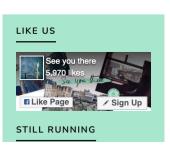


It's that time of year again: Summer break is over and the new art season kicks off with a bang: Brussels Gallery Weekend is back. This means not only a jam-packed exhibition program, but also late opening times, shuttles, gallery city maps, and guided tours letting you discover the art scenes of different neighbourhoods. If we've learned one thing during the pandemic, it's how important experiencing art in all its physicality and its interaction with the space and people around it can be – and how dearly it was missed. Now, the Brussels art scene is showing itself from its best side once again, putting on a multitude of ambitious shows and events, and even welcoming a couple of newcomers. If your time is



3 The Sowers at Fondation Thalie

From 9 September to 21 November



Clay and yarn are the dominating materials in this fascinating group exhibition feature no less than 26 different artists. "The Sowers" at Fondation Thalie explores the multilayered meanings of these two natural materials, touching upon rituals, crafts, recycling, a universal ecological consciousness, and spirituality. While Gabriel Chaile's pigments on charcoal drawings serve as a vehicle for his research into the indigenous cultures of South America, Julie Monot will perform "Before It Was Water", wearing a hand-crafted kimono bearing motifs inspired by various types of single-celled organisms. With works by Elise Peroi, Belinda Blignaut, Desire Moheb-Zandi, and many others.