# UNDER THEDOME Issue 3 - 2019





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#### **Special Hours & Closings:**

Closed - September 20 Closed - November 25-28 10am-12pm - December 24 Closed - December 25 10am-12pm - December 31 Closed - January 13 & 14

# **Admission**

as of October 1, 2019 \$12.50 Adults \$11 Seniors (62+) \$11 Students (13+ with ID) \$7 Kids 3-12 Kids 2 and under are free Members are free

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# MISSION

The historic Botanical Gardens is a living museum that inspires curiosity and connects people to the natural world.

Cover Photo by Todd Zintz



# **Celebrate the Botanical Gardens!**

This summer might have eluded us for a while, but it turned out absolutely beautiful! We were able to host Starry Night in the Garden, the Garden Art Sale, and Botanics & Brews with perfect weather for these outdoor events. The outdoor gardens have been blooming and beautiful thanks to our horticulture staff, volunteers, and interns.

Over the summer we also started a \$1.8 million restoration project to the grounds and Conservatory. The improvements include restoration of the front façade, installation of LED lighting, foundation repointing, masonry and everything in between. We expect the project to last 12-18 months, and we will be open during all the updates. The County of Erie and New York State are funding the restoration work on the historic buildings.

As our eventful summer comes to a close, we are preparing for many more exciting events, classes, workshops and exhibits for the fall and winter. The biggest fundraiser of the year, Gala at the Gardens, will take place on September 20 with a historical theme this year, that leads nicely into our 120<sup>th</sup> anniversary taking place in 2020.

There are more events you won't want to miss; the annual Mum Exhibit will open October 5 with a MUMster Mash theme, and our Poinsettia & Railway Exhibit opens November 29. We have so many great special events and workshops to enhance your experience. Check our website for more details on all we have to offer.

As the season of giving is just around the corner, I would like to suggest the wonderful gift of a membership to the Botanical Gardens. Spending time in natural beauty with loved ones is better than any gift you can give. We're looking forward to seeing you this season.

Dave Swarts, President/CEO

# **Proud to Support Arts Access**

Arts Access aims to increase the accessibility of WNY arts and culture by connecting residents to free and low cost cultural opportunities in their communities. To learn more about the program, visit www.arts-access.org.





# Gala at the Gardens - September 20 6-10pm - Individual Tickets \$175

Join us for an evening of gratitude and friendship surrounded by the beauty of the Botanical Gardens. The Gala is a magical evening that includes silent and live auctions, raffles, a mission moment and more! Dinner will be catered by Salvatore's Hospitality, followed by a live auction by Kelly Schultz.

For tickets or information please call Quinn Moeller, Development & Membership Coordinator, at 827.1584 ext. 295 or email qmoeller@buffalogardens.com.

> Co-Chairs: Naniscah Koessler & Jackye Mandell Honorary Chairs: Ted and Terry Johnson



Gala Program: Cocktail Reception Silent Auction and Basket Auction Dinner by Salvatore's Hospitality Live Auction Emcee & Auctioneer: Kelly Schultz Mission Moment





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A very special thank you to the Foundations who have supported our Hands-On Educational Programs:





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# **Ongoing Classes**

Advanced registration is required for classes and workshops. GM - Garden Member GP - General Public

# Watercolor Classes

Taught by Joan Saba, professional artist and teacher, these classes fill quickly; pre-registration (series or per class) is required as space is limited. See our website for class descriptions and suggested supplies.

## Beginner

GM \$68 per series or \$17 per class GP \$76 per series or \$19 per class

**Tuesday Mornings - 8:45-11:15am** BM1 - September 10, 17, 24, October 1 BM2 - October 8, 15, 22, 29 BM3 - November 12, 19, December 3, 10

# Wednesday Evenings - 5:45-8:15pm

BE1 - September 11, 18, 25, October 2 BE2 - October 9, 16, 23, 30

BE3 - November 6, 13, 20, December 4

#### Intermediate

*GM \$60 per series or \$15 per class GP \$68 per series or \$17 per class* 

#### Tuesday Evenings - 5:45-7:45pm

IE1 - September 10, 17, 24, October 1 IE2 - October 8, 15, 22, 29

IE3 - November 12, 19, December 3, 10

# Studio

GM \$60 per series or \$15 per class GP \$68 per series or \$17 per class Monday Mornings - 8:45-10:45am SM1 - September 9, 16, 30, October 7 SM2 - October 14, 21, 28, November 4 SM3 - November 18, December 2, 9, 16

# Yoga - Wednesday Nights

Led by Leanne Oldenbrook from Oasis Yoga and Wellness. To register, contact Leanne at 716.864.1194, crescmnyoga@yahoo.com or www.cmyoga.com

#### Fall Session\*

*\$100 for series or \$15 per class* September 4, 11, 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, November 6



*\$50 for series or \$15 per class* November 13, 20, December 4, 11, 18

Gentle Hatha Yoga - 5:30-6:45pm

**Gentle Power Flow Yoga/Pilates** - 7:00-8:15pm \*Free to eligible BlueCross BlueShield of WNY members

## Horticulture Certificate Series - Saturdays, 11am-1pm

Join us for an entertaining garden education with David Clark, Horticulturist & CNLP. David is fast becoming one of the country's noted garden speakers! These classes are great for beginners or gardeners and landscapers wishing to brush up on their skills. Those who complete each



series will be presented with a certificate of completion.

# Horticulture I

GM \$108/series, \$18/class, GP \$138/series \$23/class

- 101 September 7 Botany 101
- 102 September 14 Plant Propagation
- 103 September 28 Pest Management and Disease
- 104 October 5 Shrubs and Trees
- 105 October 12 Annuals and Perennials
- 106 October 26 Garden Design

#### Horticulture II

*GM \$108/series, \$18/class, GP \$138/series \$23/class* 201 - November 2 - Soil Science for Gardeners 202 - November 16 - Advanced Plant Propagation 203 - November 23 - Getting Started with Hydroponics 204 - January 4 - Water Gardening and Aquascaping 205 - January 11- Practical Principles of Pruning 206 - January 18 - Introduction to Landscape Design



#### Horticulture III

*GM \$100/series, \$20/class, GP \$125/series \$25/class* 301 - January 25 - Sustainable Landscaping Practices 302 - February 1 - Gardening with Native Plants 303 - February 22 - Shade Gardening 304 - February 29 - Small Space and Urban Gardening 305 - March 14 - Beneficial Insects and Pollinators

#### **Horticulture IV**

*GM \$100/series, \$20/class, GP \$125/series \$25/class* 401 - March 28 - Gardening for Wildlife 402 - April 18 - Four Seasons Gardening 403 - April 25 - Creative Containers and Raised Beds 404 - May 30 - Herbs and Medicinal Plants 405 - June 13 - Backyard Ecology

Horticulture V & VI will be offered in 2021

# Workshops

# **Stepping into Fall Stepping Stones (for Kids) -** October 5 12pm - GM \$15, GP \$20

Join us for a new kids workshop to fashion a creative and colorful stepping stone or plaque. Have fun designing patterns with mosaic tiles and gems. Parents or caregivers are encouraged to help their child.

# Spooky Succulent Gardens (for Kids) - October 19

10am OR 2pm - GM \$15, GP \$20

Create a fun and spooky succulent garden just in time for Halloween. Succulents are easy to care for and come in many different varieties. Make sure to enjoy the BOOtanical Celebration on this day too!

# Succulent Dish Garden - November 7

6pm - GM \$20, GP \$25

Design a small succulent container garden and discover exciting low-maintenance succulent plants, Learn about how they grow and propagate while adding some creative touches to your arrangement.

# Perfume in Your Garden



Phlox by Connie Oswald Stofko

We generally pay attention to what a plant looks like, while completely ignoring another wonderful characteristic: aroma. If you don't have any fragrant plants, you're missing out.

When we think of fragrant flowers, roses immediately come to mind. While some roses are

quite fragrant, others have no aroma at all. Investigate carefully when choosing roses.

Many perennials have flowers with strong scents, including phlox, oriental lilies and lavender. Don't forget about flowering shrubs, such as lilacs. And the blossoms on fruit trees, such as apple, smell lovely.

