

Location of the time-line feature within the Roman Gardens ↓



Montage illustrating time-line along Roman Road edging channel ↓



Design intent for the time-line feature:

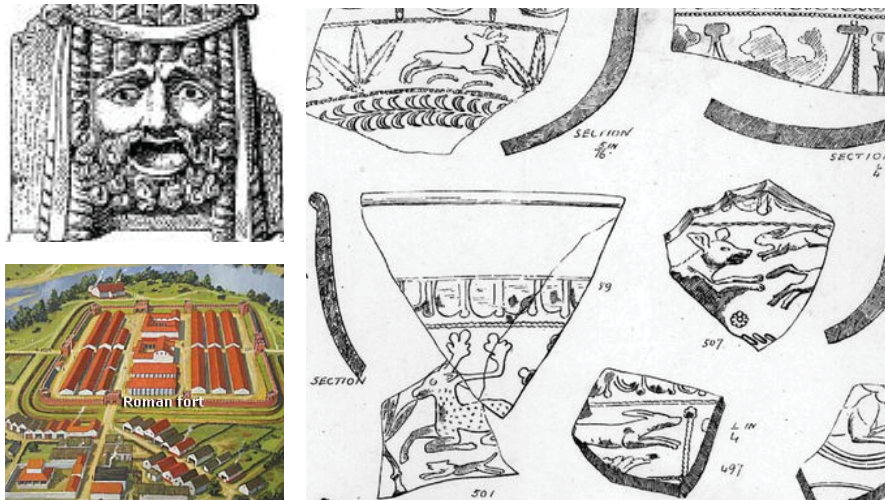
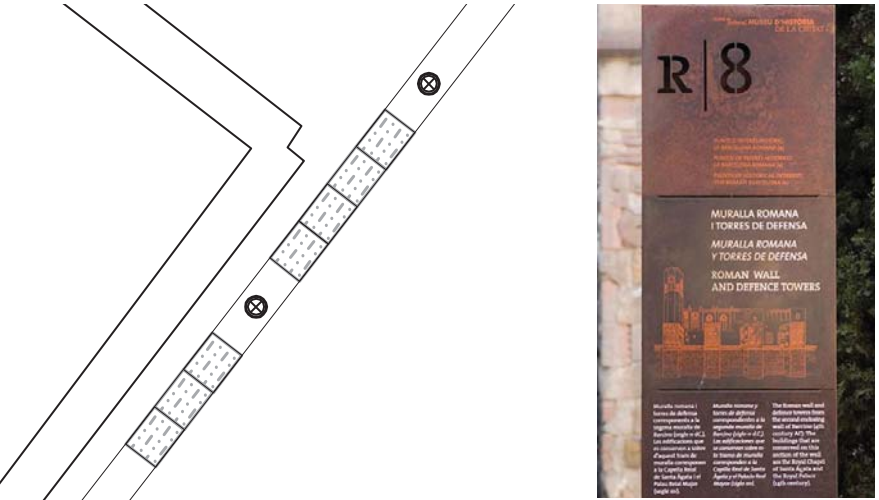
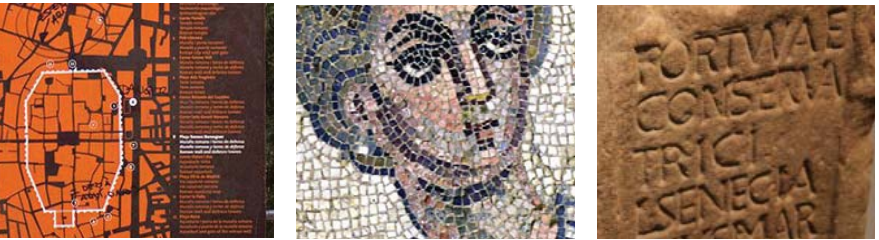
The Roman Gardens will showcase narratives of past and present through an engaging visual timeline. Telling of Castlefield’s Roman heritage through type, imagery and patterns, with moments and dates water-jet cut into corten steel or inlaid into natural stone.

The time-line feature will be located along the edging channel, either side of the Roman Road. Type, imagery and graphics depicting key dates will connect to both the Castlefield, Romans Gardens and Manchester’s past. For example, “AD 79 – Mamucium Roman fort founded at site overlooking the confluence of the rivers Irwell and Medlock.”

The tiles will be cast from dark, hard grained material like granite or Carlow blue limestone. The dark material will provide a good contrast between the lettering and the text. Water-jet techniques will be used to engrave the tiles.

For contrast, and to tie-in with the palette of materials used throughout the Roman Gardens, corten-steel tiles will also be used. All corten-steel products used within the Roman Gardens will either be thermos-lacquered or pre-oxidised to prevent leaching.

The time-line artwork, will be developed in greater detail during later stages of the project, including the possible engagement with a specialist graphic artist. Manchester City Council will be fully consulted during the development of the detailed design of the time-line feature.



Images from middle left in a clockwise direction:

- 1.Corten engraved artwork, Barcelona 2.Inspiration - Roman mosiac 3.Roman altar discovered at Knott Mill, Castlefield 4.Rehabilitation of Campiello, Palazzo di Vigonovo 5.Faces from Roman Theatre 6. Smiling Wolf - Record of Lancaster 7.Samian-ware found in Castlefield 8.Roman Settlement Visualisation, Castlefield 9.Faces from Roman Theatre 10.Bronze inlays, Lancaster 11.Museum d’Historia, Barcelona 12.Detail of the Timeline

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