



The sculpture, the Tube Dude, by Scott Gerber was installed in 2015. It is made of aluminum, almost all from a recycled source. The Tube Dude inspired the idea to add more sculptures in the city park.

A Community Project

Realized with help from many partners:

- ✓ Park Rapids City Council
- ✓ Park Rapids Arts & Culture Advisory Commission
- ✓ Park Rapids Parks & Beautification Board
- ✓ Park Rapids Lakes Area Arts Council
www.prlaac.org/
- ✓ Park Rapids Lakes Area Chamber of Commerce & Tourism
www.parkrapids.com/
- ✓ Park Rapids Downtown Business Association
www.parkrapidsdowntown.com/
- ✓ Park Rapids Community Fund
- ✓ Headwaters Regional Development Commission
- ✓ Business sponsors: named with each sculpture & Klein Insurance Agency

Sculptures selected from among Minnesota artists in an annual competition will be displayed for one year in this city park on the Fish Hook River. The park is the trailhead for the Heartland Trail, a paved, pedestrian-friendly, urban trail used year round. After the year ends, the art may be purchased.

Red Bridge Park is located on Beach Road, east of US Hwy. 71/Park Avenue North, about a block north of the stoplights at the junction of Highways 71 and 34.

The **Heartland State Trail** was one of the first rail-to-trail projects in the country. It is a 49-mile, multiple-use trail between Park Rapids and Cass Lake. The trail is located entirely on a level, abandoned, railroad grade, except for a four-mile segment north of Walker. Snowmobiles use the sharply rolling terrain in this area. The Heartland State Trail also connects with the Paul Bunyan State Trail and other regional trail systems.



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Red Bridge Park

Sculpture Trail

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2018 sculptures & sponsors



Artist: Al Belleveau of Puposky
Title: AntVenture
Material: Stone and steel
Studio: Rock Iron Art
Website: rockironart.com/studio
Sponsor: CHI St. Joseph's Health



Artist: Tim Cassidy
of New York Mills
Title: Fertilized
Material: Steel
Studio: North Star Industrial Arts
Facebook: [North-Star-Industrial-Arts](https://www.facebook.com/North-Star-Industrial-Arts)
Sponsor: Coldwell Banker Clack & Dennis Real Estate



Artist: Patrick Shannon of Vergas
Title: Untitled
Material: Copper, steel, stainless steel
Studio: Forest Edge Art Gallery
Website: forestedgeartgallery.com
Sponsor: Thielen Motors



Artist: Dakota Brouillette
of Park Rapids
Title: Junkyard Turtle
Material: Repurposed materials
Sponsor: Available



Artist: Paula Jensen of Longville
Title: Eagle Spirit
Material: Welded steel
Studio: Earth Eagle Forge
Website: eartheagleforge.com
Sponsor: Northwoods Bank



Artist: Simon Zornes of Zerkel
Title: Prayers to Sky Mother
Material: Granite from Two Inlets
Facebook: [simon.zornes](https://www.facebook.com/simon.zornes)
Sponsor: Park Rapids Rotary Club