Herbs, such as mint, sage and thyme are also fragrant. Place mint along a path where its scent will be dispersed as you brush against the plant. Low-growing thyme can be placed between pavers so it releases its aroma as you step.

You can get more great gardening tips at BuffaloNiagaraGardening.com, the online gardening magazine for Western New York. It's free to subscribe!



# Fresh Thanksgiving Arrangement - November 25 OR 26

6pm - GM \$40, GP \$45 Create a beautiful autumnal arrangement for your Thanksgiving gettogether and celebrate the highlights of the season during this floral design workshop.





**Tropical Glass Terrariums** - December 5 6pm - GM \$20, GP \$25 Bring a bit of the Botanical Gardens indoors and discover how lowmaintenance closed tropical terrariums are! Build a terrarium with friends or for the perfect gift.

#### Fresh Boxwood Arrangement Class December 7

9am OR 1pm - GM \$40, GP \$45 Create your own unique boxwood tree. We provide holiday decor items.



# Fresh Conifer Wreath Class - December 8



9am OR 1pm - GM \$40, GP \$45 Fast becoming a local tradition! Join friends and create a fresh, fragrant 14" conifer wreath to add some seasonal greenery to your home. We provide holiday decor items.

**Terrarium Workshop (for Kids)** - December 14 10am OR 2pm - GM \$15, GP \$20 Enjoy making a home for a baby tropical plant with these low maintenance, enclosed terrariums. Add on this fun workshop to your day before or after visiting Santa's Workshop!

# **Fresh Holiday Arrangement**

December 19 OR 20 6pm - GM \$40, GP \$45 Bring the scents and colors of the holiday season home! Design an arrangement for your dinner table or craft a unique gift.



# **Register for Classes & Workshops at buffalogardens.com**

# **Exhibits & Events**

Unless otherwise noted, exhibits will be held 10am - 4:30pm and are included with paid admission. Advanced registration is required for classes, workshops and events that have a noted price.

#### Joan Saba Studio Class - Now - October 14 Nature's Palette - Located in our Archangel Gallery, view a selection of original paintings from local artists that celebrate the color, form, and beauty of nature.



CLOSED - The Botanical Gardens will be closed September 20 in preparation for the Gala at the Gardens.

Smithsonaian Museum Day - September 21 Free Admission with voucher from smithsonianmag.com



# Mum Exhibit - October 5 - November 3

Our oldest flower exhibit is celebrating its 119<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Our Chrysanthemum exhibit has taken a spooky turn this year! MUMster Mash! This year's theme shows a mad scientist lab, a spooky cemetery, some ghosts and mummies. Seasonal fun will also be accompanied by hundreds of BOOtiful mums.

# Buffalove Day - October 14

\$1 admission to celebrate WNY and Hispanic Heritage Month. For more info visit hispanicheritagewny.org

# BPO and JoAnn Falletta's 20th Anniversary - October 18

Buy one, get one free admission for current BPO subscribers. Free docent led tours will be held at 11am, 1pm, and 3pm. To find out more about the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations go to bpo.org.



**BOOtanical Celebration** - October 19 See more info on page 9



**Darleen Stry** - October 19 - November 24 *Botany Surrounds Us* - Located in our



Archangel Gallery, see our world filled with touches of natural color, texture, and shapes found in plants. This exhibition is a collection of images that exhibit how our lives are filled with plants and the beauty they add to our lives.

# Orchid Show - November 9 - 10

with The Niagara Frontier Orchid Society Enjoy this beautiful show and see award winning orchids spread throughout the



Botanical Gardens. Learn about growing orchids and other aspects of indoor gardening during our educational programs and demonstrations. Orchids and supplies will <sup>6</sup> be for sale from several vendors.

# CLOSED - The Botanical Gardens will be closed November 25-28 to create some holiday magic!

# Poinsettia & Railway Exhibit - November 29 - January 5

Be filled with the wonders of the holidays with fun twists of different colors and varieties of poinsettias. Be amazed by magentas, lime greens, and apricots with small pockets of traditional color accented throughout



by silver and white foliage! As you walk through the beautiful poinsettias, you will also be able to enjoy a festive model train exhibit.

