

Commemorative Statue of Frank Sandy Tatum at Harding Park



Narrative:

The Frank Sandy Tatum story is known to many throughout the Bay Area and golf world. In addition to his decades of service and leadership in golf, Sandy Tatum played in the San Francisco City Championship at Harding Park since he was a student at Stanford in the early 1940's. For generations, "The City" had been one of the premier amateur tournaments in the US, however, through the 1970's and 80's, the historic course of Harding Park had become run-down and in sub-standard condition due to budget cuts and other factors. A passionate leader throughout his life, Sandy set out on a crusade to restore and renovate Harding Park back to its former greatness. Sandy was nearly 80 years old when he began this herculean task, which encountered countless hurdles and staunch opposition. Despite the odds, Sandy brought together the City and County of San Francisco, the PGA Tour, and other community leaders to make his dream a reality.

A significant catalyst in the process was the inclusion of a new First Tee Chapter, the First Tee of San Francisco. Sandy was a firm believer that learning the inherent values in golf could change lives. Today, the partnership between the First Tee of San Francisco, the San Francisco Recreation and Park Department, and allied golf organizations continues to thrive and serve as a model for success.

The impact of Harding Park's return to golf glory and the value the First Tee of San Francisco has had on the community cannot be overstated. TPC Harding Park is now considered one of the best municipal golf courses in the United States and has hosted several prestigious professional events. The PGA of America bringing the PGA Championship to Harding Park is the ultimate testament to the vision Sandy had 20 years ago. The First Tee of San Francisco has evolved beyond Sandy's expectation and today is widely considered the most impactful Chapter in the First Tee network. Nearly 15,000 students participate in programs annually in San Francisco. It's high-impact program, the Future Foursome, is the benchmark in youth development and education for making a difference in the lives of underserved kids.

Following Sandy's passing in June of 2017, Chuck and Helen Schwab engaged The First Tee of San Francisco to make a significant gift in honor of their dear friend. As longtime supporters of the First Tee and the San Francisco Chapter, the Schwabs share many of the same values as Sandy and supported two major initiatives. A Sandy Tatum Scholars program was formed with to provide valuable resources to Future Foursome students as they pursue post-secondary education. Following the 2020 PGA Championship, a renovation of the First Tee golf facilities at Harding Park will begin with the goal of constructing the best multi-purpose synthetic golf facility in the country. A new building, the Sandy Tatum Learning Center, will be constructed to serve as a program clubhouse and classroom.

As part of this initiative, Mr. Schwab wanted to memorialize his dear friend in a meaningful way at the facility Sandy loved so much and with which he is synonymous, Harding Park. In 2018, the First Tee of San Francisco commissioned world renowned sculptor Zenos Frudakis to create a bronze statue of Sandy Tatum to be placed at Harding Park. Zenos has created brilliant art around the globe and the statue will commemorate Sandy and the immense impact he has had on the community, specifically through the First Tee of San Francisco. We believe this a fitting tribute to a man who is largely responsible for what Harding Park and the First Tee of San Francisco are today.

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Resume- Zenos Frudakis

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Monumental Bronze Sculptures

