BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PARKWAY VISIT 9/14/13

**THE QUIET VOLUME**

Free Library (FRINGE SHOW): 1901 Vine Street

**BE THERE 15 minutes before SHOW TIME**

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Interactive map <http://withart.visitphilly.com/map/>

Tourist brochure <http://www.parkwaymuseumsdistrictphiladelphia.org/SiteData/docs/4094PMDBro/1ad77111c95e52f5/4094-PMD_Brochure2013_WEB.pdf>

Google map <https://maps.google.com/maps/ms?msa=0&msid=203354611292624788360.0004729ee1389e82f8d8e>

Walking tour

<http://www.ushistory.org/districts/parkway/>

map <http://www.ushistory.org/districts/parkway/a4map.gif>

press map <http://press.visitphilly.com/media/3490>

Some tips from Mark’s Facebook friends:

Just looking up and down the Parkway. You have the Art Museum, City Hall, the flags of all of the countries. Moore College of Art, The Academy of Natural Sciences, "Love Park"

Check out the Rodin Sculptures outside of the Rodin museum. Outside is free. There are more inside. It is only 2-3 bucks to enter and there is only one other in the world -at his birthplace.

Outdoor sculpture garden behind the museum is free and another 5 minutes along the drive is the old waterworks..they have a little display that is free.....and there's always city Hall tower...you have to pay for that, but I don't think it's expensive..

You can walk in the main lobby of the Franklin Institute and admire the giant Ben Franklin. Or hang out in the big main space without going into exhibits and see the folks bicycling on air across the second story. The sculpture on either side of the Parkway is cool - Joan of Arc further north, a di Suvero, Logan Circle Fountain is great, there are several generations of Calders represented.

Visit The Friends Center, at 15th & Cherry.

Beautiful community garden at 19th & Wallace, just 1-2 blocks south of Fairmount, which boasts many eateries...Mugshots is cheap and tasty (1925 Fairmount)

There's a second-hand book store just behind the library.

From an artist: There are a few big mural arts murals north of the library. Sister cities park has milk& honey cafe. Moore college of art - main gallery.

EATING SUGGESTIONS

* at Whole Foods Market: something for everyone. 2001 Pennsylvania Avenue.
* There's a fantastic cheap deli called Kennedy Gardens at 19th & JFK.
  + (That deli = best vegetarian cheese steak. 15 years ago anyway.)
* Rybread Cafe for food! 2319 Fairmount.
* City Pizza a good pizza place for pizza, great sandwiches on Spring Garden Street just east of the corner of 16th street.