

Artist Brief

b-side Annual Report Comic Strip

FEE: £500

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: 22 March 2021



b-side is offering a commission to a Weymouth or Portland based artist/illustrator to create a comic strip style illustration of a section of our Annual Report. The report will be made public in May 2021. We are envisaging a visual representation of our report that is accessible and engaging while informing Portland residents about b-side's work. We would like to focus the comic strip on telling the story of our Outpost Lockdown Exhibitions, which took place in Fortuneswell throughout lockdown. More info: <https://b-side.org.uk/projects/outpost-lockdown-exhibitions>.

THE BRIEF

- To create a comic strip style version of one section of the b-side Annual Report.
- The comic strip will focus on telling the story of b-side's Outpost Lockdown exhibitions. We would like the comic strip to focus on the people involved in the project and the artwork that was made.
- We intend for the finished artwork to be published in print, online, and shared across social media
- b-side will ensure access to the original photographs of Outpost Lockdown Exhibition artworks as well as the exhibiting artist's names and artist and audience quotes.
- The comic strip can be black and white but should include the b-side logo and use of branding colour palette where appropriate.
- Within the parameters of this brief, the artist can add other commentary and imagery that they feel adds life to the story.

FORMAT

We intend to share the Comic Strip across a number of different platforms, finished artwork would therefore be required in the following formats:

- PDF suitable for large scale print (2A0) and full page ad in the Free Portland News
- JPG's suitable for sharing on social media and on the b-side website

Deadline for first drafts: 06 April 2021

Deadline for finished work: 13 April 2021

HOW TO APPLY:

Please email your proposal with **B-SIDE ANNUAL REPORT** in the subject line of your email.

Send an email with:

- Your name
- Contact details
- Current CV
- One pdf of relevant examples of your past work and/or links to relevant websites

Send to sandy@b-side.org.uk by the deadline **22 March**.

We will acknowledge your email.

Need more info?

Contact sandy@b-side.org.uk



Selection of images of Portland residents and their artworks submitted to Outpost Lockdown Exhibitions