

THE REPORT

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Fasnacht Mask Two | The Heart Of Switzerland Exhibition | 2024

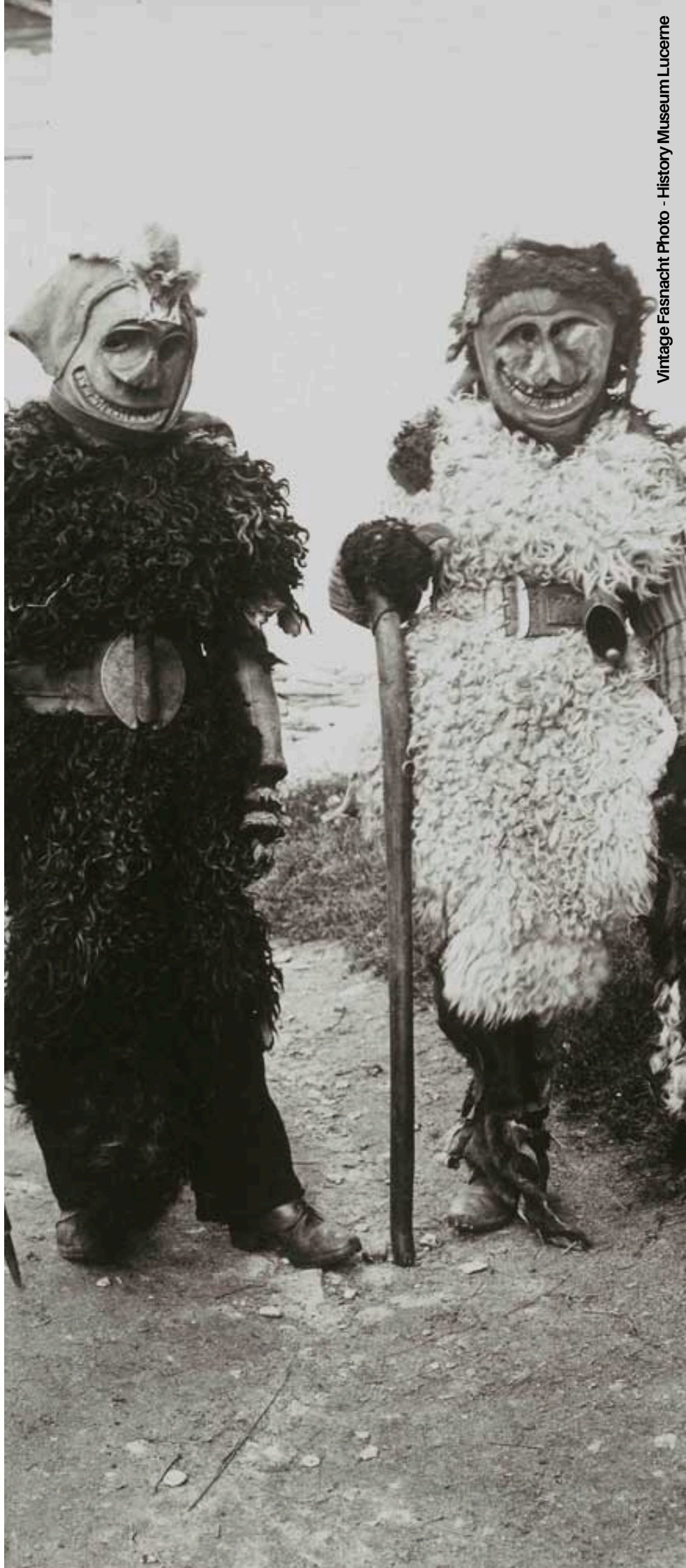
A newsletter by Tom Leamon

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the report

a diary of sorts
to keep those interested
in my practice up to date.

inspirations. memories.
future projects. current
creations. and the
intimate workings of
studio life.





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the bob ross effect in progress @ art 1a lucerne switzerland - 2024



studio life - a three week residency at art 1a lucerne switzerland

In early March 2024 I was invited to visit Lucerne, Switzerland, and specifically Gallery Art 1a to connect with the owner Pius Müller. Pius and I had met in Portugal some years before when he offered a beautiful derelict property he owned for me to use for a pop-up exhibition space. I had admired his genuine and organic approach to supporting the arts and agreed to come.

His current concept - The Heart Of Switzerland - An ongoing project which invites artists to develop works connected to Lucerne, Lake Lucerne and the surrounding area of Switzerland. The idea encourages works that emphasize the broadening perception and understanding of the society.

