

Old Mill Master Gardeners workday May 8, 2024:

The Old Mill Master Gardeners had a unique opportunity at their recent work day on May 8. A seven-member team from Studio Cortes in San Antonio (whose family is descended from Dionicio Rodriguez, the original artist) was at the Old Mill doing restoration work on the *faux bois* (fake wood) artwork, which includes the Old Mill itself and the numerous bridges and structures around the park. The Master Gardeners invited the Studio Cortes team to join them for a mid-morning snack break and got to learn about the restoration work.









Here is an example of one of the details of the repair work:

BEFORE (damage to ceiling):



AFTER (repaired):

