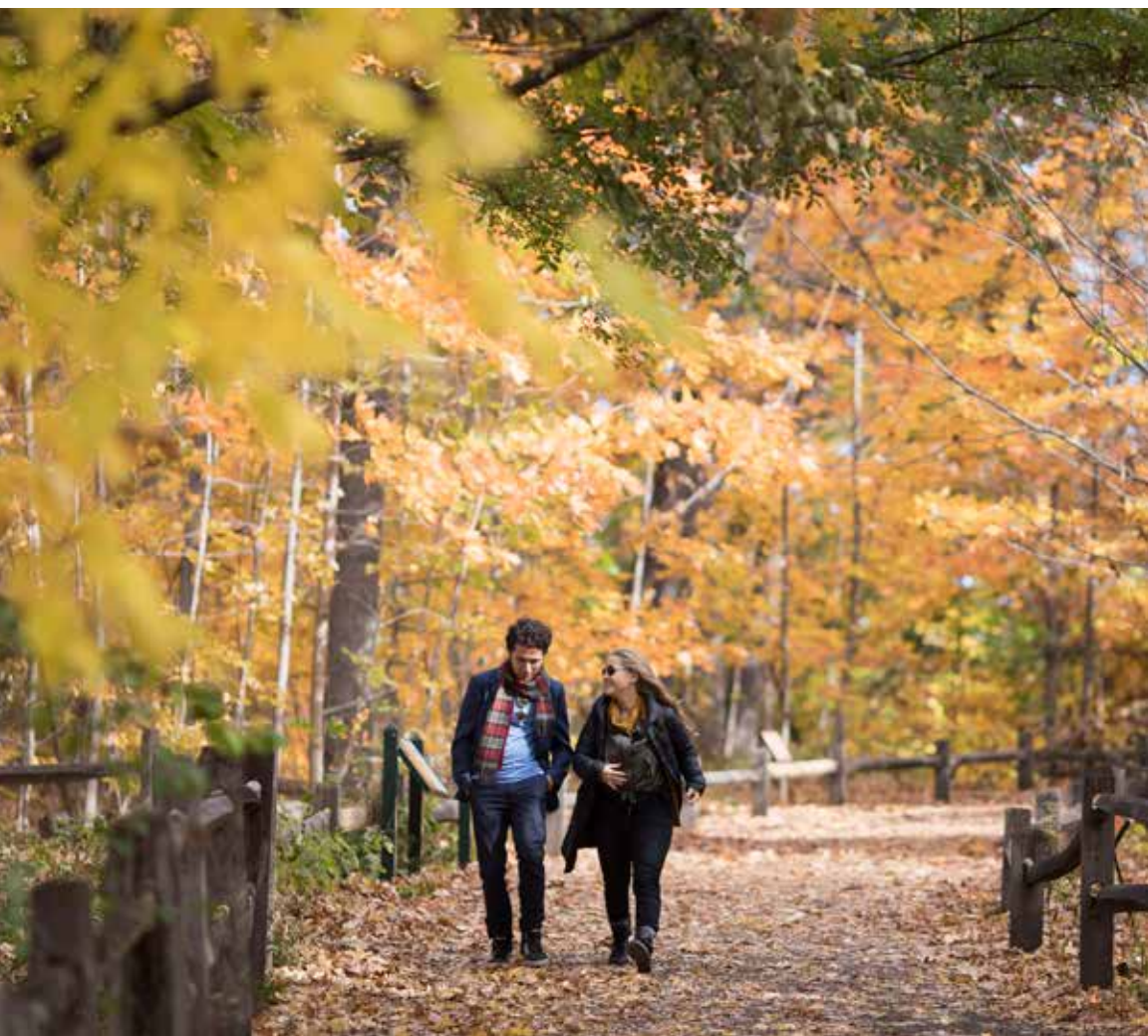


# NYBG

WHAT'S ON  
FALL 2018–WINTER 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN





Admission included in All-Garden Pass/Members Free unless otherwise noted.  
All-Garden Pass details on page 26. Buy tickets and get more information at [nybg.org](http://nybg.org) or 718.817.8700.



Dear Friends:

I began my work as Chief Executive Officer and President this summer by walking the many paths at the Garden, both indoors and out, exploring this extraordinary place and its many inspiring offerings. As the seasonal transition unfolds across the magnificent landscape, I am excited to highlight a few of the wide-ranging fall and winter programs, which provide unique access to our collections, stimulating experiences, and opportunities for all of us to make a difference as environmental stewards.

Enjoy *Georgia O'Keeffe: Visions of Hawai'i* during its final weeks—with brilliant fall foliage as a backdrop, enhanced by music and dance performances, artisan demonstrations, and poetry and chant from the Hawaiian Islands.

Become citizen scientists during Fall Forest Weekends by exploring native flora and fauna in the diverse ecosystem of the Thain Family Forest. Join us in public discourse about best practices in environmental stewardship at the Sustainability Summit, when thought-provoking and actionable ideas are discussed by industry leaders.

Don't miss Honey & Harvest Weekend. The Edible Academy is NYBG's newest resource for hands-on nutrition and environmental awareness programs for kids, families, and teachers that encourage investigation and explore nature and plant science. A well-informed citizenry begins with the youngest among us.

