreamers art to fall in love with, sacks & bird has curated this exhibition in the hope of pulling apart the antiquated and hierarchical distinctions between fine and decorative arts, between the domestic sphere and the white cube, between the artist and the viewer.

Like H.D.’s rose in her poem ‘The Garden’, we honour the home as a site and source of strength, resistance, contemplation, reflection, dreaming and memory.

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