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**Greatest Glasgow Awards is delighted to announce the Winner of the 2018 Best Murals Street Art in Glasgow category: THE WONDERWALL, GRAHAM HILLS BUILDING.**

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**The 2018 Winner of the Award of the Best Mural Street Art in Glasgow is The WonderWall at Graham Hills Building.**

**The second Winner is Fellow Glasgow Residents at Ingram Street.**

**The third Winner is The Clutha Bar at Clyde Street.**

**The fourth and fifth Winners are St Mungo at High Street and Honey, I Shrank The Kids at Mitchell Street.**

Greatest Glasgow Awards has announced today the winners for the category of 2018 Best Mural Street Art in Glasgow.

The research has involved staff of Greatest Glasgow reviewing 86 murals street art and using 14 criteria to find the excellence and award the winners.

In 1959 the Graham Hills Building was opened and later acquired by the University of Strathclyde in 1987. The exterior of the building contains several street art murals by artists Ejek and Rogue One covering around 1,000 square metres, being UK's largest building mural.

The rear wall of the Glasgow's City Halls and Old Fruitmarket contains a huge street mural that was created by Sam Bates a.k.a. Smug in 2013 depicting a woodland themed pieces with some of the varied wildlife residing around Glasgow's green spaces.

During the end of the XIX century, The Clutha bar was popular with the crews and passengers from the passenger ferries, known as Cluthas. This stunning and emotive mural depicts some of the people who drank and played there, such as Billy Connolly, Jimmy Reid, Stan Laurel, etc...Recently, a new mural of Charles Rennie Mackintosh has been added to celebrate his 150th anniversary.

St Mungo is the Glasgow's patron saint and founding father who lived in the late 6th century. In 2016, the street artist Smug developed a mural depicting a modern St on a gable end in the High Street, near St Mungo's Cathedral.

And lastly, Honey, I Shrank The Kids, a colossal piece of a photo-realistic street art stays on the gable end of a building on Mitchell Street, just off Argyle Street, stretching up four storeys and depicts a girl with a magnifying glass who appears to be studying and picking up an object off the street.

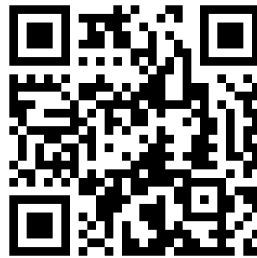
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