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Tickets for The New York Botanical Garden's Holiday Train Show® On Sale Now

Beloved Holiday Tradition Returns Bigger Than Ever for Its 32nd Year, With More Model Trains and an All-New Outdoor Display, November 18, 2023, through January 15, 2024,

On 20 Select Nights, *Holiday Train Show* Visitors of All Ages Can Also Enjoy *NYBG GLOW*, the Outdoor Light Experience, Returning for Its Fourth Year, While the Adult Fan-Favorite Bar Car Nights Make a Comeback on Three Dates



**Bronx, NY**—Tickets for the *Holiday Train Show*<sup>®</sup> at The New York Botanical Garden (NYBG) are on sale, beginning today, September 14, 2023. For its 32nd year, the beloved holiday tradition—which features model trains zipping through a miniature wonderland of nearly 200 New York landmark replicas, each delightfully re-created from natural materials such as leaves, seeds, twigs, bark, acorns, and cinnamon sticks—will be bigger than ever, with more trains and the addition of an all-new and enchanting outdoor train display, complementing the indoor show in the historic Enid A. Haupt Conservatory. The *Holiday Train Show* runs Saturday, November 18, 2023, through Monday, January 15, 2024. Tickets are available for purchase at <a href="https://www.nybg.org/event/holiday-train-show/plan-your-visit/">https://www.nybg.org/event/holiday-train-show/plan-your-visit/</a>.

On 20 select nights, visitors of all ages can enjoy both the *Holiday Train Show* and *NYBG GLOW*, the Botanical Garden's outdoor holiday light experience, back for its fourth year. During these special evenings, the Garden's iconic sights and buildings, including the Haupt Conservatory and the LuEsther T. Mertz Library Building, become dramatic, glittering canvases. Thousands of dazzling, energy-efficient choreographed lights and sound and picture-perfect installations create a spectacle not to be missed. Beverages and light fare will be available at one of NYBG's outdoor bars or the Bronx Night Market Holiday Pop-Up.

*NYBG GLOW* will take place from 5 to 10 p.m. on the following dates: Friday, November 17; Saturday, November 18; Friday, November 24; Saturday, November 25; Friday, December 1; Saturday,

December 2; Friday, December 8; Saturday, December 9; Friday, December 15; Saturday, December 16; Sunday, December 17; Friday, December 22; Saturday, December 23; Tuesday, December 26; Wednesday, December 27; Thursday, December 28; Friday, December 29; Saturday, December 30, 2023; Saturday, January 6; and Saturday, January 13, 2024.

Fan-favorite Bar Car Nights, for adults age 21 and over, will also make a comeback this season on three select dates, Thursdays, December 7 and December 14, 2023, and Friday, January 5, 2024. Bar Car Nights feature adults-only nighttime viewing of the *Holiday Train Show* and *NYBG GLOW*, with light bites and curated cocktails available for purchase and enjoyment as visitors journey through the exhibition with friends and loved ones.

For more information about the *Holiday Train Show*, please visit: <u>https://www.nybg.org/event/holiday-train-show-glow-2023/</u>.

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