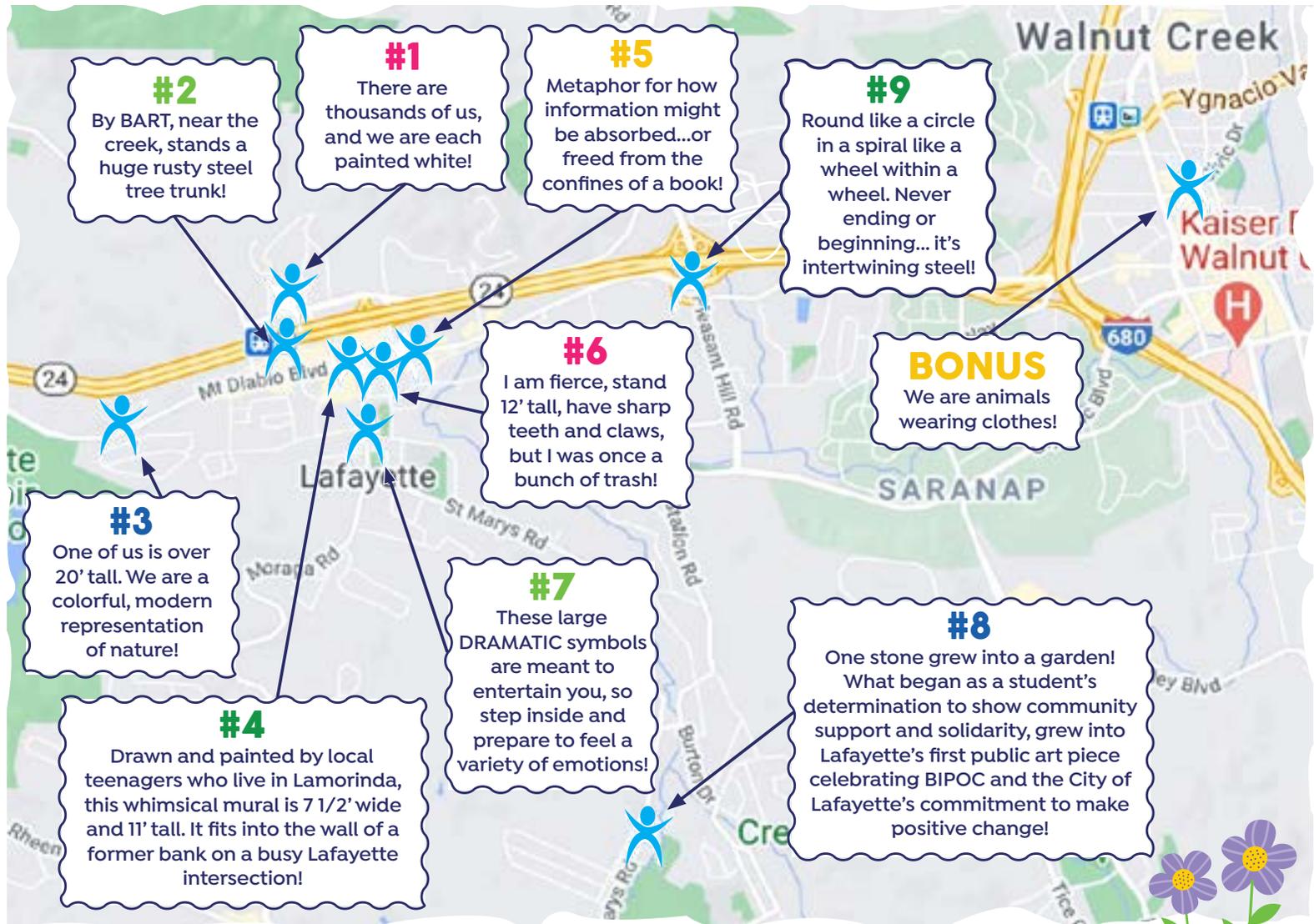


# LPIE'S Outdoor Art Scavenger Hunt



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# Why It's My Favorite

- #1 Suzette Hackett:** I drive by this installment regularly and am always touched by its meaning. The community should be aware of the sacrifices these people made for our country.
- #2 Andrea Futter:** I love that on the path that connects downtown to the BART Station, and right near the highway, is a giant steel sculpture that has patinated to a deep red rust color. It is reminiscent of the huge redwood trunks that remain after the great trees were logged. I also love that you can hear the nearby stream sounds combined with the highway. It feels like a perfect setting for the sculpture.
- #3 Kirsten Jensen-Horne:** Glass in public art always appeals to me because of how the light interacts with it. I love that these are tall, colorful, and peaceful representations of local flowers.
- #4 Sally Dunne:** This is Lafayette's first community art mural brought to life by local architect Lara Dutto and a team of about 13 Lamorinda youth artists. I love that this art piece was a collaboration of teens under the guidance of Dutto. Engaging young artists and giving them the opportunity to create public art is such a fulfilling experience. Dutto asked the artists to visually answer the question: "What does it really mean to grow up in Lamorinda?"
- #5 Valyrie Gillum:** This work depicts pages from many books in a library in a pile that reaches the sky. The wind catches some...freeing the information to spread to others...I love the whimsy of it, and also the meaning.
- #6 Julie Lyverse:** I feel those who made the perilous journey from the East to settle California had to have a fearless spirit similar to that of a bear, and I admire those who continue to come to California and help make it a wonderful place to live. I love the nature of this state, and a bear represents it well in my mind. Lastly, the idea of using unconventional materials for

public art, creates greater appeal and interest to the public. And, it's all recycled goods – win win!

- #7 Beth Jonsson:** I often drive by this mural and am reminded of my love of theater. Performing Arts is a community-building experience enjoyed by all ages. This decades-old building is a Lafayette landmark offering many opportunities for artists and patrons.
- #8 Tanya Parmelee:** Art periods are called movements for a reason – they reflect what is happening at that time. The BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, People of Color) Rock Garden art installation was the idea of a young person, inspired by other young people, all helping our community reflect and create effective change! Moved by the testimony during the high school student-organized Black Lives Matter rally in Lafayette, Stanley student Adam Dolberg painted a variety of BLM rocks. Soon, the project took momentum and others in the community contributed their own rocks. After repeated vandalism at its original location, Adam presented a request to the City of Lafayette to make the project a City Public Art installation. It was placed in the protective space of Lafayette Community Center. The painted rocks remind me of the intensity and directness of artist and social activist Ben Shahn's powerfully poignant political series as well as the vibrant and uplifting "Cows on Parade" international movement.
- #9 Joan Toney:** Every time I am waiting at the intersection, I can't help but marvel at how this large steel sculpture is so graceful. I love to follow the pattern of its eternal loop, and I am reminded of the song "The Windmills of My Mind." (I used the opening lines for my clue.) I wonder how it was made and wish I was a sculptor too.

**BONUS - Katie Stein:** Tim Hancock is an LPIE Art Instructor whose lessons have inspired many Lafayette students! His whimsical animals are representative of his art and add joy and fun to the street corner!