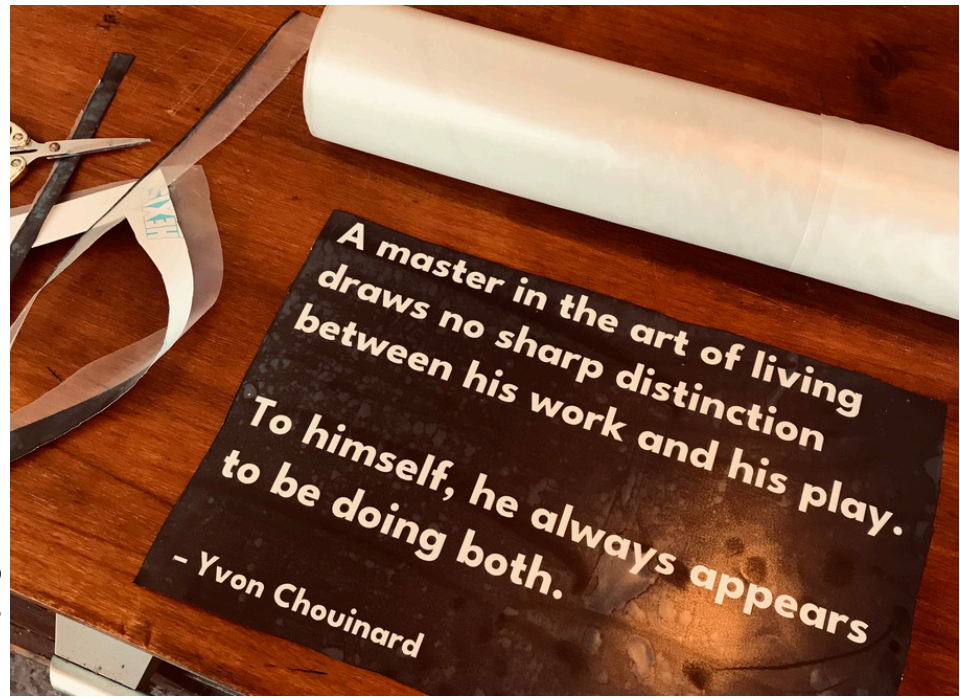
We talked and decided I would take part. I would return to Portugal with my sketchbooks full and, begin work on a collection. I would revisit Art 1a on the 8th August 2024 to begin a three week residency that would culminate with an exhibition of my creations.

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work in progress @ Art 1a - 2024

work in progress @ Estudio Yucca - 2024



studio life - a three week residency at art 1a lucerne switzerland

work in progress the mirror effect @ Art 1a - 2024



work in progress Swiss Chicken @ Art 1a - 2024

art now - a little look at some of the current collection



Fasnacht Mask Three | Wood Carved, Burnt & Painted | Approx 32x26cm



A Birds Eye View | Acrylic Paint on Canvas | 102x73cm

The current collection of works created for The Heart Of Switzerland exhibition cover a wide range of mediums. During the creation process I had freedom to play, reimagine old styles and develop new ones without inhibition.

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The Mountain Gods | Acrylic Paint on Canvas | 111x110cm



The Process | Acrylic Paint on Canvas | 133x51cm

art now - a little look at some of the new collection



Former Weight Bearer | Antique Wood Beam, Nails & Varnish | 174x50x38cm



The Flowers of Luzern | Oil Paint on Canvas | 83x75cm

current exhibition - the heart of switzerland

photographer Krystof Jakuiak @ art 1a - Pius Müller & Tom Leamon



31st August - 25th November 2024

My current exhibition will be open till late November at Art 1a, Lucerne, Switzerland. Consisting of Oil and Acrylic Paintings, Sculpture, Installation works and text based signs. The majority of the works within the exhibition were completed during my residency at the space. With handmade frames made during that time using recycled wood from the city and surrounding area.

For more information please email info@art1a.art or mail@tomleamon.com

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exterior photo the heart of switzerland @ art 1a- 2024



photo from the heart of switzerland @ art 1a - 2024

current exhibition - the heart of switzerland

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I am very thankful to of been invited to take part with this project. It was a very intense pocket of time which reignited my passion for making works of art in their differing forms. Interviews and videos of the journey and outcome will be released shortly from the Art 1a website. For any other information please do not hesitate to get in touch. The Exhibition is open to the public till November 25th 2024.

new mural - faro portugal



photo @ tv.dosarcos 8, 8000-470 faro, Portugal



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In late July I completed a sixteen metre long mural on the streets of Faro helped by the wonderful Joe Devine. The mural sits on the exterior of Palimpsestu, an arts and entertainment space next door to gallery Gama Rama. If you are in the city both are worth a little visit.

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 Palimpsestu

 Gama Rama

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lavandaria pop-up exhibition space faro - 2023



los locos restaurant faro - painting installation 2020

inspirations and memories

My intention with this newsletter is to have enough content in my practice and energy with my actions to do this every few months forever more. I hope in some way it becomes a diary for me to be able to look back at that which seems important right now.

If you find yourself reading this and have any questions I am more than happy to answer them.



banana split exhibition - galeria augustine, Lisbon - 2023

Listening is a really important component to my practice



Links to a couple of inspiring things that make sense to me right now



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