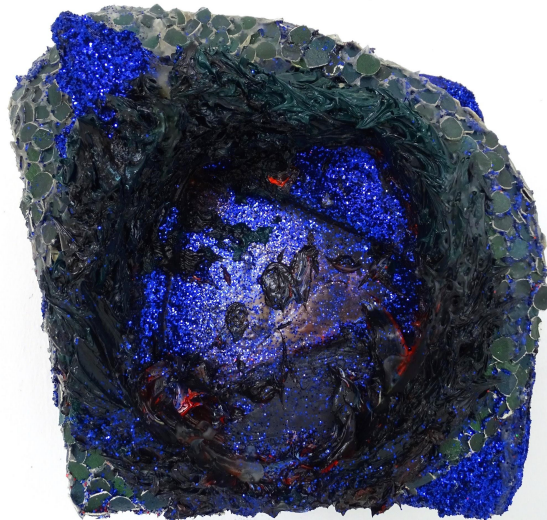


**Mandy Lyn Ford – *Home Sweet Home***  
**May 19 – June 30, 2018**  
**Opening Reception: May 19, 2018 6-8pm**



yours mine & ours is pleased to present *Home Sweet Home*, a solo exhibition of new paintings with Mandy Lyn Ford.

Ford's paintings waiver in and out of objecthood and ultimately come together as a cast of characters from her life. The lush densely built surfaces envelope Ford's viewer into her world. In each, there's a sense of depth, a space for one to move in and be enriched by her gestures.

The whimsy of materials—glitter, spray paint, acrylic, and oil—reflect Ford's desire to mix the high and low, a transition that notes these paintings don't take themselves too seriously. Similarly, the titles reflect on the distinct timeline of a generation coming of age in the 1990s and 2000s—*Jolene*, *Lil Boo*, *Jailbroke*, and so on. The wisps of acrylic paint, spotting like scales, and seemingly horn-shaped edges, give each of Ford's paintings a personhood within which her viewer is invited to join.

*Mandy Lyn Ford lives and works in Los Angeles, CA. She has a Bachelor of Fine Art from UCLA, Los Angeles, CA. Her recent exhibitions include: Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, FL (2017); SPRING/BREAK, New York, NY (2017); yours mine & ours, New York, NY (2016); TSA LA, Los Angeles, CA (2016); Somewhere in LA, LTAC, Los Angeles, CA (2016); Momenta Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (2016); Platform Gallery, Baltimore, MD (2015); Vanity Projects, New York, NY & Miami, FL (2015); Life on Mars Gallery, Brooklyn, NY (2015 & 2014); & Novella Gallery, New York, NY (2014).*

Image: Mandy Lyn Ford, *Jolene*, 2018, acrylic, oil paint, sparkles and canvas on wood panel, 12 by 12 by 1 inches