Get healthy on Wellness Wednesdays, when grounds admission is free, continuing through October 31 with our delicious Farmers Market and activities that focus on nourishing choices for mind and body. Take a class: our Fall–Winter catalog is hot off the press, filled with educational offerings from gardening to aromatherapy. Browse the exciting new slate of courses and lectures and register soon.

Come to the annual *Holiday Train Show*®. Lower Manhattan, the birthplace of New York City, will be showcased this year, with new structures making their debut in the collection that now features more than 175 historical building replicas—all made with natural materials.

I invite you to visit often with family and friends to enjoy everything the Garden has to offer (details are in the pages that follow)—and I look forward to greeting you personally.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carrie'.

Carrie Rebora Barratt, Ph.D.  
Chief Executive Officer  
William C. Steere Sr. President



## Final Weeks!

Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](https://nybg.org)

Discover Georgia O'Keeffe's rarely seen works from Hawai'i—reunited in New York for the first time since 1940—and the plants and flowers that inspired them.



### **Georgia O'Keeffe: Visions of Hawai'i**

*Through October 28*

Bringing together 20 of Georgia O'Keeffe's little-known depictions of Hawai'i from a nine-week sojourn in 1939 while on commission to produce images for a Hawaiian Pineapple Company promotional campaign, this exhibition offers a new perspective on the pioneering American modernist.

A lush plant and flower show in the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory explores the remarkable beauty and variety of Hawaiian flora—as well as its complex botanical and cultural history. A stunning exhibition in the Library Art Gallery—featuring O'Keeffe's Hawai'i paintings and other works—spotlights a transformative experience in the legendary artist's life. Like many of her well-known paintings, from stark New Mexican landscapes to New York cityscapes, O'Keeffe's dramatic Hawaiian imagery conveys a distinct sense of place with lava-studded beaches and towering waterfalls as well as close-ups of the exotic tropical flowers that she encountered.

Elsewhere in the Garden, discover NYBG's ongoing scientific efforts to study and document the plants of Hawai'i; contemporary sculpture inspired by its flowers and fruit; an original short film featuring O'Keeffe's personal letters to her husband, famed photographer Alfred Stieglitz; and an illustrated travelogue of O'Keeffe's island-hopping adventures in 1939.



### Hawaiian Performances & Demonstrations

*Saturdays, Sundays, and Monday Holidays*  
On weekends, enjoy performances and demonstrations that celebrate the diverse cultural traditions of Hawai'i. In September see live hula performances that highlight both *Hula Kahiko* (traditional) and *Hula Auana* (contemporary) styles. Or drop in for artisan demonstrations that feature activities such as lei-making, Hawaiian instrument crafting, chanting, poi-making, storytelling, and more.

### Film Screenings: Hawai'i Past and Present Series

*Sundays; 2 p.m.*  
This wide-ranging series goes beyond Hollywood stereotypes to showcase Hawai'i's ecological wonders, its history and culture, and the dynamic relationship between past and present.



### FOR KIDS

#### A Closer Look: Georgia O'Keeffe and Hawai'i Guided Activities

*Through September 21*

*Weekdays; 1:30–5:30 p.m.*

*Saturdays & Sundays; 10 a.m.–5:30 p.m.*

Inspired by O'Keeffe's unique style of representing close-up views of flowers and fruit, children will investigate botanical specimens and create art. Play in our Hawaiian sand table featuring real shell and rock specimens to uncover. Pot up a tropical ginger cutting to take home and observe its growth!

### Poetry Tour

Organized in partnership with the Poetry Society of America, this tour explores the relationship between nature and people in the Hawaiian Islands and highlights the work of contemporary poets in Hawai'i, including former U.S. Poet Laureate W.S. Merwin.

### Poetry of the Hawaiian Islands

*October 21; 2–4 p.m.*

Enjoy a special screening of *W.S. Merwin: To Plant a Tree*, a 60-minute documentary that highlights Merwin's environmental activism and artistry, followed by live performances of related poetry and chant.

### Closing Weekend Celebration

*October 27 & 28*

NYBG, in collaboration with Hawai'i Tourism United States, will feature performers, artists, and artisans from Hawai'i, showcasing the time-honored traditions and unique cultural heritage of the Islands.



### Georgia O'Keeffe: Visions of Hawai'i Exhibition Catalog

Glowing with color, O'Keeffe's Hawai'i pictures demonstrate her unique ability to make every place she painted her own. This publication offers a new perspective on O'Keeffe's depictions of Hawai'i by examining the ecological complexity of the Hawaiian Islands—one of the most biologically diverse places on Earth—alongside her works. Purchase at [nybgshop.org](http://nybgshop.org)

### Interactive Mobile Guide

A visually stunning guide, which can be accessed via mobile device or computer, unfolds through 360-degree videos of the plants and locations O'Keeffe observed and depicted in her work paired with personal accounts in her letters written to her husband, photographer Alfred Stieglitz, while on her journey. Vintage photo frames allow users to create and share their own digital souvenirs.