# **Buffalo Museum of Science Camera Club**

November 29 - January 12 Buffalo Visionaries - from Camera to



*Paper* - Located in our Archangel Gallery, see Fine Art Photographs taken at the Buffalo Botanical Gardens and WNY - The images present the photographers' visions of Buffalo, it's local area and the Botanical Gardens. This exhibition features works by 30 members of the Buffalo Museum of Science Camera Club.

# Holiday Luncheon - December 4

**A WHO-liday Celebration** at The Columns Hosted by Heather Ly, Anchor/Reporter WGRZ-TV

11am-2pm, GM \$30, GP \$35 **Open to the public!** Spend an afternoon with friends, enjoy a delicious lunch, participate in an outstanding basket raffle and more at this holiday fundraiser for the Botanical Gardens.



Lunch Choices:

Penne Alfredo – A delicious penne mixed with spinach and roasted red pepper for a balanced meal. Stuffed Chicken Breast – A moist bread stuffing with delicious chicken gravy to make a harmony of flavors.

Order tickets online, include your lunch choice with your ticket order. (Tables seat 10-12)



Santa's Workshop - December 14 See more info on page 9



# Buffalove Day - December 27

\$1 admission to celebrate WNY and the holidays.



## Indie Bride Bridal Show - January 8

Are you recently engaged or planning a wedding? Then throw on your cocktail attire and join us for a celebration of love! Take the stress out of planning for a fabulous evening of cocktails, dancing, prizes and activities with some of WNY's best wedding vendors!

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# January 25-26, January 29-February 1, 5-9, 12-22, 26-29

**Mysterious Minerals** - The interior of the Botanical Gardens will be illuminated to excite imaginations, stimulate the senses and entertain all ages! This year, visitors will experience the extraordinary facets of Earth and minerals. From simulated salt caves and stalactites to wooden sculptures, balancing stones, geodes and crystals, Lumagination will take visitors on a journey like no other! This is part three of a four-part series exploring water, air, earth and fire. *Check our website for updates!* 

Family Night with the Aquarium of Niagara - January 26 AQUARUM Wegmans Touch tank fun and more!

# Photo & Influencer Night - January 28

For professional, amateur photographers and invited guests. A special event discussion lead by Solis will also be held during a reception.

# Sensory Night by Autism Services - January 29

AUTISM SERVICES, INC.

Everyone welcome! The autism community is encouraged to enjoy a special evening that includes an art display and more.

Hero Night - February 5

Active Military, Veterans and First Responders with valid ID, nationalgrid receive free admission.

Pride Night - February 6

Family Night - February 9

Valentine's Day - February 14 The first 300 visitors will receive a Valentine's Day surprise!

Family Night with the Buffalo Audubon Society - February 16 « Critters to meet and more!



**Lumagination Launch Party** January 24 - 6-9pm Members \$45, General Public \$50 *\$60 after January 17* 

Join us for an exclusive opening night celebration to kick-off Lumagination 2020! Enjoy an open bar of signature cocktails from Ketel One Vodka, hors d'oeuvres from Salvatore's Hospitality, beer, wine and creative gourmet popcorn from What's Pop-in'. Participate in a high-value basket raffle and recieve a commemorative glass to mark the occasion. *Tickets available online*.



# **Lumagination Happy Hours**

5-8pm - January 25, 30-31, February 1, 6-8, 13-15, 20-22, 27-29

Join us for drinks and food brought to you by Salvatore's Hospitality, live music and more. This is a great addition to your night before or after attending Lumagination! Happy Hours will be located inside the Administration Building. *Check our website for more* 

details and updates!

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# Volunteers

Do you have extra time? Do you enjoy helping the community? If so, consider becoming a part of the Botanical Gardens' volunteer family! Meet friendly people, learn more about plants, and provide support for our ever-growing programs.

