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The New York Botanical Garden’s
Calendar of Exhibitions and Grand Openings
2010/2011

The New York Botanical Garden is a museum of plants dedicated to achieving excellence in horticulture, education, and plant research and conservation. A National Historic Landmark site, the Garden is open year-round and features exhibitions and events in every season throughout its 250 acres and 50 gardens and plant collections.

Over the past two decades, the Garden has experienced a renaissance across its landscape with restored gardens and historic buildings, enriched programs and offerings, and new facilities and amenities. In September 2010, the Garden dedicated the Lillian and Amy Goldman Stone Mill, an 1840 landmark building restored to its pre-Civil War elegance. The Stone Mill is the centerpiece of the 100-acre Historic Stone Mill Precinct. The Garden’s remarkable renewal continues in 2011 with the opening of the new Azalea Garden and the ongoing restoration of the 50-acre Native Forest.

Rave reviews abound:

According to The Wall Street Journal, the Botanical Garden “is always a magical place.”

“The Garden works that timeless ancient magic: we begin to see things whole.”


For more information and upcoming events, visit www.nybg.org

Exhibitions, Grand Openings, Lecture Series, and Events Dates

Remainder of 2010

The Edible Garden: Through October 17
Cooking Demonstrations by Celebrity Chefs:

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<td>Bill Telepan</td>
<td>October 9</td>
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<td>Lidia Bastianich</td>
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<td>Michel Nischan</td>
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<td>Mario Batali</td>
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For the Family: Halloween Hoorah October 9–31

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Fall Lecture Series: *Landscape Design Portfolios* October–November

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<td>October 18</td>
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<td>Adriaan Geuze</td>
<td>November 1</td>
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Special Flower Display: *Japanese Chrysanthemums* October 29–November 14


- with Gingerbread Adventures
- and Thomas the Tank Engine™

**2011**

For the Family: *The Winter Garden* January 15–Feb. 27

Winter Lecture Series: *Contemporary Gardening Issues* January–March

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<td>Michael Van Valkenburgh</td>
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<td>C. Colston Burrell</td>
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<td>Annie Novak</td>
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For the Family: *Adventures in Nature* March 1–June 30

*The Orchid Show: Dramatic Divas of the Plant World* March 5–April 25

- Guest Designers: Scott Pask and Drew Hodges


Antique Garden Furniture Show and Sale April 28–May 1

Family Garden: Vegetable Gardening Season Opens April 30

**Grand Opening: Azalea Garden** May 7–8

*Spanish Paradise: The Gardens of Alhambra* May 21–August 21

- Honorary Curator: Penelope Hobhouse

Library Gallery Exhibition: *Alhambra* Opening May 21

Peggy Rockefeller Rose Garden: June

- Peak Spring Bloom: *Resplendent Roses*
- Peak Late-Summer Bloom: *Rose Encore*

*Fall Harvest Celebration* September 17–October 30

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Grand Opening: Native Forest  
November 4–6

Library Gallery Exhibition: Trees and Forests of the Northeast  
Opening November 4

*Holiday Train Show*:  
with Gingerbread Adventures  
and Thomas the Tank Engine™  
November 18, 2011–January 8, 2012

The New York Botanical Garden is a museum of plants located at Bronx River Parkway (Exit 7W) and Fordham Road. It is easy to reach by Metro-North Railroad or subway. The Botanical Garden is open year-round, Tuesday through Sunday and Monday federal holidays. For more information, please call 718.817.8700 or visit [www.nybg.org](http://www.nybg.org) Read the Botanical Garden’s popular blog, *Plant Talk: Inside The New York Botanical Garden* at nybg.org/wordpress

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