

Have you noticed the beautiful public art in Timaru? Here's a map to help you find these works, along with some fun challenges to enjoy along the way!

Start your journey at the Aigantighe Art Gallery's Sculpture Garden on 49 Wai-iti Road, Timaru, featuring 13 stunning Mt. Somers stone sculptures created during an international Stone Carving Symposium in 1990. Many of Timaru's public sculptures came through community initiatives like the Heartlands

Sculpture Challenge, a competition that awarded winning pieces a permanent place in the district, while others were funded by the Aoraki Art Charitable Trust, and Phar Lap Trust, and personal gifts aimed at sharing art in our public spaces.

Thank you to everyone who gives their time and resources to support public art—it brings our town to life, fosters creativity, and connects us all, making Timaru a vibrant and inspiring place for everyone.

definition of sculpture

The art of making two or three dimensional representative or abstract forms, especially by carving stone or wood or by casting metal or plaster

"Public art in Timaru is dynamic and evolving. Its role in society is to engage, provoke and enhance the urban landscape. It helps instil a sense of pride within our community."

- Cara Fitzgerald Manager of Aigantighe Art Gallery

sculpture word find

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A	C	E	N	Y	A	L	C	Z	X
V	R	T	E	S	P	A	C	E	E
B	A	L	A	N	C	E	X	E	T

- Clay Mould
- Bronze Stone
- Marble Jade
- Cast Cut
- Carve Ceramic
- Artist Art
- Scale Balance
- Space Texture
- Time Sculptures

word scramble

How many words can you make by unscrambling the letters **SCULPTURE**

- 7 letter word hint: **cluster**
- 6 letter word hint: **erupts**
- 5 letter word hint: **cruel**
- 4 letter word hint: **true**

tranquility hunt

"This was my first major public commission, and it gave me the impetus to become a full-time sculptor."

- Llewelyn Summers



Llewelyn Summers, *Tranquility*. Cast Concrete, 1981

How many icons can you spy on this map?



Answer: Be Inspired



Can you find a sculpture at the Caroline Bay Playground? Donald Patterson, made the Rat Bags in 2023. They were commissioned by Cplay volunteers, made from resin and fibre glass.

COMPLETE THE SCULPTURE HUNT QUIZ TO REVEAL THE CHALLENGE ANSWER

Visit the sculptures, monuments and fountains around Timaru to answer the following quiz. Then use the answers of the questions highlighted with “clue” to reveal the *sculpture challenge*.

1 clue:	SCULPTURE 37	1st letter of... of the answer
2 clue:	SCULPTURE 55	1st letter of... Jack Lovelock's middle name
3 clue:	SCULPTURE 50	1st letter of... Rob D'Auvergne's sculpture
4 clue:	SCULPTURE 38	1st letter of... the shortest person
5 clue:	SCULPTURE 46	1st letter of... Sir Gordon Tait's rank
6 clue:	SCULPTURE 44	1st letter of... Trevor Askin's sculpture
7 clue:		The answer is the letter I
8 clue:	SCULPTURE 43	1st letter of... the artist's first name
9 clue:	SCULPTURE 42	1st letter of... the body part
10 clue:	SCULPTURE 44	1st letter of... the animal with the paper boy

Caroline Bay

TIMARU SCULPTURE HUNT

- 31 **Rose Garden Fountain.** 2001
Q: *What is the cherub holding above its head?*
A:
- 32 **Peony Rose Garden Fountain.**
Q: *How many cherubs are holding up the woman?*
A:
- 33 Margriet Windhausen. **The Face of Peace.** Bronze. 2008
Q: *What animal can you see in the face of peace?*
A:
- 34 **Promenade Fountain 3.**
Q: *What fruit are cherubs holding?*
A:
- 35 Rory MacDougall. **Triffid.** 2010
Q: *True or false? Triffid is a cube.*
A:
- 36 Stuart King. **One planet Few Lovers.** 2010
Q: *How many circles make up the sculpture?*
A:
- 37 Gary Baynes. **Winds of Change.** 2010
Q: *What colour are the three tips of the sculpture?*
A:
- 38 Debbie Templeton Page. **Xanthe & Nevaeh.** Basalt. 2012
Q: *Who is taller: Xanthe or Nevaeh?*
A:
- 39 Michael Armstrong. **A lazy Wind.** 2010
Q: *True or false? The metal person moves in the breeze.*
A:
- 40 Debbie Templeton-Page. **Bronze.** 2008
Q: *What shape is repeated in the sculpture?*
A:
- CAN YOU FIND THE NEW SCULPTURES:
- 57 Llew Summers. **Circling the Baroque.** Bronze. 2017
- 58 Matthew Williams. **Quadratic.** 2019. Steel on Bluestone Pillar
- 59 Gypsy and Eddie Poulston. **Family of Three.** Aluminium

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Around Timaru

- 50 Rob D'Auvergne. **Icthis.** 2009
(Located: South St)
Q: *What colour is the top section of the post on this sculpture?*
A:
- 51 Artist Unknown. **Robbie Burns Statue.** Marble. 1913
(Located: Botanical Gardens)
Q: *In what year was Robert Burns born?*
A:
- 52 **The Anderson Rose Fountain.** Timaru Gardens. 2002
(Located: Botanical Gardens)
Q: *How many fish have water spouting out of their mouths?*
A:
- 53 Alison Duff. **Mother and Child.** Hinuera Stone
(Located: Timaru Girls' High School, Cain St)
Q: *True or false? The mother is holding her child above her.*
A:
- 54 Katrina Thomson. **The Shortest Day.** 2009
(Located: Centennial Park, (Zig Zag) off Church St)
Q: *How many individual pieces form this sculpture?*
A:
- 55 Margriet Windhausen. **Jack Lovelock Statue.** 2002
(Located: Timaru Boys' High School, North St)
Q: *What was Jack Lovelock's middle name?*
A:
- 56 Joanne Sullivan-Gessler. **Phar Lap.** Bronze 2009
(Located: Phar Lap Raceway, SH 1, Washdyke)
Q: *True or false? The horse's foot is on his birthplace.*
A:

Central Business District

- 41 Margriet Windhausen. **Bob Fitzsimmons.** Bronze. 1987
Q: *In how many divisions did he become world champion?*
A:
- 42 Russell Clark. **The Ear.** Ferro Cement. 1957
Q: *What are the three main colours of this sculpture?*
A:
- 43 Russell Beck. **Syncline.** 2009
Q: *True or false? This sculpture is made of stone.*
A:
- 44 Trevor Askin. **Paperboy.** Bronze. 1997
Q: *What animal is with the paperboy?*
A:
- 45 Llewelyn Summers. **Tranquillity.** Cast Concrete. 1981
Q: *What is the mother holding?*
A:
- 46 Margriet Windhausen. **Admiral Sir Gordon Tait.** 2011
Q: *What rank did Sir Gordon Tait attain (the highest attained by a New Zealander)?*
A:
- 47 Margriet Windhausen. **The RT Hon Lord Elworthy.** 1990
Q: *What rank did Lord Elworthy hold from 1967–1971?*
A:
- 48 Doug Neil. **Rock of the Heartland.** Basalt. 2008
Q: *True or false? You can see through this sculpture.*
A:
- 49 Donald Paterson. **Captain Cain.** Bronze/Polymer Resin. 1999
Q: *What is the captain holding in his hand?*
A: