

# Art Walk in Phil Hardberger Park



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**1 Stop #1 "Golden Age"**  
 "Golden Age" by San Antonio artist Anne Wallace was inspired by her memories of prairie grass fires. The prairie ecosystem was historically shaped by grass fires, which is now missing from the landscape. The wheels appear to float slightly above the grass and are rimmed in a band of gold 'sequins,' which sparkle in the sun and sway in the breeze, creating a dynamic effect that evokes seeing a wildfire at a distance.

**2 Stop #2 Wildlife Blind: "Innature"**  
 "Innature" by San Antonio artist Ashley Mireles, in collaboration with landscape architect STIMSON Studio, provides visitors a space to view wildlife in a natural environment. The walls of the wildlife blind are made from Corten steel and contain cutouts in the shape of native plants, such as the Prickly Pear, Bushy Bluestem, and Texas Mountain Laurel. All of these plants can be found within Hardberger Park.

**3 Stop #3 Wildlife Blind: "Lightbox"**  
 "Lightbox" by San Antonio artist Cade Bradshaw, in collaboration with landscape architect STIMSON Studio, is a representation of the surrounding landscape and fauna. Stacked layers of perforated Corten steel form a topographic elevation map, revealing native animals within the patterns. Through the wall's perforations are views of an open meadow, home to the species represented on the map.

**4 Stop #4 Picture Your World**  
 On your way back, stop by the display case at the southern end of the Urban Ecology Center to see photographs from the students of the Picture Your World Program, operated by Green Spaces Alliance. Picture Your World teaches students photography skills and art concepts to engage their imagination and express themselves creatively. The Program is designed for youth ages 8-18.

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