



ART IN THE PARKS

Art in the Parks Mission

The program mission of Arts in the Parks is to provide programs to connect our visitors with creative experiences in the park that are transformative, unexpected, and inspirational.

About Art in the Parks

Formally established in 2012, Art in the Parks follows a long-standing tradition of celebrating parks through dance, music, visual arts, writing, and media arts. Throughout the last six years, arts programming such as *@Large: Ai Weiwei on Alcatraz*, *Double Victory* at Fort Point, *Home Land Security* in the Presidio coastal batteries, and the Portal project and Monterey Bay Aquarium's Big Blue Whale at Crissy Field, and the latest *Future IDs at Alcatraz*, have fulfilled the Conservancy's mission to make authentic connections between our diverse visitors and the history and stories of these national parks. To learn more visit parksconservancy.org/art.

About Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy

The Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy is the nonprofit membership organization that supports the Golden Gate National Parks—the most-visited unit in the national park system in the U.S. Since 1981, the Parks Conservancy has provided over \$500 million in aid for site transformations, habitat restorations, research and conservation, volunteer and youth engagement, and interpretive and educational programs. The Conservancy's work is made possible through the dedication of its members and donors; contributions from foundations, businesses, public agencies, and generous individuals, as well as earned income from the operation of park stores, cafes, and tours. Learn more at parksconservancy.org or call (415) 561-3000.

About the National Park Service

The National Park Service (NPS) is a federal agency within the U.S. Department of the Interior charged with managing the preservation and public use of America's most significant natural, scenic, historic, and cultural treasures. The NPS manages the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, as well as 418 other park sites across the U.S. For more information, visit www.nps.gov/goga or call (415) 561-4700.