

MEDIA ALERT

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All Aboard for Bar Car Nights at The New York Botanical Garden's Holiday Train Show®

Only Six Chances Left to Enjoy New York's Festive and Popular Night Out: Fridays and Saturdays, December 27 & 28, 2019, and January 3, 4, 11, & 18, 2020

There are only six remaining **Bar Car Nights** at The New York Botanical Garden on select Fridays and Saturdays in late December 2019 and January 2020. Exclusively for adults 21 and over, the wintry landscape of NYBG sets the scene for lively outdoor adventures, with an after-dark viewing of the *Holiday Train Show*® as the centerpiece. Purchase a spiked hot chocolate or a holiday specialty cocktail from one of our seasonal bars and a bite to eat from the **Bronx Night Market Holiday Popup**, then set out to explore the night's offerings. Warm up around the handcrafted **fire pits** in the Leon Levy Visitor Center, feel the excitement of the season with **artistic ice carving** by Okamoto Studio NYC and **festive performers** such as contortionists and acrobats from American Circus Theatre, sing along with **dueling pianos** in the Pine Tree Café, and enjoy **DJ sets curated by Uptown Vinyl Supreme**. Watch a short video about Bar Car Nights here.

The New York Botanical Garden's *Holiday Train Show* showcases Central Park and its iconic architectural treasures in the 28th year of this beloved tradition. Enchanting model trains zip through a display of more than 175 New York landmarks, each re-created with bark, leaves, and other natural materials. This year, the *Holiday Train Show* is presented in an immersive indoor winter wonderland adjacent to the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory as the Conservatory's palm dome undergoes restoration. Replicas debuting this year include the Belvedere Castle, the Dairy, the Naumburg Bandshell, Bethesda Terrace, and two graceful pedestrian bridges. The *Holiday Train Show* runs through Sunday, January 26, 2020.

When: Fridays and Saturdays, December 27 & 28, 2019, and January 3, 4, 11, & 18, 2020;

7-10:30 p.m.

Where: The New York Botanical Garden

2900 Southern Boulevard; Bronx, New York

Tickets: Non-Members \$38/Garden Members \$28 (Adults 21 and over)

Check <u>nybg.org</u> for details and to purchase tickets.

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