

*Alexandra Mills*

*Coastal Walk*

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## **Exhibition statement**

Coastal Walk

An exhibition of work made during a residency on Sydney's northern beaches.

In a year working on Sydney's coastal fringe, the sunbleached colours of the sea, sky and vegetation have crept into the work I was making with found materials formed by wind and weather. The resulting small-scale works reflect chance observations of coastal life: cliffs and headlands, clouds on the horizon and above the plateau, trees that huddle together as one in a mesh of banksia, casuarina and eucalypt, the beachside park where their twigs fall along with the sheaths from palm trees and couples stand to talk or walk together.

The works in this exhibition are a sample of a body of work in several media made during a 12-month residency at the Avalon Creative Space from October 2021, awarded by the Northern Beaches Council.



## Avalon

\$850

Forged wood and salvaged timber on board  
20 x 30cm



## **Collaroy**

**\$950**

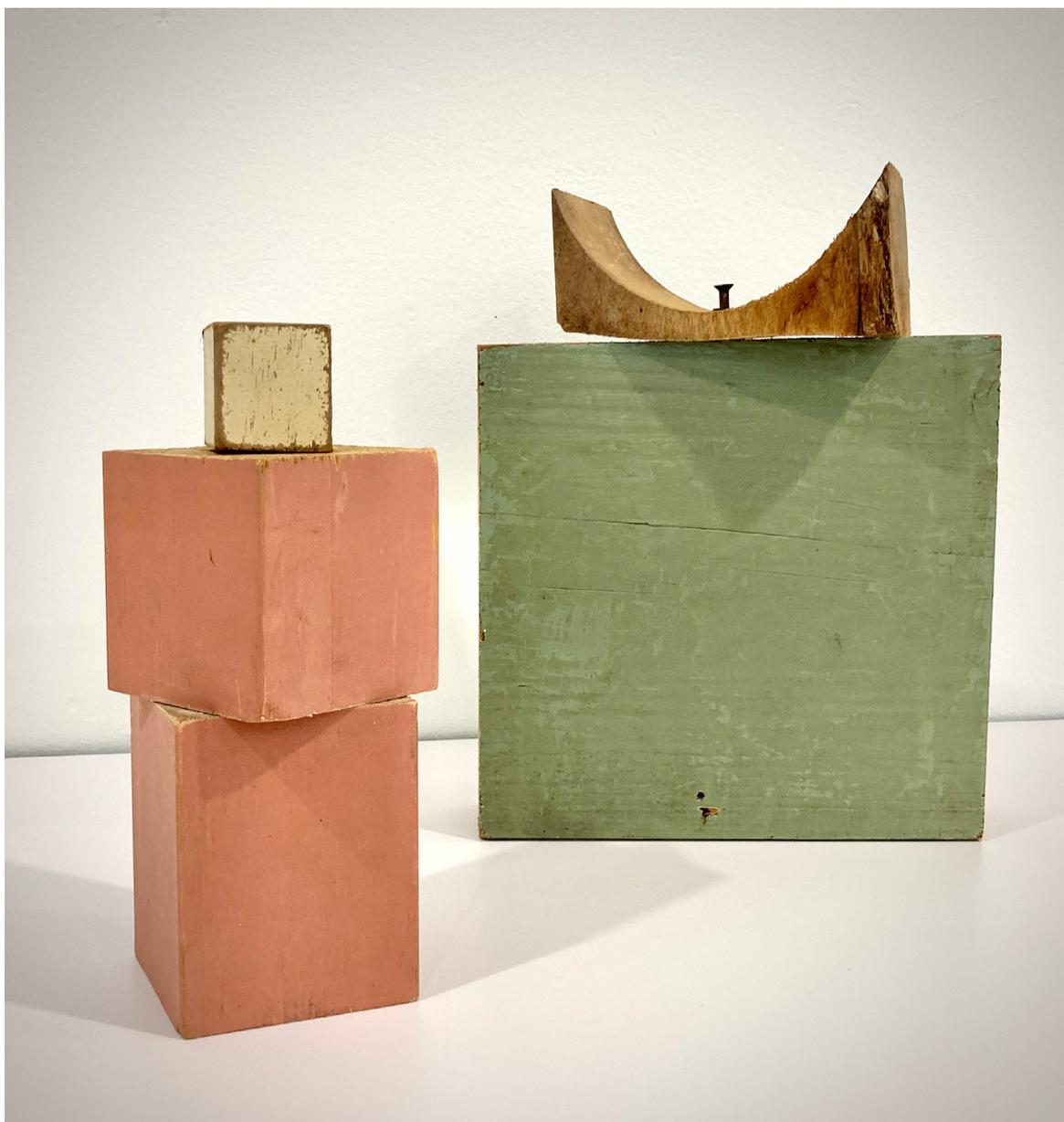
Salvaged timber on salvaged paint sprayed MDF board  
25 x 25cm