Through the guide, enter the official exhibition sweepstakes for a chance to win one of three trips to Hawai'i and visit the Islands that inspired the artist. Round-trip airfare is provided by Hawaiian Airlines and rooms are courtesy of Hyatt Resorts in Hawaii. Learn more at [nybg.org/mobile](http://nybg.org/mobile)



## Seasonal Offerings

Scarecrows and pumpkins, beer tasting and botany, Japanese fall flowers and fabulous foliage, and more!

Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](http://nybg.org)



### Spooky Pumpkin Garden

*September 22–October 31*

The Everett Children's Adventure Garden gets a spooky Halloween makeover with eye-popping pumpkins, silly scarecrows, and plenty of fun!

Every day kids can explore more than 100 larger-than-life friendly scarecrows set among nearly 1,000 rare and unusual pumpkins and gourds; pot up a black coleus plant to take home; put on a show at the Pumpkin Puppet Theater; and investigate a mysterious Victorian playhouse to learn all about bats. Weekends bring even more fall fun with pumpkin-carving demonstrations by some of NYC's best artists and interactive demonstrations featuring creepy creatures such as giant bats and reptiles.

### Giant Pumpkin Weekend

*October 20 & 21*

Monstrous pumpkins from around the country—some weighing in at more than a ton—once again arrive at the Garden, arranged in collaboration with the Great Pumpkin Commonwealth. Meet the growers to learn more about the growing process during Q&A sessions and enjoy photo ops with these giant gourds, on display through October 31.

### Spooky Pumpkin Nights

*October 26 & 27; 6:30–8:30 p.m.*

Come dressed in your favorite costume, grab a flashlight, and go on a nighttime adventure to explore the Spooky Pumpkin Garden's scarecrow and pumpkin displays. Visit Whole Foods Market Trick-or-Treat Trail to decorate a bag and collect wholesome goodies. Other frightfully fun activities include gourd decorating, mingling with larger-than-life skeletons and costumed characters, and listening for critters of the night. (Special ticket required)

### Blues, Brews, & Botany

September 22; 11 a.m.–5 p.m.

Spread out on NYBG's beautiful Conservatory lawn and discover the connections between beer and botany with music, tastings, and botanical-inspired fun. Purchase a commemorative Sampling Mug to enjoy unlimited tastings of a variety of palate-pleasing brews from New York State and beyond, then explore the botanical side of beer with a lineup of activities and games. Plus, catch a viewing of NYBG's current exhibition *Georgia O'Keeffe: Visions of Hawai'i* in its final weeks. (Special ticket required)



### Rose Garden Dinner

September 26; 5:30 p.m.

This year's dinner celebrates Marjorie G. Rosen for her extraordinary leadership and long-standing support of NYBG's endeavors in horticulture. Enjoy cocktails and tours among the acclaimed blooms of the Peggy Rockefeller Rose Garden, followed by an elegant dinner in the Garden Terrace Room.

Proceeds support the Fund for Horticulture and the continued preservation and development of the historic Rockefeller Rose Garden. Learn more at [nybg.org/rosedinner](http://nybg.org/rosedinner) (Special ticket required)

### Sustainability Summit

November 1; 4–9:30 p.m.

Join NYBG for an evening dedicated to exploring the environmental challenges facing the world today. Through panel discussions, learn how industries across sectors are taking the lead of integrating sustainability into their business practices. Following the summit, dinner honors Lord Norman Foster, Founder and Executive Chairman of Foster + Partners, architects of Bloomberg, London, "The Most Sustainable Office Building in the World."

Learn more at [nybg.org/summit2018](http://nybg.org/summit2018) (Special ticket required)

### Fall Forest Weekends

November 3 & 4, 10 & 11; 11 a.m.–4 p.m.

Explore the Thain Family Forest, the largest remaining tract of old-growth forest in NYC. Become a citizen scientist by helping record and observe native flora, and learn about NYBG's work in conservation and preservation. Immerse yourself in magnificent fall color, enjoy Shakespeare performances, take a scenic canoe trip down the Bronx River, watch a birds of prey demonstration, or take a hike on the trails with a guide.



### Kiku: Spotlight on Tradition

November 3–18

The chrysanthemum—*kiku* in Japanese—is the most celebrated of all Japanese fall-flowering plants. Meticulously trained *kiku* will be on view in the Nolen Greenhouses' Bourke-Sullivan Display House.

### Putting Down Roots:

#### Celebrating 30 Years of Bronx Green-Up

November 17–April 28

NYBG's community gardening outreach program is commemorating its 30th anniversary with a photo exhibition in Ross Gallery. Bronx Green-Up supports more than 200 local greening groups, schools, and community organizations in their missions to improve their neighborhoods through greening projects. In honor of this anniversary, four teen photographers from the Bronx Documentary Center's Bronx Junior Photo League document the activity of these organizations, from planting, weeding, and composting to harvest and celebration. Their dynamic photographs celebrate the community-building and activism taking place all across our borough.

### Winter Wonderland Ball

December 14; 7:30 p.m.

Now in its 20th year, the Winter Wonderland Ball remains NYC's most fashionable party of the holiday season, a black-tie event featuring cocktails, dinner, and dancing in sight of the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory's twinkling holiday display.

