

Theme for the Swire Ridgeway Arts Competition

April 26-28 2024

‘Signs and Symbols Along the Ridgeway’

YOU CAN INTERPRET THIS THEME as your imagination takes you.

- **ASPECTS OF THE NATURAL WORLD** may be the source of inspiration, such as signs of the seasons e.g. the first frosts of winter, spring buds, summer swallows, lambs and calves, autumn bronzes or wonderful birdsong and summer heat haze.
- **PEOPLE AND MAN-MADE THINGS** could feature e.g. the signs of travellers along the route or indeed the waymarks and finger posts that assist them.
- **THE RIDGEWAY HAS AN ANCIENT HISTORY OF ITS OWN**, of course. Signs and symbols of peoples’ long past have left indelible inspiration on and near the Ridgeway National Trail.
- **WE HOPE** that you will be inspired to produce more amazing works of art to help The Friends of the Ridgeway celebrate our national trail in art again in 2024.

To enter applicants should contact The Friends of The Ridgeway. Entrants need to complete the Entry Form and submit it with their artwork. Close of entries **March 25 2024**

Further information can be obtained from either

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