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Community Engagement in Wayne County

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30,202 students from 316 schools in Wayne County visited the DIA on field trips in 2016. The best part? Bus transportation and admission to the museum were free!



Every Thursday afternoon the DIA has unique programs for adults 55 and over. In 2016, the DIA provided free bus transportation to 2,244 seniors to and from the museum from within Wayne County. While here, they enjoyed lectures with curators, art making workshops, tours of the permanent collection and matinees at the Detroit Film Theatre, as well as a coffee and cookie reception.



DIA Away: Think Like an Artist is a mobile interactive classroom that extends the creative experience of the DIA beyond the walls of the museum to our neighbors in southeast Michigan. DIA Away visits schools, community fairs, senior centers and festivals to inspire creative thinking and enhance problem-solving skills.

"The DIA Away experience was phenomenal! We had various grade levels, from across the district, which included high school, who raved about the experience. Not only was the experience well worth it, but the staff at the DIA were wonderful to work with as well."

-Janet Stack, Visual Art Leader, Livonia Public Schools



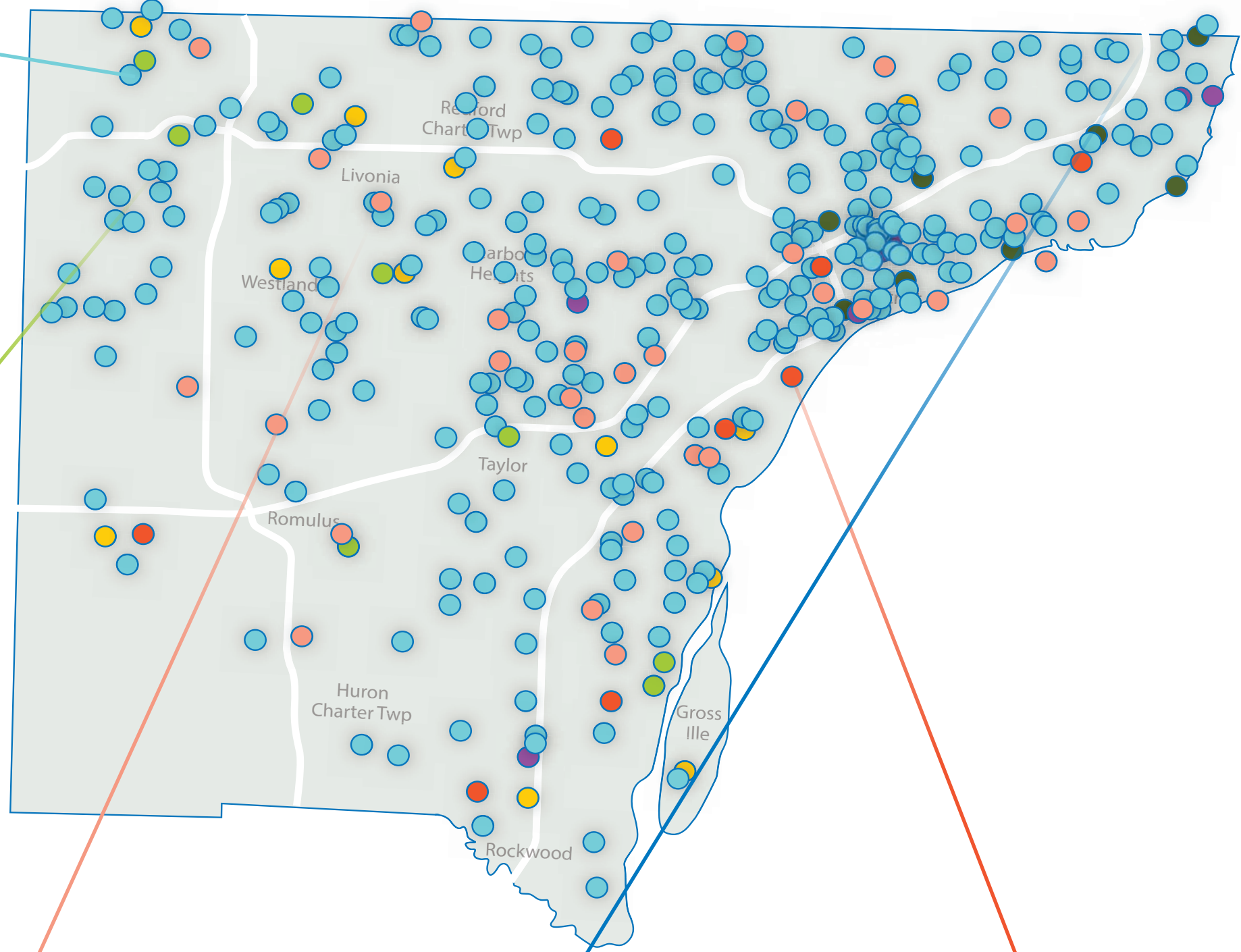
In August 2016, the Osborn Neighborhood Alliance collaborated with the DIA for **"Welcome to Osborn"** a mural funded by a Knight Arts Challenge grant. The four-story-high and thirty-four-foot-wide mural was painted by Phillip Simpson and Tony Rave, two artists from the neighborhood.



Every spring and summer, **Inside|Out**, sponsored by The Knight Foundation, brings high quality reproductions of masterpieces from the DIA to communities throughout southeast Michigan. In 2016, Inside|Out visited Eastern Market, the East English Village and Grandmont Rosedale neighborhoods in Detroit, Ecorse, Flat Rock, Hamtramck, Belleville and River Rouge.

"Inside|Out is a wonderful installation that brought a sampling of art to our culturally diverse streets & neighborhoods in Hamtramck. Inside|Out created an opportunity for lively conversation and piqued added interest in art for our residents both young and old!"

-Kathy Angerer, City of Hamtramck Director of Economic Development



MAP LEGEND

7

DIRECTOR'S CUT TALKS

25

DIA AWAY VISITS

12

COUNTY DAYS PICK UP LOCATIONS

28

BEHIND THE SEEN ART TALK SERIES

10

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT TALK SERIES

67

SENIOR THURSDAY GROUP VISITS

8

INSIDE | OUT LOCATIONS

316

SCHOOLS PARTICIPATING IN FIELD TRIPS

141,443 people from Wayne County enjoyed free, unlimited general admission to the DIA.

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FREE GENERAL ADMISSION for residents of Wayne, Oakland and Macomb Counties.

MUSEUM HOURS Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9 a.m.–4 p.m. | Friday: 9 a.m.–10 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday: 10 a.m.–5 p.m. | Monday: Closed

BOX OFFICE Farnsworth Lobby | Sunday through Saturday: 9 a.m.–5 p.m.

For general information: 313.833.4005 **For information on group tours:** 313.833.1291

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