Proceeds support the Garden's world-renowned Children's Education Program. Learn more at [nybg.org/wwb](http://nybg.org/wwb) (Special ticket required)

### Wild Medicine in the Tropics

January 26–February 17

Explore the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory's *A World of Plants* to discover plants used for health and wellness.

### Valentine's Weekend

February 9 & 10

Stroll through the expansive Haupt Conservatory, talk to guides on hand about the many aphrodisiac plants that can be found at the Garden, and have a custom love poem penned for you—all included with an *All-Garden Pass*.



## Holiday Train Show®

Don't miss this remarkable exhibition—featuring more trains, special programs, and themed activities for the young and young at heart.



Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](http://nybg.org)

### 27th Annual Holiday Train Show®

November 17–January 21

Enchanting model trains zip through a display of more than 175 New York landmarks, each re-created with bark, leaves, and other natural materials—all under the twinkling glow of the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory.

Marvel at G-scale locomotives humming past familiar sights such as the Brooklyn Bridge and Rockefeller Center on nearly a half-mile of track. This year's exhibition showcases Lower Manhattan—the birthplace of New York City—featuring the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, and iconic skyscrapers sharing the spotlight among old and new favorites. Making their debut this year are One World Trade Center and the historic Battery Maritime Building along with two vintage ferry boats.

### Bar Car Nights

November 17, 23, 24, 30

December 1, 7, 8, 21, 22, 28, 29

January 5, 12; 7–10:30 p.m.

On these nights exclusively for adults 21 and over, the wintry landscape of NYBG sets the scene for festive outdoor adventures, with an after-dark viewing of the *Holiday Train Show®* as the centerpiece.

Grab a drink from one of our seasonal bars and then set out to explore the night's offerings. Relax and warm up around the fire pits in the Leon Levy Visitor Center, watch art emerge from giant blocks of ice during live ice-sculpting demonstrations, sing along to your favorite tunes with dueling pianos in the Pine Tree Café, and listen to roving a cappella groups as they guide you through the Garden. (Special ticket required)



### Holiday Train Show® Family Benefit

November 28; 4–8 p.m.

Celebrate the holiday season with the return of this exciting family event perfect for kids of all ages! The Benefit includes an exclusive viewing of the *Holiday Train Show®* and a festive family dinner filled with winter garden treats and activities. Chef Carla Hall will also be making a special appearance.

Proceeds support NYBG's Edible Academy, the new state-of-the-art facility for gardening education programs. Learn more at [nybg.org/familybenefit](http://nybg.org/familybenefit) (Special ticket required)

### FOR KIDS

#### Evergreen Express

November 17–January 21

Hop aboard our play train and pretend to ride the rails! Hike winter trails and find evergreen trees and shrubs. Warm up in the Discovery Center while learning more about amazing evergreen plants. Make a festive evergreen swag bundle to brighten up your home.

#### All Aboard with Thomas & Friends™

December 29–January 21

Join Thomas and Driver Sam on a fun-filled, sing-along, mini-performance adventure. Be sure to have a professional photo taken!



## Urban Oasis

NYBG's historic landscape is an urban oasis that inspires a love of nature in its visitors. With 250 acres encompassing 50 gardens and collections, the immense diversity of trees, flowers, and foliage creates an experience for all of the senses.



Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](https://nybg.org)

### **Judy and Michael Steinhardt Maple Collection**

*October–November*

Explore the colors and textures of maples and oaks in this beautifully designed landscape, which highlights views into the adjacent conifer collection.

### **Peak Fall Foliage**

*October–November*

Marvel at the glorious colors of NYBG's trees: red, gold, burgundy, orange, and every shade in between. Stroll the grounds in the crisp autumn air to view the magnificent oaks, sweetgums, tulip trees, and hickories.

### **Peggy Rockefeller Rose Garden**

*Through November*

Be dazzled by one of the largest collections of disease-resistant roses in the world, with nearly 700 different varieties on display.

### **Ladies' Border**

*Through December*

Camellias lend their southern charm in late fall while other rare and unusual shrubs and perennials provide additional interest.

### **The Winter Landscape**

*January–February*

A winter walk, especially after a snowfall, illuminates the silhouetted framework of trees without their leaves, and the power of pines, firs, and spruces takes center stage as red winterberries and other colorful fruiting shrubs brighten the landscape.

### **Perennial Garden**

*Year-round*

Be immersed in this lush, living work of art featuring the beauty of fall's mums, salvia, oakleaf hydrangeas, and ornamental grasses.

### **Azalea Garden**

*Year-round*

Set amid dramatic rock outcrops and the dappled shade of centuries-old trees, this garden is beautiful each season with plants in bloom nearly every day of the year.

### **Marjorie G. Rosen Seasonal Walk**

*Year-round*

This 200-foot-long double border, reimagined by legendary Dutch garden designer Piet Oudolf, combines thousands of plants, including perennials, grasses, and bulbs, to provide a year-round visual feast of flowers and foliage.

### **Conifers**

*Year-round*

The Benenson Ornamental Conifers emphasize diversity of form and color, creating a beautifully textured landscape. The Arthur and Janet Ross Conifer Arboretum features 250 specimens of towering pines, elegant spruces, and graceful mountain firs.

