

E-Catalogue

PLAYGROUND OF DREAMS

a duo exhibition by

HARIO GEMBEL & ARY KURNIAWAN



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Playground of Dreams brings together two Yogyakarta-based artists, **Hario Gembel Kurniawan** and **Ary Kurniawan**, in a joyful and immersive celebration of imagination. Though their visual languages differ, both artists share an unyielding belief in the power of play, colour, and story to reconnect us with the purity of our inner selves.

Hario's whimsical worlds are populated by creatures that could only be born in the limitless mind of a child—giraffes with crimson feet, birds with human legs, teapot-headed friends, and skateboarding snails. His paintings invite viewers to step into an alternate realm where rules dissolve and differences are celebrated. Here, curiosity is boundless, and laughter is the universal language. Through vibrant shapes and playful narratives, **Hario's** work reminds us that the most extraordinary beauty often comes from the unexpected.

Ary's canvases, on the other hand, are a dialogue between dreams and reality, crafted with bold acrylic strokes and radiant hues. His compositions, while grounded in disciplined technique, open windows into the emotional landscapes of the human spirit. Each piece carries a story—sometimes personal, sometimes collective—woven into colour harmonies that speak to resilience, hope, and transformation. **Ary's** works do not merely depict; they connect, urging viewers to engage with the emotions that lie beneath the surface.

Together, the works of **Hario** and **Ary** form a dynamic conversation between fantastical invention and heartfelt introspection. ***Playground of Dreams*** is not simply an exhibition; it is an invitation to wander freely between worlds—one where impossible creatures roam, and another where colors carry whispers of our own hidden stories. In this shared space, we are reminded that imagination is not a privilege of youth, but a timeless bridge to joy, empathy, and understanding.

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Born 1992



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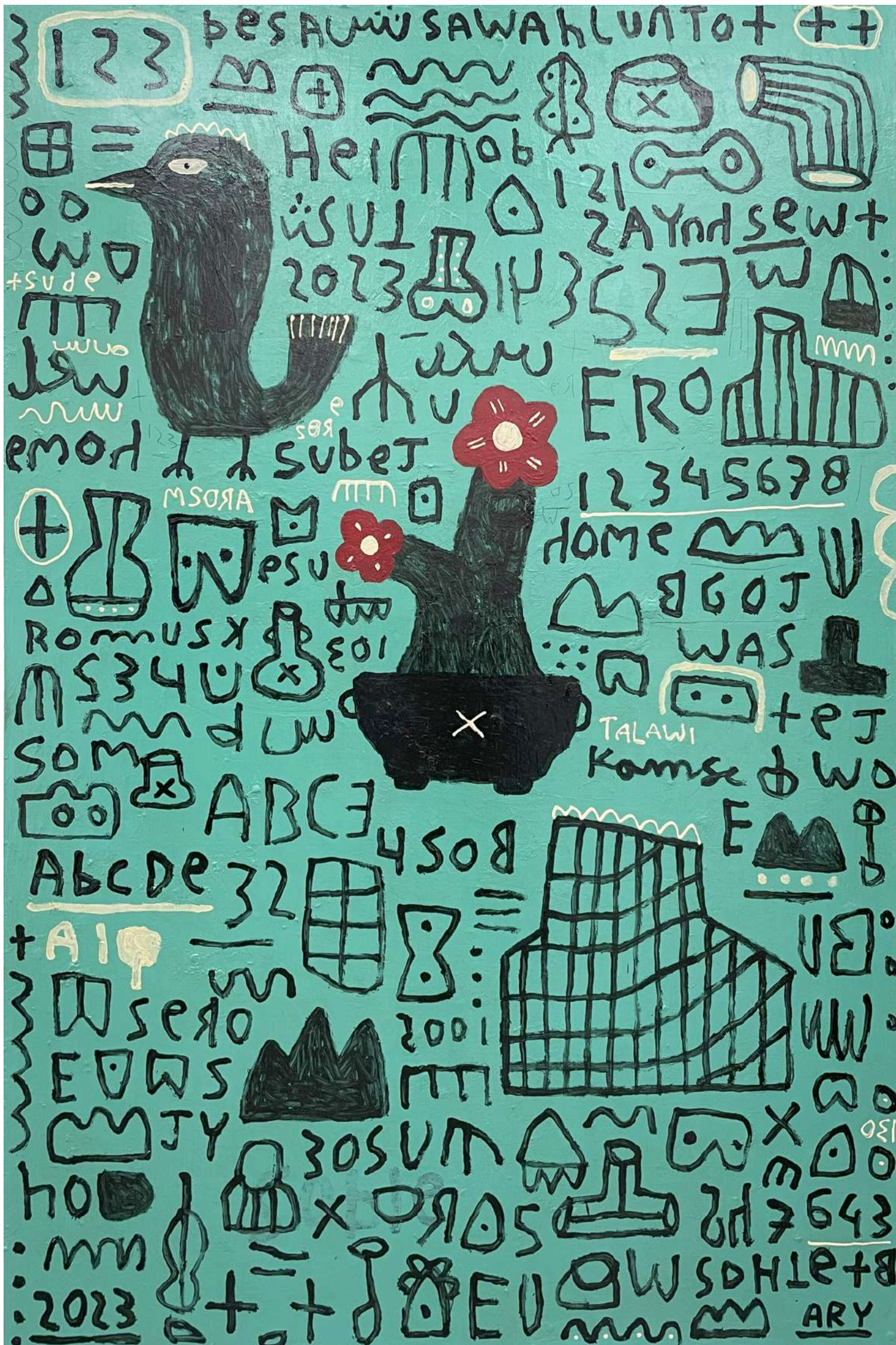


