

Group 36 // Round the Twist

Using Northenden as a canvas, we created a niche of art and cycling that would reinvigorate the high street. Adding to pre-existing structures, a cycle tunnel circles the high street above ground level, and continues to Manchester City Centre via a 'gyro-coaster'. Redirecting traffic to pedestrianise the main road creates a public space where artists are given the resources and space to transform Northenden into a unique art district. Empty lots are re-purposed as interactive art museums and indoor gardens, and circular pods provide amenities: seating, bike parking, and shelter, as well as spaces to perform and create.