### **Native Plant Garden**

*Year-round*

Enjoy a mosaic of nearly 100,000 native wildflowers, ferns, grasses, and trees designed to flourish in every season.

### **Enid A. Haupt Conservatory**

*Year-round*

At any time of year in this Victorian-style glasshouse, you can explore a tropical rain forest, a cactus-filled desert, and an ever-changing landscape of flowers and foliage.

### **Home Gardening Center**

*Year-round*

A series of model gardens and display areas designed to demonstrate how to create a beautiful oasis in your own backyard.



## Family Programs

A lifelong love of gardening and the outdoors starts here, with hands-on opportunities for kids and families.



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### Edible Academy

State-of-the-Art Expansion Now Open

The Edible Academy, with the Ruth Rea Howell Vegetable Garden as its centerpiece, is a state-of-the-art facility for educational programs that helps children, families, teachers, and the general public learn about growing and preparing vegetables, fruit, and herbs while encouraging a lifelong interest in gardening and healthy living.

The expanded three-acre campus features a classroom building with a green roof, demonstration kitchen, and technology lab; a teaching greenhouse; a solar pavilion; and a terraced amphitheater, as well as new display gardens, to accommodate a broader range of programs and double the number of people served each year.



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### Fresh From the Garden Tastings

*Through November 4*

*Wednesdays, Saturdays, and Sundays;  
2 and 4 p.m.*

Cooking demonstrations encourage families to get hands-on with healthy cooking. New recipes featuring plants grown in the Edible Academy are offered each week.

### Honey & Harvest Weekend

*Family Weekend Series*

*October 6–8*

Celebrate the Edible Academy's bounty with a cornucopia of harvest traditions. Learn about bees and honey with a live hive viewing, sample honey and honey comb, and take home honey-inspired recipes with cooking demonstrations. Roll up your sleeves and don your apron to dig into the fun and enriching workshops all weekend long.





### Hands-On Gardening Activities in the Edible Academy

Children are invited to roll up their sleeves and help tend the gardens. Dig in the soil, sow seeds, water the seedlings, and harvest ripe produce. Each season offers new themes to investigate through hands-on activities and take-home projects.

*Through November 4*  
Tuesdays–Sundays and Monday Holidays;  
for hours, visit [nybg.org/families](http://nybg.org/families)

#### Seasonal Programs

- Pollinator Pals: through September 9
- Three Sisters: Corn, Beans, Squash: September 11–October 5
- Goodnight Garden: October 9–November 4



### Outdoor Nature Exploration in the Everett Children's Adventure Garden

Children explore nature and plant science through exciting explorations and investigations indoors and throughout our outdoor 12-acre garden. Each season offers new themes to investigate through hands-on activities and take-home projects, from pumpkins and evergreens to buds and bogs!

*Year-Round*  
Tuesdays–Sundays and Monday Holidays;  
for hours, visit [nybg.org/families](http://nybg.org/families)

#### Seasonal Programs

- A Closer Look: Georgia O'Keeffe and Hawai'i: through September 21
- Spooky Pumpkin Garden: September 22–October 31
- Tree-rific Trees: November 1–16
- Evergreen Express: November 17–January 21
- Wintertime Wonders: January 22–March 19



### Children's Gardening Program

(Ages 3–12)

*Fall sessions begin September 8*

*Winter sessions begin January 2019*

This hands-on program offered in spring, summer, fall and winter allows kids ages 3–12 to plant, tend, and harvest vegetables, and provides lessons on a variety of garden themes. To learn more and register, call 718.817.8181 or visit [nybg.org/cgp](http://nybg.org/cgp)

### Nature Explorers

(Ages 2–3)

Programs for Caregivers and Children

*Fall sessions begin September 12*

*Winter sessions begin January 2019*

Looking for more meaningful activities to share the great outdoors with your young learner? NYBG's Nature Explorers program allows toddlers and their caregivers the chance to explore nature together. Register for two or more seasons and receive a discount! Weekday and weekend morning sessions available. To learn more and register, call 718.817.8181 or visit [nybg.org/families](http://nybg.org/families)

### Explainer Program Open House

(Grades 9–12)

*November 10; 11 a.m.*

Learn how to volunteer as an Explainer. Selected teens participate in a 25-hour training program and commit to 100 hours of service, leading hands-on science activities for visiting families on weekends and school breaks. Winter/Spring application deadline: November 26. For more information or to apply, visit [nybg.org/explainers](http://nybg.org/explainers)

### Winter Break Science Camp

(Grades K–5)

*February 19–22; 9 a.m.–4 p.m.*

Winter Break Campers explore the Forest and other outdoor collections and compare them to the desert and tropical plants in the Conservatory. Participate in winter-themed experiments, hands-on activities, and fun science games and crafts. To learn more and register, visit [nybg.org/camps](http://nybg.org/camps)



## Tours and More Programs

Come grow with us through inspiring offerings that reveal the important relationships among plants, people, nature, and culture.



Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](https://nybg.org)

### Tours & Mobile Guides

Get an in-depth look at favorite collections and other highlights from expert volunteers. or directly from your cell phone; look for signs and call 718.362.9561 to get started.

