



### **Kites Over Vista**

The City of Vista's Public Arts Commission created *Kites Over Vista* as a public, temporary sculpture exhibit that rotated annually. The exhibit offers artists a unique opportunity to showcase original sculptural work in downtown Vista. The goal of the "kites" exhibit is to promote artists and their work to residents and visitors to Vista and to assist in branding Vista as home to a significant and dynamic collection of public artwork.

### **Program Goals**

To create a successful temporary art program that will:

- Enhance Vista with a variety of unique original artwork
- Stimulate public curiosity about the art and artists
- Engage and educate passersby regarding the City of Vista, its Public Arts Program, and the artists and artwork featured in the competition



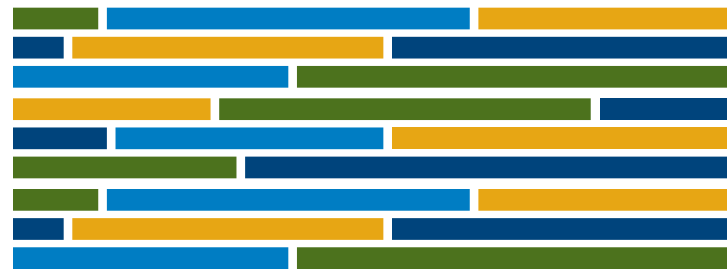
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# CITY OF VISTA WALKING TOUR MAP



## arts & cultural tourism





**1 Gallery 204**

**204 Main Street**

Tuesday-Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Gallery openings start at 5:30 p.m., every second Friday of the month.

[vistaartfoundation.org](http://vistaartfoundation.org)

**760.305.7594**

**2 Off-Broadway Theater**

**131 Main Street**

Vista's exclusive children's theater offers workshops for kids with a flair for drama performing throughout the year.

[broadwayvista.com](http://broadwayvista.com)

**760.806.7905**

**3 AVO Playhouse**

**303 Main Street**

To purchase tickets, call 760.724.2110. Don't forget to stop by and check out the shows from presenting organizations and Moonlight Stage Productions' winter seasons at the AVO.

[moonlightstage.com](http://moonlightstage.com)

**760.724.2110**

**4 Rancho Buena Vista Adobe Gallery**

**640 Alta Vista Drive**

Thursday-Saturday | 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Don't miss *Going to Fiesta*, an original sculpture by Carole Lee in the Rancho's courtyard and the Art Gallery that features local and regional artists.

[cityofvista.com](http://cityofvista.com)

**760.639.6164**



**5 Vista Branch, San Diego County Library**

**700 Eucalyptus Avenue**

Monday-Thursday | 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

Friday-Saturday | 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Sunday | 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Stop in to see *Storytime II* by Gary Lee Prince and a rotating gallery of original artwork by local artists throughout the library.

[sdcl.org](http://sdcl.org)

**760.643.5100**

**6 Broadway Theater**

**340 E Broadway, Suite B**

An intimate 49-seat theatre in the heart of Vista Village presenting affordable productions for a great night out.

[broadwayvista.com](http://broadwayvista.com)

**760.806.7905**

**7 The Wave Waterpark**

**101 Wave Drive**

Memorial Day-Labor Day | 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

September, Saturday-Sunday | 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Featuring the FlowRider, The Wave Waterpark offers up a perfect wave everytime for riders. Five water slides and a lazy river make it a great place to spend some time in the sun!

[thewavewaterpark.com](http://thewavewaterpark.com)

**760.940.WAVE (9283)**

**8 Vista Village Creekwalk**

Host of the semi-annual Art by the Creekwalk art show, this passive park is a great place to enjoy a stroll and enjoy sculptures from *Kites Over Vista*.



## Public Murals

Hop off the Sprinter and enjoy a few of Vista's beautiful landmarks - all within walking distance of the station! Amazing murals, sculptures and architecture are accessible along the path.

- ① **Vista View North** by Lori Escalera, 2007.  
Corner Vista Village at Santa Fe
- ② **Vistacado Parade** by Clayton Parker, 2005. Vistacado Lane and Indiana
- ③ **Vista Fire Department 1929** by Doug Davis, 2000. Curbside Café, 307 Main Street
- ④ **Gateway to the Hills** by Allison Thoene, 2007. Palm Drive at Vista Village Drive
- ⑤ **Adobe Life** by Betty Gilroy. Wildwood Park
- ⑥ **Old Rancho Scene** by Jane Falcone, 2007. 640 Alta Vista Drive, Rancho Buena Vista Adobe

- ⑥ **San Diego County Ranchos & Brands** by Betty Gilroy. Rancho Buena Vista Adobe Gift Shop
- ⑦ **Old Pechstein Farm - Fading Memories** by Rick Valdez, 2003. Seneva Pine Building, 350 E Broadway
- ⑧ **Delpy's, Vista Mercantile, Beattie and Travis** by Chuck Rouse, 2001. Hanes Building, 131 Hanes Place
- ⑨ **Aquatic Murals** by Laurie Sheahan and R. Cording. Wave Waterpark, Wave Drive
- ⑩ **Vista Map and Wishing Well Walk**. Directed by Marge Thompson Peppertree, behind 130 and 146 Eucalyptus

