

## **CEFN ONN UNDERPASS MURAL PROPOSAL**

## Comments via <u>www.friendsofcenfonn.org.uk</u> by Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2013

Members of Friends of Parc Cefn Onn and visitors to the park are invited to submit suggestions and comments on the artist's proposal below that is intended to provide a relevant, representative, interesting, and historical image to brighten up the underpass.



This proposal is a concept mural that portrays leaves blowing from a Maple tree and travelling along the wall. As it is impossible for the viewer to stand back and look at the mural as a whole, this simple framework will create a movement and flow that the viewers can travel with, and take in the various details along the way.

Inside the shapes of some leaves will be images from the park, both past and present. The leaf shapes are designed to frame the images and act as small pieces of work in their own right. They would include historical photos, such as those of the railway halt in the start of the mural, so as to suggest time passing as you progress through the underpass. Other images may include paths through the trees, the ponds, the red bridge, flowers such as Rhododendrons, the summer house, and other images of the park taken during different seasons. Small details such as images of birds and insects may be included between the leaves to portray some of the wildlife in the park.

The image above is the whole underpass wall to scale and uses the blue sky and clouds as a background to brighten up the dark walls. [Note: The man is there to give an idea of scale only and the image of the field will be of Cefn Onn top field.] The image above gives a clear idea of the framework, flow, colours and content. It is not an exact design to be taken entirely literally. Images may change slightly to fit within a certain space or frame. The artist will use the best images available for each particular space.