### Wellness Wednesdays

*Through October 31*

Take part in activities throughout the Garden that focus on healthy choices for mind and body, from local food options at the NYBG Farmers Market to yoga, cooking demonstrations, and more.

### NYBG Farmers Market

*Near the Moshulu Entrance*

*9 a.m.–3 p.m.*

Select from an abundance of locally grown produce, fresh baked goods, and other specialty items.

### Health and Wellness Activities

*Meet at the Reflecting Pool*

*11 a.m.*

Restore your inner balance and harmony with healthy, family-friendly activities such as forest bathing, yoga, meditation, and tai chi.

### Fresh From the Garden Tastings

*Edible Academy*

*2 & 4 p.m.*

Cooking demonstrations featuring recipes from the Edible Academy are offered each week.

### Culinary Herb Activity

*Edible Academy*

*1:30–5:30 p.m.*

Stop by for a Simply Organic Culinary Activity, with a new theme each month!



### Bird Walks

*Meet at the Reflecting Pool*

*Saturdays, starting September 1; 11 a.m.*

Bring your binoculars and walk the grounds with a bird expert. You'll search for our feathered friends and learn more about bird-friendly habitats, passage birds, and those that make a permanent home at the Garden.

### Bronx Green-Up

Bronx Green-Up provides horticulture education, training, and technical assistance to Bronx residents, community gardeners, urban farmers, local schools, and community organizations. The program extends NYBG's mission beyond its gates to inspire NYC residents to get involved in improving their communities through greening projects. Learn more at [nybg.org/bronxgreenup](https://nybg.org/bronxgreenup)

## Classes and Lectures

Whether you're interested in science, art, design, gardening, or wellness, NYBG offers a wide variety of classes, lectures, and professional tracks to enrich you.



Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](https://nybg.org)

### Expert Speakers

- Kate Gilman, October 2  
Farm-Fresh Flowers: From Field to Vase
- Edwina von Gal, October 13  
Ecological Design Retreat
- Putnam & Putnam, October 26  
Floral Design Showcase

### A Few Fall Highlights

Try something new in one of these unique, introductory classes.

- A Four-Season Native Garden, September 22
- Introduction to Natural History, September 24
- Making Kombucha, September 27
- Fall Leaves Watercolor Workshop, October 21 or November 4
- Eco-Friendly Wines, November 1

### Symposium:

#### Cultivating a New Garden Ethic

November 28; 10 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Larry Weaner, Scott Freeman, and Jan Merryweather discuss how your garden can help heal the larger environment.

### Holiday Classes

Get in the holiday spirit with these one-day workshops!

- Holiday Greens, November 30
- Illuminated Papercutting, December 2
- Magnolia Leaf Wreath, December 5
- Create a Botanical Building, December 8
- Block Printed Cards, December 6 or 9
- Tabletop Topiary, December 15

Browse all classes and lectures and register at [nybg.org/adulted](https://nybg.org/adulted) or call 800.322.NYBG (6924).

### Andrew Carnegie Distinguished Lecture

October 18; 6 p.m.; *Christie's, NYC*

Historian Victoria Johnson will discuss her acclaimed new book, *American Eden*, which profiles David Hosack, the founder of America's first public garden on the site of Rockefeller Center today.

This event is complimentary for Garden Patrons.

### Landscape Design Portfolios

#### Lecture Series

Three Mondays; 6:30–7:30 p.m.

Celebrating its 20th year, this popular series in Manhattan features leaders in landscape design discussing their significant projects, working methods, and design philosophies.

- October 1: Charles Birnbaum, President & CEO, The Cultural Landscape Foundation
- October 15: Beka Sturges, Principal, Reed Hilderbrand
- November 5: Thomas Woltz, Principal, Nelson Byrd Woltz

### Landscape Design Students and

#### Alumni Lecture Series

Six Tuesdays; 1–3 p.m.; open to all

Noted professionals share their expertise on a diversity of landscape design topics.

- October 23: Matthew Urbanski, Designing for Delight
- November 27: William Kenny, Extraordinary Wetland Management
- December 18: Yoko Kawai, Mindfulness & Japanese Spatial Concepts
- January 22: Lynden B. Miller, The Designer's Eye
- February 19: Travis Beck, Planting for Climate Change
- March 19: John Gwynne, Sakonnet Garden: Current Design Experiments



## Shopping, Dining, and Groups

A vibrant gathering space with elegant dining and exquisite shopping, the Garden is the ideal destination for a day with family, friends, and group outings.



Info & Tickets at [nybg.org](https://nybg.org)

### NYBG Shop

Discover rare and unusual plants and perennials for your garden, as well as signature items for home, nature-inspired toys, botanical jewelry and accessories, exhibition-related items, and more. The Shop's expertly curated selection of gardening and horticulture books provides insight for beginner and experienced gardeners alike.