FAMILY DAY

180 x 160
Acrylic on Canvas
2023

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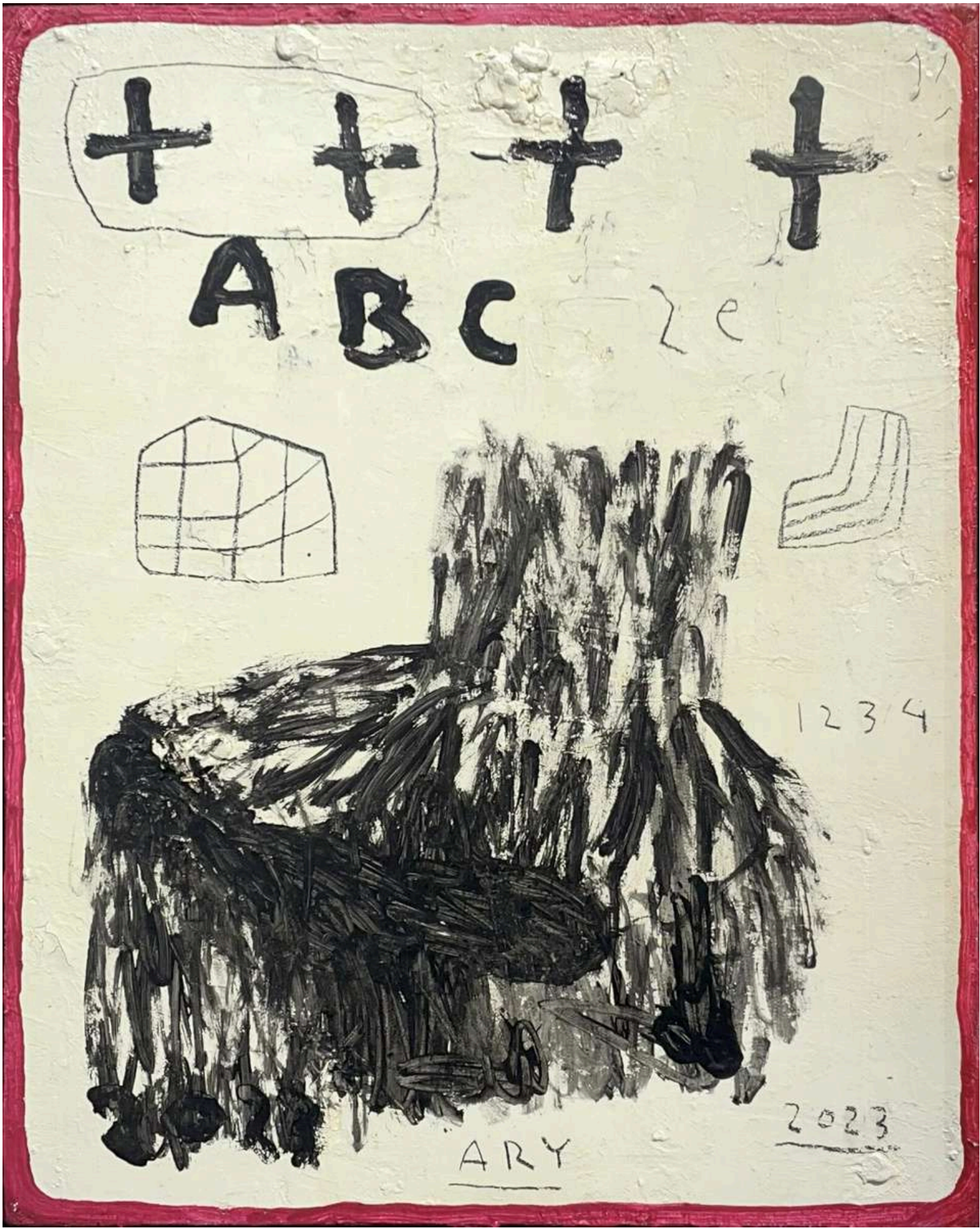


BUNGA MERAH

180 x 120
Acrylic on Canvas
2023

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UNTITLED

50 x 40
Acrylic on Canvas
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40 x 40
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BoTol

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CREATURE OF WHIMSY

80 x80

Oil on Oscar Textile

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MASTER ON GOLF

50 x 40
Oil on Oscar Textile
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FATHER'S SUNDAY

50 x 40
Oil on Oscar Textile
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RINJANI PORTER

50 x 40
Oil on Oscar Textile
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JUST FOR FUN

40 x 55

Oil on Oscar Textile

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ADAM

30 x 40
Oil on Oscar Textile
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STONK MAVIA

40 x 55
Oil on Oscar Textile
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