



News From NatureMaker

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Museum Applications

NatureMaker specializes in the design and fabrication of highly naturalistic "Steel Art Trees" for zoos, museums, theme parks, hotels, resorts, casinos, restaurants, shopping centers and other venues around the world.

In this issue we focus on the museum level of quality that NatureMaker represents. Some of these characteristics may include accurate morphology, 360 degree detailing, individually shaped limbs, careful blending of limbs with trunks and the replication of bug holes, decay, fungus, knot holes and much more.

ENVIRONMENTAL NATURE CENTER

At the Environmental Nature Center in Newport Beach, California, a 14' tall oak tree with a 9' canopy diameter was designed, conceived and handcrafted to represent a native California oak. It is an interactive feature that is part of the new educational exhibit at the museum.

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Portland, OR
Portland Convention Center
Booth 110

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up a meeting at
any of these events.

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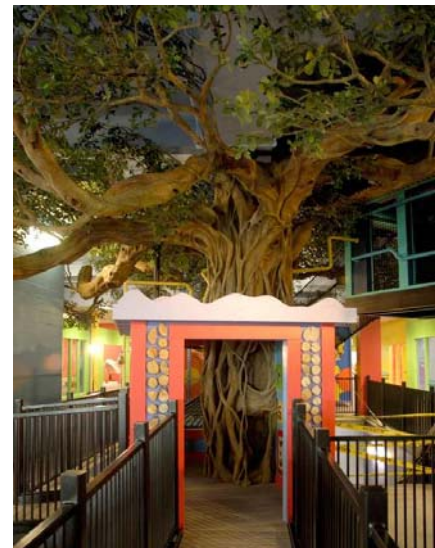
SANTA MARIA VALLEY DISCOVERY MUSEUM

This 15' by 15' canopy diameter interactive sycamore tree was designed with cut-outs for animal displays for the Santa Maria Discovery Museum in central California.



THE BUILDING FOR KIDS

The "Building for Kids" children's museum in Appleton, Wisconsin, hosts a 40' tall, two story interactive banyan tree with tree houses and walkways for children.



JANET HUCKABEE ARKANSAS RIVER VALLEY NATURE CENTER

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The 30' tall oak with a 25' canopy diameter adds a giant 3-dimensional, early fall element to the animals, plant species and mural of this exhibit in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

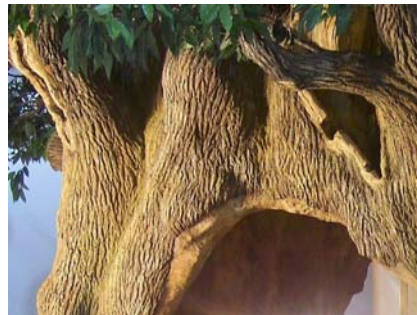


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CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF INDIANAPOLIS

The Children's Museum of Indianapolis showcases a walk-through 20' tall by 25' canopy diameter chestnut tree at the entrance. The tree is an integral part of the educational and exploratory environment. Students leave personal messages at the tree with their pledges to build a better world.



Founded in 1983, NatureMaker promotes the wonders of nature in three-dimensional sculpture. Captured by master craftsmen in photo-realistic detail, our trees are one-of-a-kind works of art. Explore the use of NatureMaker trees as creative solutions for the architectural and design challenges you face. **[Learn more about designing a tree for your building](#)**, or call us to talk at 800-872-1889.

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