Camino Cielo Bench

PLEASE CHECK IN WITH THE MCASB FRONT OF HOUSE STAFF BEFORE WORKING WITH ANY TOOLS *If you wish to use the Camino Cielo Bench you will be asked to sign a liability waiver*

This particular piece encourages visitors to interact with the exhibition to fix or repair your own bicycle. You are welcome to use all the tools provided on either side of the bench. The 4x4 wood posts, that flank either side of the tool partition, are meant to hang a bicycle frame by its seat and seat post. This is to keep the bicycle off the ground and ergonomically accessible. Additionally, adjacent to the Camino Cielo Bench is a Truing Stand attached to a stool.

The Camino Cielo Bench and Truing Stand are available for anyone to work on their bicycle. In addition this work features two disassembled bicycles and their accompanying parts. Visitors are encouraged to work on these bicycles and reassemble them. Whoever successfully reassembles a provided bicycle is welcome to keep and ride away with it. If you find yourself in need of a tool and or part that you do not see on the bench you will need to source that tool or part outside of the exhibition.

If at any point during your repair you need assistance or want to ask a bicycle related question please use your smartphone to scan the provided QR code. That code will connect you to a spreadsheet with a list of Zoom links. Please click on the appropriate link and you will be connected to a professional mechanic at the Associated Students Bicycle Shop - located in the middle of the UCSB campus. These mechanics are students at UCSB that the artist, Adam Jahnke, supervises and trains.

Since 1975 the AS Bicycle Shop has been training and employing UCSB students as bicycle mechanics. The shop is popular amongst the campus community for our affordable repair service and or DIY instruction. The shop is also popular amongst the students who work there; income, scheduling flexibility and a supplemental campus experience often appeals to UCSB's seasonal student culture. Beyond the immediate campus community, the AS Bicycle Shop also serves our general community. Customers do not need to be an undergraduate student to utilize our services.

During February of 2022 the AS Bicycle Shop broke ground on our new home. Since 1975 the shop has occupied temporary or mobile structures. The completion of this building in December of 2022 marks an important transition for both the shop and the UCSB campus.

Please visit the AS Bike Shop online at <u>bikeshop.as.ucsb.edu</u> and on instagram <u>@as.bikeshop</u> for more information about the AS Bicycle Shop. Please also visit <u>admjahnke.com</u> and <u>@vocationforever</u> for more information about the artist.