Purchases support the Garden's pursuit of excellence in horticulture, plant research and conservation, and education. Shop anytime at [nybgshop.org](https://nybgshop.org)

### Group Sales

Plan a memorable outing for friends, family, or colleagues. Groups of 15 or more receive a discount on full-price admission and personalized service from our expert and friendly staff. Dining packages, guided and self-guided tours are available. For reservations or more information, call 718.817.8687 or e-mail [grouptours@nybg.org](mailto:grouptours@nybg.org)

### Children's Birthday Parties

Celebrating kids' birthdays at the Garden is fun and educational! Party packages include seasonal activities led by a Garden instructor, pizza and beverages, complimentary admission and parking, and more. For information and pricing, call 718.817.8687 or e-mail [grouptours@nybg.org](mailto:grouptours@nybg.org)

### Photo & Film Shoots

The Garden's natural beauty and diverse environments offer unique settings for commercial film and photo shoots and special occasion photography. For information, call 718.817.8942 or e-mail [shiance@nybg.org](mailto:shiance@nybg.org)



### Hudson Garden Grill

This full-service dining destination spotlights the innovative flavors of New American cuisine as inspired by locally sourced, ethically produced ingredients from Hudson Valley farms and other regional producers. Make a reservation for your visit on [opentable.com](https://opentable.com)

### Pine Tree Café

Enjoy first-class culinary creations amid one of the Garden's arboreal wonders: a world-renowned collection of rare and unusual pines—some a century old and nearly 100 feet tall. The family-friendly menu ranges from artisanal panini, Neapolitan-style pizza, and signature salads to sweet treats and snacks.

### Food Trucks & Seasonal Dining

On select days, one food truck offers classic and inventive fare. The Visitor Center's Cantina is home to seasonal outdoor dining featuring al fresco drinks and snacks.

## Visit and Support

### Hours

The Garden is open Tuesday–Sunday, 10 a.m.–6 p.m. (10 a.m.–5 p.m.; January 22–March 4), and the following Mondays:

- September 3 (Labor Day)
- September 10 (Rosh Hashanah)
- October 8 (Columbus Day)
- December 10, 17, 31 (*Holiday Train Show*®)
- January 21 (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day)
- February 19 (Presidents' Day)
- Closed November 22 (Thanksgiving) and December 25 (Christmas); 3 p.m. closing on December 14 and 24

### Admission

#### *All-Garden Pass*

Includes access to seasonal exhibitions, the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory, Rock Garden (seasonal), Tram Tour (weather permitting), and select programs. Members always receive free *All-Garden Pass* access. For *All-Garden Pass* pricing, visit [nybg.org](https://nybg.org). Prices start at \$10 for children and \$23 for adults. Advance online purchase is recommended.

### Special Events & Classes

Concerts, evening events, and Adult Education classes require separate fees. For more information and pricing, call 718.817.8700 or visit [nybg.org](https://nybg.org).

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### Directions

#### *Public Transportation*

The Garden is just 20 minutes from Grand Central Terminal on Metro-North Railroad to Botanical Garden Station. It is also accessible by subway on the B, D, or 4 trains to Bedford Park Boulevard Station and the 2 train to Allerton Ave. for daytime access. For schedules and maps, visit the MTA Web site at [mta.info](https://mta.info).

#### *Driving*

The Garden is located at 2900 Southern Boulevard, Bronx, NY 10458 off the Bronx River Parkway at Fordham Road (Exit 7W).

#### *Parking*

Enter via the Main Entrance at 2900 Southern Boulevard for on-site parking. During peak times, off-site parking at NYBG's Parking Garage (401 Bedford Park Blvd.) or elsewhere may be used if the on-site lot is full. Please follow the signage or consult with NYBG staff members for directions.

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### Accessibility

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### Sustainability at NYBG

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### Volunteering

Expand your knowledge of plants, give back to your community, meet new people, and share your love of the Garden with others. For more information, call 718.817.8765 or e-mail [volunteer@nybg.org](mailto:volunteer@nybg.org).

### Garden Membership

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### The Perennial Society

Help secure the Garden's future by making a planned gift. Donors who include the Garden in their estate plans—or establish a charitable gift annuity, charitable trust, or other form of life-income gift—are invited to join. Plus, receive numerous benefits, including invitations to programs and events. For more information, please contact Lisa Sifre at 718.817.8545, [Isifre@nybg.org](mailto:Isifre@nybg.org), or visit [nybgplannedgiving.org](https://nybgplannedgiving.org).

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A gift to the Annual Fund for the Garden provides essential support for all of the Garden's programs in horticulture, education, and plant research and conservation. Gifts of \$25,000 or more are recognized through our President's Circle. To make a contribution or for more information, please contact Molly Hermes at 718.817.8557 or [mhermes@nybg.org](mailto:mhermes@nybg.org).

### Honor & Memorial Gifts

Celebrate a special occasion or say thank you with an Honor or Memorial Gift to the Garden. There are also opportunities to dedicate a book in the LuEsther T. Mertz Library or daffodils on Daffodil Hill. For more information, please contact Lisa Sifre at 718.817.8545, [Isifre@nybg.org](mailto:Isifre@nybg.org), or visit [nybg.org/honorgifts](https://nybg.org/honorgifts).

### Dedicate a Bench at the Garden

Dedicating a bench at the Garden is a wonderful way to celebrate a special occasion or pay tribute to the memory of a friend or loved one while providing support for NYBG's mission. For more information about dedicating a bench at the Garden, please contact Lisa Sifre at 718.817.8545 or [Isifre@nybg.org](mailto:Isifre@nybg.org).