There is a lot to do! You may train as a horticulture volunteer and work inside the greenhouses and in the outdoor gardens. Or your choice may be to help maintain our facilities with carpentry, and maintenance work. Maybe you would prefer administrative support and computer tasks. Or you may be tempted to work in the Gift Shop. Training as an education volunteer means you would provide hands-on activities for visitors of all ages. Finally, there are volunteers that help with special events and weddings.

Branch out and turn over a new leaf. Join our family!

# **NEXT ORIENTATIONS**

March 4, 2020 May 27, 2020

Sign up on our website, buffalogardens.com

Karen Hammer Program & Volunteer Coordinator khammer@buffalogardens.com 827.1584 ext. 207



# Your Event, Our Gardens - Host Your Special Moments With Us

# **Holiday Parties & Corporate Events**

Shake off the winter blues by hosting your corporate party inside Buffalo's most natural and vibrant event space. At the Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens, you and your peers are encouraged to tap into your curiosity about the natural world, while rewarding your consistent hard work with an on-site coordinated private event.



The Botanical Gardens boasts 12 greenhouse spaces - all of which are accessible during private events for guests to tour and enjoy.

To extend appreciation to our loyal Buffalo Botanical Gardens Members, we are offering a **15% discount for events happening in the remaining 2019 calendar year.** 

If the holidays are too busy, host your corporate event during Lumagination in February. We host private events in our Administration Building that includes guest access to Lumagination and private catering from Salvatore's Hospitality.

# **Private Parties at Lumagination**

We offer an event space for you to have your own Lumagination party; whether it be for a holiday, employee appreciation, birthday party or just a family get-together. Our Administration Building has a private space with Lumagination-inspired lighting.



# **Birthday Parties**

A celebration at the Botanical Gardens is a unique experience. We offer a private party space in our Administration Building that you can personalize with any theme. Rental includes a private space and admission to the Botanical Gardens for all of your guests. A fun and interactive scavenger hunt is also included so your guests can enjoy the Botanical Gardens in a memorable way. We supply tables, chairs, and black linens. You may bring your own decorations, food and beverages. *We take care of the rest*!



To schedule an event or party at the Botanical Gardens please contact us at 827.1584 ext. 220 or events@buffalogardens.com



# **Scout Programs**

We offer a general program for both Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts. This program includes a mini-tour of the Botanical Gardens along with a handson lesson. It lasts one hour and can be tailored to suit different ages and abilities.



# **Hands-On Options**

*Terrarium* – Scouts will create individual sealed gardens to take home. They will build an understanding of plant care, growth, and anatomy. Scouts will also learn about the water cycle and its relation to plants and the rest of the planet.



Succulent Garden – Scouts will build their own desert garden to take home. They will learn all about the desert biome and the different ways plants have adapted to survive in different climates.

Programs must be booked at least three weeks in advance of the desired program date.

For more information or to book a program, please contact the Education Department at 827.1584 ext. 730 or education@buffalogardens.com

# Wegmans Family Days

Have fun at activity stations throughout the Botanical Gardens. Activities are best aligned for children ages 4-12, so we encourage caregivers of our young learners to assist with creations. These programs are included with paid admission/ membership! (All activities are peanut free.)

# **BOOtanical Celebration - October 19**

10am-4pm

Celebrate all things creepy and crawly! Learn about spooky plants while making some creepy crafts to take home. Enjoy Halloween treats, a visit from the Ice Queen and Ice



Princess, and feel free to show off your costume.

#### Santa's Workshop - December 14 10am-4pm

Santa will be visiting all day! Photo prints with Santa will be available for just \$5 each. Come join us for this annual family holiday tradition.



# Kids Day - January 20

Free admission for kids ages 3-12. Visit the Wegman's Family Garden and hands-on stations to participate in fun seasonal activities!

# **Lumagination Family Nights**

January 26, February 9 & 16 See more info on page 7

Bootanical Celebration and Santa's Workshop are sponsored by Fidelis Care. **Thank you.** 

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# Join the Botanical Gardens!

