

ART & ABOUT LANEWAY ART

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Take this Art & About Sydney Tour for the family and discover a host of activities and fun that will keep the kids happy, the parents pleasant, and the family unit completely harmonious. Well, you can only hope...

Sydney's network of inner city laneways have been transformed by local and international artists for Art & About Sydney 2011. Take this tour and find out what happens when you let the artists loose on the city. Map references are included so print a copy of the map to take with you.

Start at Bulletin Place, and put your feet up. **Bubbleway [1]** by Rebar, is a modular, inflatable social furniture system that asks us to rethink our notions of public space.

Next, walk to Tank Stream Way, and discover **Barry McGee's [2]** street art, teetering between the free spirit of graffiti, the random energy of the urbane and the pure intent of controlled artistry. Then turn into Bridge Lane where Brook Andrews' **Donut [3]**, a large inflated PVC form will strike you with its black and white matrix of Wiradjuri design. Trek overland to Sussex Lane to discover where the queen and founder of the knit graffiti movement, **Magda Sayeg [4]**, has gone to work, bringing her unique handmade aesthetic to a world of concrete and steel.

Making your way to the next Laneway, make sure you check out the **What If** street banners along George Street. Featuring ten words or less from Sydneysiders, they re-imagine our future – in ways that are witty, challenging and even disturbing.

Head back to Town Hall to discover rogue ductwork formed into optical devices in **peri(pher)scopes [5]**: looking-over to the over-looked in Skittle Lane. Finish the first part of your tour in Mullins Street, where Isidro Blasco has created **Deconstructing Ways [6]**, a parallel world for your imagination to step into – one that is guaranteed to make you look twice.

Other Festival Highlights

• Primavera 2011

Until 13 November

• QVB - Here comes the sun

7am – 6pm daily, 6 – 9 October

• 4A Night Vision at Grasshopper bar

29 September & 13 October
Screenings 7pm til close

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