Culture and Art





▲ Humor in Life, a Presentation of Humorous and Fun Little Moments (Public Art at Tainan Science Park)

2011 STSP Art Festival

From November 26 to December 25, a one-month Public Art Festival was held at the STSP, the first of its kind held at Science Park in Taiwan. Besides the installation of 21 public works of art, there were also grand opening activities, 18 workshops, 3 artistic education seminars, 3 performing art activities, and 40 guided tours were provided to relay different cultural and art experiences for Park employees and community residents. There were approximately 6, 000 attendees. A Facebook Fan Page for "2011 STSP Art Festival, I love STSP and My Home" was constructed to provide participants with real-time interaction and audio, video, and photo sharing.

Cultural and Art Map Website

In order to promote art and culture at the STSP, a "Cultural and Art Map" was added to the website of the STSP Administration on October 25. It includes introductory sections on culture and art at the Tainan Science Park, a section on the historical sites of Tainan City, public art, local culture, and artistic landscapes and is dedicated to sharing the cultural and artistic beauty of the STSP.



▲ "Time is Here" (Public Art at Tainan Science Park), Based on the Connection of Technology and the Concept of Flowing Time



▲ Culture and Art Map Website of the STSP

STSP Xingang Temple— A Combination of Culture and Technology

Xingang Temple at the southwestern of the Tainan Science Park was constructed in order to provide a home to Buddha statues from dozens of small temples that were not being attended to. At present, Floor 1 is the Cultural Museum and Floor 2 is the temple. On May 1, its operations were entrusted to Xinshi Township Office which will organize an important festival celebration, routine worship activities, and an exhibition at the Cultural Museum. In 2011, the number of visitors reached 6,500. The STSP Xingang Temple is not only a religious site for STSP employees and community residents but also an ideal space for recreational and leisure activities.



▲ Presentation of Calligraphy Gift Written by the 100-year Old Elderly, Sun Chianghua (left two) to Mayor Lai Chingte (right two) during the Exhibition at Xingang Temple's Cultural Museum (October 8, 2011)



▲ Blessing Ceremony with Many Distinguished Guests at the Fifth Anniversary of Xingang Temple (September 16, 2011)