# **Personal and Family Memberships**

Members receive the following benefits:

- Free admission to the Botanical Gardens
- Discounts on classes, birthday parties and select special events
- 10% discount in the gift shop and at the Great Plant Sale
- 10% discount at select local nurseries and garden centers
- Guest Pass(es) (depending on level)
- One-year subscription to Better Homes and Gardens magazine
- The Botanical Gardens participates in the American Horticultural Society's Reciprocal Admissions Program! If you are a member of our garden, you are entitled to reciprocal benefits to nearly 300 gardens and arboretums across the country and into Canada.

**Student (13+)** / \$35 or \$63 for 2 years One student as stated on membership card and 1 guest pass

**Senior (62+)** / \$35 or \$63 for 2 years One senior as stated on membership card and 1 guest pass

**Individual /** \$45 or \$81 for 2 years One adult as stated on membership card and 1 guest pass

**Dual Senior (62+)** / \$60 or \$108 for 2 years Two seniors as stated on membership card and 2 guest passes

**Dual Adult /** \$70 or \$126 for 2 years Two adults as stated on membership card and 2 guest passes

**Grandparents** / \$65 or \$117 for 2 years Up to two adults as stated on membership card, up to four grandchildren under 18 and 2 guest passes

**Family /** \$75 or \$135 for 2 years Up to two adults as stated on membership card, dependent children under 18 and 2 guest passes

**Family Advantage /** \$95 or \$171 for 2 years Up to three adults as stated on membership card, dependent children under 18 and 2 guest passes

**Gardener Advantage /** \$110 or \$198 for 2 years Up to two adults as stated on membership card and 4 guest passes





# **Group Memberships**

# Garden Club & Plant Societies / \$130

- Ten guest passes
- Seasonal mailings and invitations
- Group name and contact on our website
- A speaker at a discounted rate
- 10% discount on one Great Plant Sale pre-order

# **Special Needs Groups**

For human service agencies, nursing homes, group homes, or other special needs organizations. For all levels, after the allotted passes are utilized, each additional visitor will be extended a \$5 admission rate.

Level One / \$45 - 10 guest passes Level Two / \$65 - 15 guest passes Level Three / \$85 - 20 guest passes

# Purchase online at buffalogardens.com or contact the Membership Office at 827.1584 ext. 295

# Membership Prices - as of January 1, 2020

Student \$40 // Senior \$40 // Individual \$50 Dual Senior \$65 // Dual Adult \$75 Grandparents \$70 Family \$80 // Family Advantage \$100 Gardener Advantage \$115 Garden Club \$135 Special Needs - Level One \$50 // Level Two \$70 // Level Three \$90

# Ways to Give

### **Annual Fund**

Unrestricted gifts to the Botanical Gardens' Annual Fund are essential to our financial strength and longevity. Annual Fund donations are used to maintain our facilities and operations, support educational programming, and to provide restoration and preservation of our horticulture collection.

#### **Matching Gifts**

Many employers sponsor matching gift programs and will match charitable contributions made by their employees. Check with your human resources representative to see if you or your spouse's company can match your gift! The impact of your gift to the Botanical Gardens could be doubled!

## **Amazon Smile**

Did you know you can contribute to the Buffalo Botanical Gardens just by shopping on Amazon? Visit Smile.Amazon.com, select the Buffalo Botanical Gardens as your charity, and Amazon will donate .5% of your purchase to the Buffalo Botanical Gardens at no extra cost to you!

#### **Tributes & Dedications**

A gift to the Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens Society is a thoughtful and touching way to remember a loved one, honor a special person, offer gratitude, or commemorate a special occasion. There are many ways in which you can honor someone special in your life; pavers, benches, planting a tree or creating a new tribute are some of the many options available to you. A gift that will last for years to come!

#### The Florence DaLuiso-Zoll Society

The Botanical Gardens Planned Giving Society was established to honor donors who may have a desire to remember the Buffalo and Erie County Botanical Gardens Society, Inc. through your estate plans. Society members understand the importance of leaving a legacy that strengthens the future the Botanical Gardens and leaving a legacy that all of Western New York will benefit from.

# To make a gift or for more information please call Brittany Zandi, Director of Development at 827.1584 ext. 203 or email bzandi@buffalogardens.com.



# With Gratitude

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# See what is coming up at the Botanical Gardens! New Events, Exhibits and more!





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