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SOUTH STREET SAFARI AT PHILADELPHIA’S MAGIC GARDENS

Neighborhood scavenger hunt challenges guests to find creatures in mosaic murals.

SOUTH STREET, PHILADELPHIA: Philadelphia’s Magic Gardens (PMG) is thrilled to bring back neighborhood scavenger hunt: South Street Safari! The event will take place from 6:00 – 8:30 PM on Wednesday, July 31, 2019.

Participants are invited to bring their dogs, family, and friends, and meet us at Philadelphia’s Magic Gardens on South Street. Then, armed with a map and checklist, everyone will be off into the streets and alleyways in the surrounding neighborhood, searching out the many depictions of animals hidden in the local mosaics! The goal is to find all the critters shown on the checklist and snap photos for proof – then get back to PMG. The group who finds the most within an hour, or finds them all and gets back first, wins!

Once everyone gets back to PMG, we’ll announce the winner and cool down with some light refreshments. The winning group will get a great basket of swag from PMG and many other local businesses. Participants can also post their favorites up on social media with the hashtag #southstreetsafari for bonus prizes!

The suggested donation for this is $5/ Person, and all donations will benefit Morris Animal Refuge on 12th and Lombard. A representative from the shelter will be on hand before the scavenger hunt to provide some more information and introduce us to an adoptable dog!

South Street Safari will start at Philadelphia’s Magic Gardens at 1020 South Street, Philadelphia, and continue through the neighborhood between South and Catherine and 8th and 12th Streets. Tickets are available online or via phone (215-733-0390 ext. 119). We encourage everyone to sign up ahead of time as space is limited! A full list of rules can be found on our website.

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ABOUT PHILADELPHIA’S MAGIC GARDENS

Philadelphia’s Magic Gardens (PMG) is an immersive mixed media art environment that is completely covered with mosaics. The creator, Isaiah Zagar, used handmade tiles, bottles, bicycle wheels, mirror, and international folk art to chronicle his life and influences. The exploratory space is made up of two indoor galleries and a bi-level outdoor sculpture garden. As
a nonprofit museum, PMG celebrates art in its many forms through community outreach, public programs, hands-on activities, exhibitions, and tours. We welcome everyone to explore the space and embrace the possibility of self-expression.

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