

Could you create an inspiring bus shelter?

Cam Parish Council are commissioning a local artist to create an art installation of the bus shelter at the junction of Knapp Lane and the High Street (A4135) with an aim to enhance the aesthetic appeal of the public space. It needs to sit well in the character of the area.



Concept & Vision:

- Develop a clear artistic vision for the 'Jubilee' theme for the installation.
- It could be a collaboration between artists or by a local community group(s) or an individual endeavour.

Cam has four stone bus stops, and the first for a magical make-over is the bus stop on the High Street (What3words: [///advantage.boot.posting](https://www.what3words.com/advantage.boot.posting)). The council is hoping to transform the appearance of the bus shelter into a welcoming public space.

The theme for this bus stop installation is 'Jubilee Celebrations of Cam'. The council would like to celebrate the following key national monarchy celebrations at this bus stop:

Silver Jubilee of George V	6 May 1935
Silver Jubilee of Elizabeth II	6 February 1977
Golden Jubilee of Elizabeth II	6 February 2002
Platinum Jubilee of Elizabeth II	6 February 2022



Above: word cloud representing theme associations

Design & Materials:

Choose durable and weather-resistant materials suitable for outdoor installation. Protect it (as much as is possible) against graffiti.

Maintenance:

Ideally the installation will require no ongoing maintenance. If it may then please provide a maintenance plan to keep the installation in good condition.

Interpretation & Signage:

If you wish, you can incorporate signage or plaques that explain the artwork's significance, artist information, and any relevant historical or cultural context.

Safety and Accessibility:

Ensure that the installation does not obstruct pedestrian or vehicular traffic.

Fee and Costs:

£700 artist fee

£250 available for Materials (negotiable)

Timescale:

Applications to be received by 7th April 2025

Applications will be reviewed on 14th May 2025

Applicants will be notified by 16th May 2025

Installation in summer 2025

Interested?

Please send a CV/artist's statement or relevant recent examples of your work along with a proposal (one side of A4) to projects@camparishcouncil.gov.uk

Questions?

Please contact projects@camparishcouncil.gov.uk