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The New York Botanical Garden is an iconic living museum. An oasis in this busy metropolis since its founding in 1891, the Garden is a dynamic, leading New York City cultural institution.

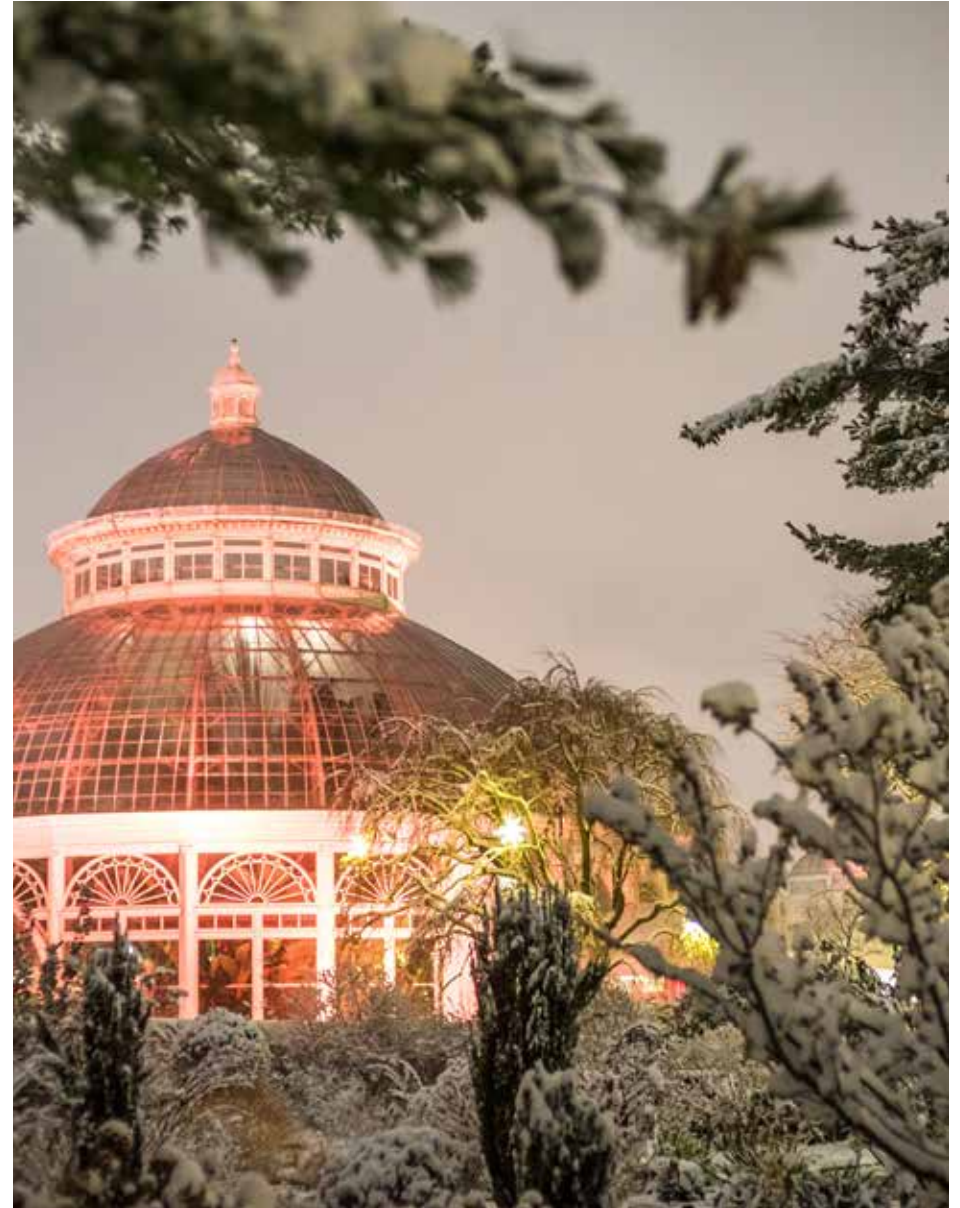
A National Historic Landmark, the 250-acre site's verdant landscape supports over one million living plants in extensive collections. More than one million annual visitors enjoy the Garden, not only for its remarkable diversity of tropical, temperate, and desert flora but also for programming that ranges from renowned exhibitions in the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory and LuEsther T. Mertz Library to celebrations on Daffodil Hill.

The Garden is also a major educational institution. More than 300,000 people annually—among them Bronx families, schoolchildren, and teachers—learn about plant science, ecology, and healthful eating through NYBG's hands-on, curriculum-based programming; 90,000 of those visitors are children from underserved neighboring communities, while more than 3,000 are educators from New York City's public school system participating in professional development programs that train them to teach science courses at all grade levels.

NYBG operates one of the world's largest plant research and conservation programs, with 200 staff members—including nearly 100 Ph.D. scientists—working in the Garden's state-of-the-art molecular labs as well as in the field, where they lead programs in 49 countries.

Learn more at [nybg.org](https://nybg.org)

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