

GALERIE *Patrics*  
van Dorst

# Kika Notten

paintings



# Tree Formations

January 14 - February 11, 2018  
(opening January 14)



*detail: De geur van fluitenkruid, egg tempera 90 x 90 cm*

Last year we had the pleasure of exhibiting the work of Kika Notten for the first time. This exhibition was very well received. It is therefore with great enthusiasm, that we announce the presentation of her latest paintings, under the title TreeFormations.

Kika Notten's love for the outdoors stems from her youth and is still reflected in her work. She translates her observations of nature into her paintings. Kika finds her inspiration everywhere, she can observe a pond around the corner with the same interest as an exotic landscape in another country. The pieces made for this exhibition are based upon scenes in and around her hometown, The Hague. Looking at them, you will find yourself amazed at how many treasures are hidden in our daily surroundings.

Working with egg tempera is very labour-intensive. Each painting is created with lots of patience and many layers, which gives them an intriguing depth. Kika Notten's work is characterized by an exciting combination of coarse and fine technique. In the first layers she starts with rough strokes; sweeping, sanding and scratching, creating an almost surreal atmosphere. Afterwards she concentrates on the details, where she uses very fine brushes and also etching pens, with which she draws fine lines in the paint. After studying the paintings up close, you will see the many movements and subtle details that make her paintings rich and interesting, just like nature itself.



*Sight of silence, egg tempera, 120 x 140 cm*



*Autumn sun, egg tempera, 120 x 140 cm*

Also on behalf of Kika Notten, Galerie Patries van Dorst is inviting you to join us at the opening, as well as our New Year's reception on:

January 14, 2018

14:30 – 18:00 hrs

official opening at 16:00 hrs

In case your are unable to attend, this exhibition can be seen in the gallery until February 11, 2018

*The gallery is open 7 days a week 14:00-18:00.  
Please call (+316 5029 2150 / +316 5050 4809) prior to your visit,  
to be sure the gallery is not closed for private viewings.*



*(above) Diamonds and pearls, egg tempera, 40 x 120 cm*

*(front) The ripple effect, egg tempera, 100 x 120 cm*

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