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Crossover artist Kerrie Warren with artworks from her "Abstract Moments" exhibition to be held at Mira Mira from January 29 to February 26.

CROSSOVER EXHIBITION

Crossover artist Kerrie Warren will hold an exhibition titled "Abstract Moments" at Mira Mira in Crossover from Sunday, January 29.

Kerrie said the abstract expressionism exhibition is inspired by her love of the environment.

In the past Kerrie has played with geometric lines, but recently felt the urge to break out of her boundaries and paint abstract work.

Kerrie will have nine artworks on display for the exhibition, with the largest a 1.5 metres x 2.3 metre piece.

Kerrie said all the paintings are of organic landscapes based on water, fire and earth. She said the paintings also expressed her moods, with all the works created spontaneously.

Kerrie said abstract artworks suit her character, as she is the type of artist who can't stand still.

She said she used to be a patient artist, but can't see herself being able to create pastel works and drawings that she did in the past.

Kerrie also paints on the floor rather than an easel, which she says enables her to work from all angles of the artwork.

Her works contain a lot of layers, texture and a subtle structure, the layers enable a real depth with the paintings inspired by such acts as the sun striking water.

Kerrie has also used sand in the bottom layer of some of her paintings which, when the paint dries, moves back up to the surface to add extra texture. Painting over half-dry paint has also enabled Kerrie to create a crater look in some of her works.

The opening of Kerrie Warren's "Abstract Moments" exhibition will be held on Sunday, January 29 at Mira Mira at 2pm. There will be a chance to enjoy a drink with the artist.

The exhibition will continue until February 26.