

Celebrate Brooklyn

Friends Tent at The Celebrate Brooklyn Performing Arts Festival, Prospect Park

design work focused on the re-configuration and rejuvenation of the two “Friends” tents adjacent to the band shell in Prospect Park. The concept design was reached through a balance of financial economy, material limitations, time constraints, and total creative abandon. Without any overall theme for the festival, the aesthetics were developed as a response to the natural context of Prospect Park. This design is realized through the new definition of both the ceiling and floor planes in this space. The ceiling plane consists of a canopy of laser cut leaf and branch patterns mirrored by a similar pattern painted on the floor plane of the tent using laser cut stencils.