Association for Cultural Advancement through Visual Art



## **Call for Artist Proposals**

## Plastic Bottle Cap Community Project - phase two

ACAVA have secured funding from Westway Trust to undertake the second phase of the North Kensington Plastic Bottle Cap Community project and we are currently seeking proposals from artists.

Born from our successful family art programme, Flourish, phase one saw the local and wider community collect approximately 40,000 unrecyclable plastic caps with a view to design and fabricate a 12 metre mural inspired by the project name: Flourish.

The outcome is a colourful, mosaic of caps which captures aspects of the ideas generated during the family design workshop. The artwork is much loved by local people and brightens up a space under the Westway and outside ACAVA's Maxilla Studios, from where the Flourish programme is delivered.



Phase two will see a second artwork, utilising plastic bottle caps, to be installed on the two adjacent sections of the railings, and will offer adults the opportunity to be involved with the project.

## Project criteria:

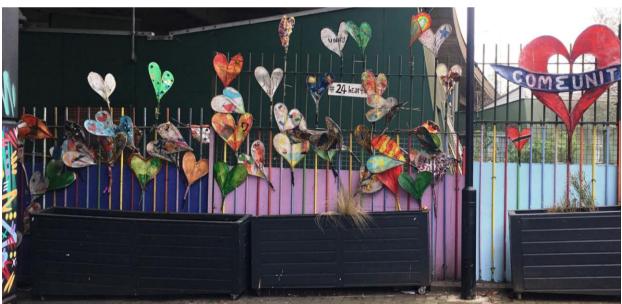
- Artists applying have participatory and community based art at the heart of their practice
- The proposal for the artwork complements the existing piece
- The artwork utilises plastic bottle caps in its final outcome
- Artists will facilitate a community design/ideas workshop as well as develop and fabricate the artwork in collaboration with local participants



Maxilla railings first section, approx. 9 m x 1.5m



Maxilla railings second section, approx. 9 m x 1.5m



Maxilla railings third section, approx. 4 m x 1.5m

Please note the #24 Hearts project will be moved along the railings closer to the Wall of Truth.

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## To express your interest in this opportunity please submit the following by email to Lisa Nash, Assistant Programme Manager - <a href="mailto:lnash@acava.org">lnash@acava.org</a>:

- A project outline for the commission (no longer than I side of A4) including how you would engage local participants in the process and how your workshops would be structured
- An up to date CV, including details of any experience you have in delivering community-based or participatory projects
- Up to three images that illustrate your practice and/or previous workshop experience
- Your availability for September 2019
- Details of any DBS check you hold (if you do not have an up to date certificate we can arrange this for a fee)
- Name and contact of two referees

ARTIST fee at £31 per hr	TIME	FEE
Artist pre project planning, meetings & on-going project prep/fabrication	12 hrs	372
x 5 community workshops (2hr delivery, plus 30 mins set-up & 30 mins clear up time per workshop) to co- design & fabricate	15 hrs	465
Oversee install	4hrs	124
Project celebration (non-delivery fee of £19.50 per hr)	2 hrs	39
Total commission		£1000

There will be a separate materials budget of up to £400.

The deadline for proposals 9am Tuesday 7th May 2019 (interviews to be held the week of 13th May)

For further information about our Flourish programme please visit: <a href="https://www.acava.org/education-and-community/project/flourish">https://www.acava.org/education-and-community/project/flourish</a>