## Couple

\$1,500

Salvaged painted and unpainted timber, screw  
30 x 15 x 15cm and 35 x 30 x 5cm



## **Fallen**

**\$1,450**

Salvaged timber, foraged palm fibre  
25 x 35 x 10cm



## Long Reef

\$1,150

Salvaged fence palings, Blue on plywood  
15 x 40cm



**Newport**

**\$750**

Oil and Bluo on salvaged timber  
25 x 30cm



## **Plateau**

**\$850**

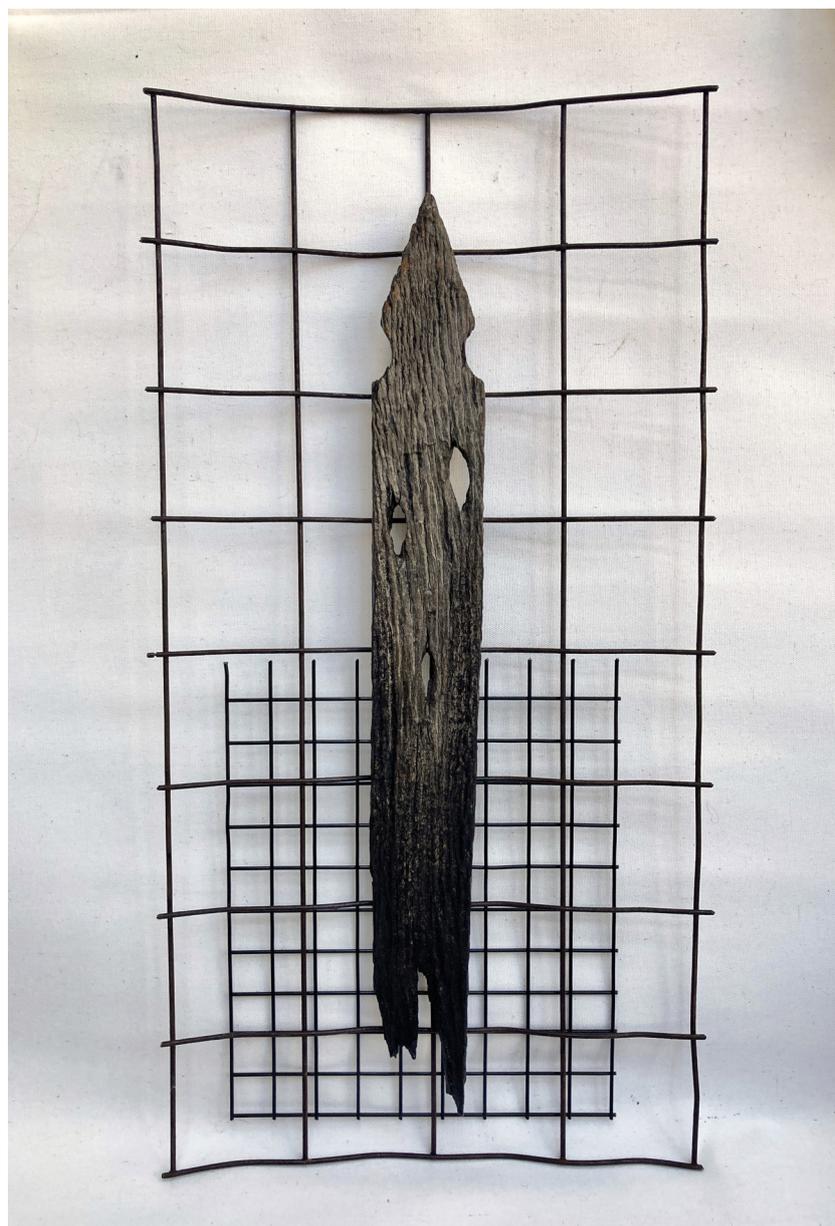
Salvaged timber and fencing wire  
40 x 15 x 10cm



**Relic**

**\$1,250**

Salvaged timber fence post and wire grid  
50 x 30 x 5cm



## Sentinel

\$1,100

Salvaged timber and cage wire on board  
55 x 20 x 7cm



## Tree house

\$1,250

Salvaged wire mesh and timber, foraged casuarina twig  
35 x 20 x 20cm



## Trees

\$1,450

Salvaged timber, steel and wire  
40 x 10 x 10cm



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## Whale

\$850

Salvaged timber, screws  
16 x 30 x 10cm





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