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### **Lauren Ball: The Village of the Mind**

**Exhibition Dates: November 5, 2022 - January 28, 2023**

Boundary is pleased to present *The Village of the Mind*, by New York-based artist Lauren Ball (b.1980, Chicago, IL). Lauren Ball received her MFA in Studio Art from New York University and her BFA with a concentration in Painting and Drawing from The School of The Art Institute of Chicago. She is often making digital collages, writing and drawing, taking iPhone photos on city walkabouts, and researching 19<sup>th</sup>-century painting. Ball's work relies on the painting process, color theory, alchemy, and her response to surface, while navigating intuition to create an essential realism within her surreal works. Ball's process is predicated on the continuous dissolution and reinvention of the imagery that occurs throughout the stages of production.

Ball's selected exhibition history includes: 'Synergy' (2021), Monica King Projects and Voltz Clarke Gallery, New York, NY; 'Thresholds' (2021), Monica King Projects, New York, NY; Intersect Aspen (2020), Monica King Contemporary, Aspen, CO; 'Shape Duration' (2019), and 'Tulpamancy' (2018), Gallery 80WSE, New York, NY; 'UNTITLED(House)' (2018), The Illinois State Museum, Lockport, IL; 'Resurface' (2017), SideCar Gallery, Hammond, IN; and 'Old Dynamite' (2016), FreeRange Gallery, Chicago, IL. Ball has been reviewed and profiled in publications such as the New York Times, NewCity Art, Studio Visit Magazine, and featured in the Northwest Indiana Times. Her awards include: an Artist Fellowship from the New York Foundation for the Arts (NYFA, 2021); The Martin Wong Scholarship at New York University (2019-2020); and the Art Intensive MFA Department Scholarship (2019-2020) at New York University. Ball lives and works in New York.

**Opening Reception:** Saturday, November 5, 2022, 6:00 - 9:00 PM

**Closing Reception:** Saturday, January 28, 2023, 6:00 - 9:00 PM

**Gallery Hours:** Saturdays 11-2pm, November 12, 19, December 3, 10, 17 and January 14, 21, 2023

**All other days, the gallery is open by appointment only. Please [email](#) or text 773-316-0562 to reserve a time.**

**Location:** boundary, [2334 West 111th Place, Chicago, IL 60643](#). Please enter through the driveway.

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Lauren Ball, *Jackson Pollock (At Work On One Of His Large Canvases)*, ink on paper, 8 1/2 x 9", 2022. Image courtesy of the artist.

Boundary is a contemporary art project space in a converted 420 square foot garage in the Morgan Park neighborhood of Chicago. As a project space, the mission is to provide opportunities for Chicago-based, national, and international artists to exhibit works in progress as well as completed bodies of work.

For additional information or to schedule an appointment, please contact Susannah Papish at 773-316-0562 or email [boundarychicago@gmail.com](mailto:boundarychicago@gmail.com).

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