

VISIONS FOR NORTHOLT

Art Stops:

Visions for Northolt is collaborating with local artists to implement public realm enhancements through the Northolt Art Stops project. This initiative has empowered locals to drive change and has successfully delivered several art murals throughout the area. Today, you can admire their creative murals across the town. This artwork belongs to Jane Ruhland.

Artist bio: Jane Ruhland

‘The purpose of this artwork is to bring colour and interest to two ordinary pieces of street furniture located within Northolt’s main shopping areas, the bench near the entrance to Islip Manor Park and the bin by the White Hart Roundabout.

In the summer of 2022, along with four other artists, I was delighted to be invited to participate in the Art Stops Project, which is part of the broader Visions for Northolt initiative. Our work included attending engagement events with local residents, which was a very enjoyable experience as it allowed me to discuss ideas for the artwork with them. Their suggestions played a significant role in shaping the final designs.

Working with New Practice and Ealing Council on this project has been a supportive experience, and their professionalism has greatly contributed to the realisation of my visualisations. The theme of my artwork is centred around a celebration of the local parks and open spaces, which greatly contribute to the character of Northolt. I have chosen to incorporate images of birds, butterflies, trees, and flowers that I have personally photographed in the area. By focusing on warm colours and using simple and bold designs, I have utilised a bench, and a street bin as the canvas for my Art Stops project.

I hope you enjoy seeing my work.’



To learn more about Jane and the project, scan the QR Code.

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