## 2010 Kites Over Vista Public Sculptures

- Ⓐ **Flower Pinwheel** by Carol Beth Rodriguez. Transit Station, Vista Village at Santa Fe
- Ⓑ **Wind Beams** by Robert Rochin. Vista Village Drive
- Ⓒ **Cloud Formation** by Josh Bowman. E Vista Way and Main Street
- Ⓓ **Sun of Kites** by Robert Maya. Main Street Gazebo
- Ⓔ **A May Day** by Melissa Ralston. E Broadway and S Indiana Avenue
- Ⓕ **The Green Machine** by Charles Bronson. Corner of Main Street and Hanes Place

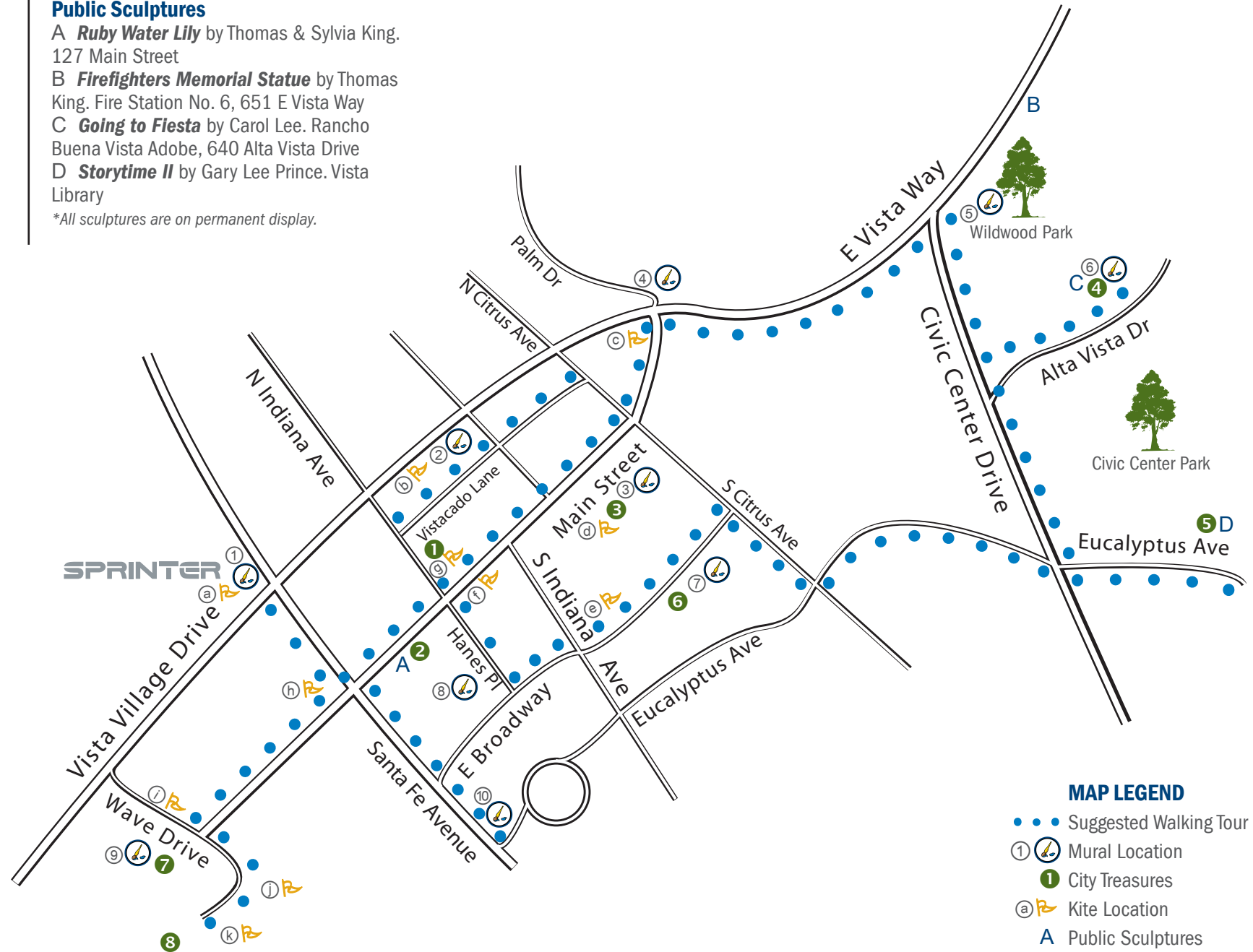
- ⑨ **\*Flock of Kites** by Robert Rochin, 2009. Main Street and N Indiana Avenue
- Ⓜ **\*The Big Blue Kite** by Robert Rochin, 2008. Main Street and S Santa Fe Avenue
- Ⓨ **Steel Ray** by Kent Scott. Wave Drive and Main Street
- Ⓩ **\*Joy Figure** by Josh Bowman, 2008. Vista Village Creekwalk
- Ⓚ **Spinning Glass** by Buddy Smith. Vista Village Creekwalk

*\*Donated to City for permanent display.*

## Public Sculptures

- A **Ruby Water Lily** by Thomas & Sylvia King. 127 Main Street
- B **Firefighters Memorial Statue** by Thomas King. Fire Station No. 6, 651 E Vista Way
- C **Going to Fiesta** by Carol Lee. Rancho Buena Vista Adobe, 640 Alta Vista Drive
- D **Storytime II** by Gary Lee Prince. Vista Library

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### MAP LEGEND

- Suggested Walking Tour
- Ⓛ⚡ Mural Location
- Ⓛ City Treasures
- Ⓛ✈ Kite Location
- A Public Sculptures