

### **soundNest: Dancing Fire**

SOUNDNEST returns wilder and larger as a lavish interactive outdoor installation centered upon the Red Stage. Promoting an inclusive sense of community, courage and confidence. It is a three-day celebration of life, love and diversity!

The enclosure is 85 x 30 feet and will be located in Pearlstone Park, directly across from the Meyerhof Symphony. Look for the large, white, and curved silver pole enclosure around three trees. Follow the joyful sounds through the colorful entrances into a vibrant environment that blurs the lines between audience and performers. The public is invited to walk through or play upon a feast of handmade musical instruments led by a series of experimental sound and performance artists. All ages are welcome!

In addition, there will be other participatory venues, such as creating sound makers from scratch. Large boards will also be available for drawing and sharing thoughts and ideas on creating community.

SoundNest is the creation of Dialog+, a social practice comprised of the artists Alzaruba, Liz Swanson and ryanSmith, in collaboration with Justin Miller. We'll see you at the Nest!