- ✦ **Freedom, internationally recognized as one of the 10 top public sculptures in the world, 2014-2019.** “Best Sculptures in the World” lists include Architectural Digest US, AD Europe & Middle-East, The Independent; Philadelphia, Ballinger, Liberty Property Trust
- ✦ Reaching, Utsukushi-ga-hara Open Air Museum, Japan; first cast: Indianapolis Capital Center, Developers: Browning Investments.
- ✦ Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. US State Department/King Center, Washington, DC, for University of New South Wales, Australia. Winner of international competition for first sculpture of Dr. King in Australia, 2018
- ✦ National Service Memorial - United States Air Force Honor Guard Sculptures, Arlington, Virginia; Additional full casts at Randolph-Macon Academy, Front Royal, VA; Air Force Academy, Colorado; Alliance Airport, Dallas, Texas. Total height: 16 feet, bronze. Four figures include representation of one African-American, one Hispanic, and one woman. With Jim Freed, architect, IM Pei.
- ✦ For H Ross Perot, Jr., Honor Guard, 16 ft high, Imperial War Museum, England, dedicated March, 2016 by HRH Prince Philip and H. Ross Perot, Jr.
- ✦ Knowledge Is Power, 8 feet high, 15 feet long, over 30 portraits from intellectual history, two -8 foot high figures free-standing. 31 portraits from intellectual history include: Harriet Tubman, Dr. King, Rachel Carson, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Darwin, Einstein, Alan Turing, John Muir, Thoreau, Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ
- ✦ Frederick Law Olmsted, North Carolina Arboretum, Asheville, NC. 8 ft high, bronze, dedicated April 21, 2016
- ✦ James Braddock, “Cinderella Man” – boxer 10 ft high, Bergen County, NJ, 2018
- ✦ Dream to Fly, Cherry Hill, N.J., Rouse & Associates. Three bronze 7 foot high figures in fountain, 21 feet total height
- ✦ The Workers’ Memorial, 8 foot high bronze figure sculpture in cor-ten steel circle, Bethlehem, PA
- ✦ Clarence Darrow, 7 ft high, bronze, Rhea County Courthouse, Dayton, Tennessee, July 14, 2017
- ✦ Molly Maguires Memorial Sculpture, Molly Maguire Historical Park, Mahanoy City, PA
- ✦ Pennsylvania Anthracite Miners’ Memorial, Shenandoah, Pa., over life size bronzes
- ✦ Paradigm Shift, 18 foot high bronze sculpture in office park, Fort Washington, PA
- ✦ Ellis Arnall, former Governor of Georgia, Capitol Building, Atlanta, 7 ft. high
- ✦ Reaching, Indianapolis Capital Center, Developers: Browning Investments. Winner of a national competition between 155 sculptors for site specific work.
- ✦ Dream to Fly, Cherry Hill, N.J., Rouse & Associates. Three bronze figures in fountain, 21 ft high
- ✦ Frank L. Rizzo, former Philadelphia Mayor, 10 ft. high, across from City Hall, Philadelphia
- ✦ John D. MacArthur, 8 foot high bronze figure Palm Beach Gardens, Florida
- ✦ Paradigm Shift, 18 foot high bronze sculpture in office park, Fort Washington, PA
- ✦ Senator Robert Roe & George Newman, businessman, 8 foot high figures, Secaucus Transportation Center, NJ
- ✦ Richardson Dilworth, former Mayor, Philadelphia Int’l Airport, 5 ft x 4 ft, bas-relief

Monumental Bronze Sculptures for Harlan Crow (Trammel Crow Developers, Dallas, Texas)

- ✚ Historical bronze figures with portrait likenesses, Old Parkland, Dallas, Texas, installed in garden with Rodin- Alexis deToqueville, 8 feet high, Ben Franklin, 7 feet high, multiple bronze busts of historical subjects
- ✚ Father and Son, 8 ft high; Two Students, St. Marks School, over life size, Dr. Norman Adrian Seldin, Founder, University of Texas Southwest

Selected Colleges, Universities, Private Schools – Over life size bronzes

- ✚ Rowan University, NJ , Henry Rowan, philanthropist, 7 foot high bronze figure sculpture with portrait
- ✚ Rowan University, Glassboro, NJ, Knowledge Is Power, 8 feet high, 15 feet long, over 30 portraits from intellectual history, two -8 foot high figures free standing. 31 portraits from intellectual history include: Harriet Tubman, Dr. King, Rachel Carson, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Darwin, Einstein, Alan Turing, John Muir, Thoreau
- ✚ University of Texas South Western, Dr. Donald Seldin, “The Intellectual Father of University of Texas SW”
- ✚ Emory University, Georgia, Sanford Atwood, President & Henry S. Bowden, Chairman of the Board
- ✚ University of Pennsylvania, Coach Lake, Franklin Field, life size
- ✚ Temple University Medical School, Dr. Stone, life size bronze bust of underwriting donor
- ✚ Palm Beach Atlantic University, Florida, Dr. Jess Moody, Founder/President, figure/portrait
- ✚ Campbell School of Law, Raleigh, NC, Dr. Norman Adrian Wiggins
- ✚ Drexel University, oil on canvas painting of Anthony and Antoinette Caneris
- ✚ St. Marks School, Dallas, Texas, Two Students * Memphis University School, Coach Jack Rudolph

