

# MIA MARFURT, JESSICA WARBOYS

06/11 – 13/12/2015

Friday 06/11 19:00

Duo show: Mia Marfurt and Jessica Warboys

With a performance on the opening by Jessica Warboys and Morten Norbye Halvorsen

Mia writes: Water and ink. I'll ship the machine!

Steffen says: Mia writes: Only water and ink. And she'll ship the machine.

Stian says: Some vivid colour to counteract November gnawing at my guts.

Jessica says: Some colour and lamps.

Steffen says: Some superior props.

Mia writes: Some brushstrokes as sculptures.

Stian says: Some 1000 W lamps.

Steffen says: To divert attentions, concerning one's\_\_\_\_\_.

Jenny says: Concerning one's...?

Steffen says: Well, yeah, concerning your \_\_\_\_\_.

Stian says: Ixnay the normeay ratwürstbay.

Hjalmar shrieks: \*\*#%x

Morten smiles: Fishing for attention.

Steffen acknowledges: See now, darkness falls.

Petter folds and welds.

Darkness falls.

Jenny looks.

Morten looks.

Stian looks.

Jenny thinks: The sublime.

Jessica thinks: Uncluttered and soft. Different here. Movements, dried, dry dry in the gloom.

Jenny thinks: Gigantic.

Steffen says: They must seem smaller on the Suffolk beach.

Steffen thinks: Salty too.

Pigment in the breakers.

Jessica laughs: Fishermen in tents. I'm sure they think I'm mad! The beach is full of mad ladies.

Stian thinks: Parachuters plummeting into the Atlantic, fighting the heavy cloth.

Petter thinks: The pulling out. The pulling back in. The car trunk soaked.

Petter imagines: Clotted jellyfish.

Jessica says: Indexical.

Jenny says: Fibrous.

Jenny thinks: *The Waves* [1931].

Mia reminds: The water pulls them down, and puts them straight. Remember they can touch and overlay.

Petter thinks: All large and sharp. Theatrical dimensions.

Mia also sends: Computer modulated waves.



#### About the artists:

Mia Marfurt (1985, Zürich) lives and works in Zürich. From 2011–2012 she was part of De Aterliers program at Rijksakademie, Amsterdam. Recent solo shows include *Soft And Hard Factors* at WallRiss, Fribourg; and *Deutsche Oper* at SALTS, Basel. Recent group shows include HONOLULU, Zürich; *Môtiers 2015 - Art en Plein air* in Môtiers, Switzerland; STUDIOLLO, Milan; and PLYMOUTH ROCK, Zürich; Ellis King, Dublin; Kinman Gallery, London; Galerie Chez Valentin, Paris; her work is currently on view as part of *Playing Pool with Eggs* at Galerie Bernhard, Zürich.

Jessica Warboys (1977, Newport, UK) lives and works in Suffolk and Berlin. She was nominated for the Jarman Award and selected for *Artists Film International*, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, both in 2013, and participated in *DOCUMENTA 13*, 2012. Recent and upcoming solo exhibitions include Gaudel de Stampa, Paris; Museum Leuven, Belgium; State of Concept, Athens, all in 2015; and Tate St Ives and Kunsthall Stavanger in 2016. Her work is currently on view in the British Art Show 8, Leeds.

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