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### **It's a Bird, It's a Plane, It's Project Bandaloop! This Friday at the Great Wall**

Oakland, CA, August 31, 2010 -- This Friday the world-renowned aerial dance group Project Bandaloop will have their **open rehearsal** hanging off of Oakland's "Great Wall" on 2201 Broadway. This breathtaking visual spectacle will take place during Oakland's "First Friday" celebration and Project Bandaloop is scheduled to perform from 5-7pm.

Inspired by the possibilities of climbing and rappelling, Project Bandaloop's choreography draws on aerial, vertical and horizontal movement to craft dances that have now been seen by close to half a million people since the group's inception in 1991.

Every first Friday of the month, a series of 100-foot by 100-foot moving images are projected onto the back wall of 2201 Broadway. The Wall faces West Grand Avenue between Broadway and Valley Street, next door to Luka's Taproom and Lounge in Oakland's Uptown district. The Uptown and Downtown Districts in Oakland, along with the Oakland Museum of California, are major sponsors of the Great Wall of Oakland, which uses cutting edge video motion art.

For over three years, the Great Wall of Oakland has been curating shows of various types of video art including animation, computer-generated art, live-action film, documentary-style video and other innovative forms of art from artists worldwide.

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<http://greatwallofoakland.org>

Project Bandaloop website:  
[www.projectbandaloop.org](http://www.projectbandaloop.org)