



Walk With Heritage – Whitby Art Trail



Public Call for Expressions of Interest – Commissioned Community Artist

Scarborough Borough Council has received funding from the Coastal Revival Fund to deliver a series of seven pieces of public art that celebrate the maritime heritage of the Town along a pre-determined trail through the West Side of Whitby. The Council is inviting expressions of interest from artists interested in delivering the project. In accordance with the planning permission granted for the project these will be life sized galvanised wire steel sculptures set in the following locations and themes:

1. Adjacent to Swing Bridge – Fisherwife
2. Bottom of Flowergate – Net mending
3. Outside Church House (Flowergate) – Gansey knitting
4. Junction of Skinner Street & John Street – Frank Meadow Sutcliffe
5. Old Wishing Well adjacent to Whitby Pavillion – Ships Crow's Nest
6. Grass area overlooking Sea adjacent to Whitby Pavillion – Dora Walker
7. Band Stand – Herring Lassie

All seven sculptures need to be designed, constructed and sited to be unveiled at the 2020 Whitby Fish & Ships Festival on the weekend of 16th/17th May.

Community artists wishing to submit an expression of interest to deliver the project should provide a brief project design statement along with a portfolio of previous work to audit@scarborough.gov.uk

For further information please contact Matthew Joseph, Senior Community Regeneration & Support Officer or Janet Deacon, Tourism Manager on 01723 232323

Allocated project budget - £55,000 exc VAT

Deadline for expression of interest – Monday 2 December, 12 noon