

Volunteers paint the town ... lots of colours



From left, Polly and Belle Benfield and Annie Lovejoy with their painting materials outside the building.

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A FORMERLY drab building in Penryn is being given a vibrant makeover thanks to a band of volunteers and paint donated by local residents.

In January an appeal went out for any unwanted paint and the response was phenomenal.

It is now being used to create Paint Chart Penryn, a mural spearheaded by local artist Belle Benfield with RobotMother Self Storage Units.

The painting volunteers have been battling against the weather to complete the project and have until tomorrow to do so.

"It's mission on," said Ms Benfield.

"It has been going brilliantly and Sunday was amazing with 10 to 12 people coming down to help."

By the end of the week, the former Pound and Co warehouse in Commercial Road, which is now the Jubilee Wharf Warehouse, will proudly display its very own colour chart, complete with names invented by the community.