Sports/Sports Related Sculptures

- ✚ Payne Stewart, Pinehurst Resort, North Carolina; Coyote Hills, Fullerton, California
- ✚ Richard Tufts and Robert Dedman, Pinehurst, North Carolina, life size figures/ portraits
- ✚ Jack Nicklaus, US Golf Association Museum, dedicated May, 2015
- ✚ Coach Ron Fraser, University of Miami – known as The Wizard of Baseball, 7 ft. high
- ✚ Arnold Palmer and Bob Jones, Augusta, Georgia, Golf Hall of Fame, 7 ft.
- ✚ Arnold Palmer, Latrobe Airport & Laurel Valley Golf Course, PA; Tralee, Ireland, 7 ft high
- ✚ Bob Jones, Distinguished Sportsman Award, United States Golf Association, 18 inches high
- ✚ Phillies Greats - Mike Schmidt, Steve Carlton, Richie Ashburn, Robin Roberts, each 10 ft high, Citizens Bank Park
- ✚ Joe DiMaggio & Child, Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, Hollywood, Florida, monumental
- ✚ Dinah Shore, Mission Hills Country Club & Resort, Rancho Mirage, California
- ✚ Bob Jones, Distinguished Sportsman Award, U.S. Golf Association Museum
- ✚ Coach Jack Rudolph, Memphis University School, Memphis, TN
- ✚ Danny Murtaugh, Boston Braves, 1947, Chadds Ford, PA *Coach Fritz Brennan, Lower Merion HS, Merion, PA

Private Collections

- ✚ John D. MacArthur, John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation Headquarters, Chicago, Illinois
- ✚ Dr. Solomon Wallace, Masonic Leader, New York City, dedicated May, 2015
- ✚ Don McLean, singer/songwriter, sculpted from life / Mark Twain, Lotos Club, New York City
- ✚ Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. U.S. Embassy, Pretoria, with grant from National Endowment for the Arts and funding support from United States Information Agency for travel in Africa
- ✚ General George C. Marshall, Marshall Foundation, VMI, Virginia, life size, bronze

- ✚ General Douglas MacArthur, MacArthur Memorial Foundation and The Pentagon
- ✚ Michael Kahn, Artistic Director, The Shakespeare Theatre, Washington, DC
- ✚ Busts: Hamilton, Jefferson, Lincoln, Generals MacArthur and Marshall, Churchill, Eisenhower

Museums

- ✚ Utsukushi-ga-hara /Hakone Open Air Museum, Japan; Reaching, winner, Hakone Award, Third Rodin Grand Prize
- ✚ Museum of the National Academy of Design, New York City, Sheila, bronze portrait bust; Two Babies,
- ✚ State Museum, Harrisburg, PA. K. Leroy Irvis, First African-American Speaker of the House of Representatives
- ✚ Oklahoma Journalism Hall of Fame, Vance Henry Trimble, Pulitzer Prize winner, from life
- ✚ Brookgreen Gardens, South Carolina, Irish Wolfhound and Wolf, and for private collection, Florida

Education **University of Pennsylvania; Master of Fine Arts and Bachelor of Fine Art;** Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, 1973-1976, unprecedented scholarships, Dolfinger-McMahon Fdn.

*Honorary Doctorate, Accademico Internazionale, Rome, Italy

Selected Awards **National Endowment for the Arts**, development grant, sculpture, national competition; **Arts America, United States Information Agency**, grant for sculpture, travel, meeting artists in Africa; **Utsukushi-ga-hara Open-Air Museum, Rodin Grand Prize, Hakone Award**, Japan; **National Academy of Design** Award for Portraiture; **National Sculpture Society**, New York, Herring Art in Architecture Award, Silver Medal of Honor, President's Prize, Gloria Medal, Richards Award for Portraiture.

Memberships **Academician, National Academy of Design** (1982 - present); **Elected Fellow, National Sculpture Society** (1981 - present); Board of Directors, National Sculpture Society, 1988-1992, 2000-2001; Editorial Board, Sculpture Review, 1990-1992, 2000, 2001 / Member, Lotos Club, New York, 1992 – present

Selected Exhibitions **CATO Institute, April, 2019, Invited Guest Sculptor; Southern Alleghenies Museums of the Arts**, Ligonier, PA, June – November, 2013; **Tampa Museum of Art**, Tampa, Florida, with National Sculpture Society, 2013; **Brookgreen Gardens**, South Carolina, with National Sculpture Society, 2013; **Atwater Kent Museum**, Philadelphia, Will We Ever Forget Baseball in Philadelphia?, 1876-2004; **Hakone Open-Air Museum, Japan, Third Rodin Grand Prize**, by invitation, 1990; National Sculpture Society Celebrates the Figure, Chairman/exhibitor, **Port of History Museum**, Phila. '87; **National Academy of Design**, N.Y. Invited Artist, Juried Annuals, 1991, 1993; **National Sculpture Society**, New York, Juried Annual Exhibitions 1979 – 2000; **Institute of Contemporary Art**, MFA Group Shows, Philadelphia, Pa. 1981-1983; **National Academy of Design**, Juried Annual Exhibitions, New York, 1980, '84, '86, '90; Juried Annual Exhibition, "The Figure: Revolving Traditions," **Fairfield University**, Fairfield, Ct. 1991; **Chesterwood**, Stockbridge, MA