

JUNCTION ARTS PROJECT PROFILE [Bolsover District Council]

Project Name:	DRAWING THE WAY	Project Co-ordinator: Val Carman
Overview	<p>Creswell Crag was amongst the most northerly places on earth to have been visited by our ancient ancestors, a story that is unique on a European and World scale, and they left their mark in the form of 'cave art' and beautiful artifacts. As a response to this special place, a site specific, interactive, public art-work, will be delivered over 7 days during May and June. The concept will be to engage the contemporary visitor by inviting them to participate in a creative survey and drawing project.</p> <p>This survey will show individual information, first name, age, place from where they have traveled, and a printed mark, which will be completed onto travel labels. The visitors will then draw their journeys onto large sheets of paper, each line, each route interacting with each other, culminating in an overlay of information, a palimpsest of time, place and people.</p> <p>By experiencing the act of drawing, and bringing a personal element to the project, the work aims to bring more awareness to this special site and its history, and to the pleasure of creativity to the general public.</p> <p>The work will expand daily over the week and produce a large-scale exhibition for visitors to the Crag.</p>	
Performance Indicators /aims and outcomes		
Date of project	May 2010	
Participants	General Public/All Ages	
Parishes	1	Elmton with Creswell [Creswell Crag]
Sessions	18	
Bolsover District Council Corporate Plan	1. Community Safety:	N/A
	2. Customer focused services:	2. This project provides an opportunity for the general public to become involved in a large-scale event which surveys their personal journey to the District of Bolsover
	3. Environment	N/A
	4. Regeneration	N/A
	5. Social Inclusion	5. Creative participation for all those who take part.
	6.Strategic Organisational Development:	6. Working with a partner to advance the experience of visitors.
The Place Survey		
Sustainable Communities Strategy		
Partners	Creswell Heritage Trust	