Tours of LongHouse Reserve for 2016

LongHouse Reserve has become a popular destination for museums, garden clubs, libraries, destination tours, and community groups who enjoy the natural beauty of spectacular garden displays blended with outdoor sculpture.

Located in beautiful East Hampton, New York, LongHouse Reserve is a sixteen acre garden with established lawns, ornamental borders, plant collections and outdoor sculpture, planned by the internationally recognized textile designer, Jack Lenor Larsen. Mr. Larsen, along with the recommendations of the LHR Art Committee, has assembled a collection of over 90 sculptures for the gardens.

The gardens play host to sculptures by well-known artists including Blue Cobalt Spears, by Dale Chihuly; The Fly’s Eye Dome, designed by Buckminster Fuller; Play it By Trust, by Yoko Ono, Reclining Figure by Willem de Kooning, Irregular Progression by Sol LeWitt and Tumbling Woman by Eric Fischl. Our water feature, Black Mirror, a 20’x20’ reflecting pool with roaring water cascading down the center is both stimulating and peaceful.

Throughout the seasons, the gardens hold many surprises for guests. The dazzling display of over a million daffodil blossoms in April/May, or the “red garden” abloom in mid-May, delight and inspire visitors. In June roses begin to bloom from all corners of the garden, followed throughout the summer and fall by the foliage and blossoms of many other trees, shrubs and perennials with each providing wonderful texture and structure to the LongHouse landscape.

We hope that you will join us for a docent-guided tour in 2016; it is a thoroughly enjoyable experience for both young and old.

To reserve a private group tour, or for more information, please contact Joanne Sohn at LongHouse Reserve: 631 329-3568, fax 631 329-4299 or email joanne@longhouse.org. For a preview of the actual tour, we invite you to take a ‘virtual’ tour at www.longhouse.org/tour-the-garden/virtual-tours
Terms and Conditions of LongHouse Reserve Tours

- Tour consists of a docent-guided tour of the grounds and takes approximately 1-1/2 to 2 hours.

- Tour availability is Monday through Friday – scheduled anytime from 10 am to 3 pm (tour must end no later than 5 pm).

- Following the tour - not before - the group may stroll the grounds (not the house) on their own.

- A box lunch from a local caterer may be arranged to take place after the tour is completed. Seating is available spread throughout the garden.

- The tour coordinator is responsible for arranging the lunch, see next page for suggested caterers.

- Removal of trash from lunch is responsibility of tour coordinator – cannot be left at LongHouse.

- The fee for the tour is $20/person, or a minimum of $300 per group, whichever is greater. A $200 non-refundable deposit is required upon booking.

- If requested and depending on his schedule, Mr. Larsen will give the tour. There will be an additional fee of $250 per group, which is payable along with the non-refundable deposit.

- The tour date is not confirmed until receipt of deposit.

- Comfortable walking shoes recommended.

- Within a short distance from the LongHouse Reserve are other places of interest which include the following: (addresses and phone numbers on next page).

  - Dia Center for the Arts, Bridgehampton
  - Guild Hall Museum, East Hampton
  - The Parrish Art Museum, Water Mill
  - Pollock-Krasner House, Springs, East Hampton
  - Watermill Center
Places of Interest

DIA Center for the Arts
Corwith Avenue
Bridgehampton, NY 11932
631.537.1476

Guild Hall Museum
158 Main Street
East Hampton, NY 11937
Dr. Ruth Applehof, director
631.324.0806

The Parrish Art Museum
279 Montauk Highway
Water Mill, NY 11976
Terrie Sultan, director
631.283.2118

Pollock-Krasner House
830 Fireplace Road
East Hampton, NY 11937
Helen Harrison, director
631.324.4929

Watermill Center
39 Watermill Towd Road
Watermill, NY 11976
631.726.4628

Other Gardens

Madoo Conservancy
618 Sagg Main Street
Sagaponack, NY 11962
631.537.8200

Bridge Gardens
36 Mitchell’s Lane
Bridgehampton, NY 11932
631.283.3195

Suggested Caterers

Art of Eating
74 Montauk Highway
P.O. Box 3232
East Hampton, NY 11937
631.267.2411

Cynthia Battaglia Distinctive Catering Inc.
P.O. Box 83
Sag Harbor, NY 11963
631.329.5878

Brent Newsom Caterer
PO Box 369
Wainscott, NY 11975
631.329.7365

East Hampton Gourmet Foods
66 Newtown Lane
East Hampton, NY 11937
631.329.3993

(Please remember to arrange for removing trash – which cannot be left at LongHouse)

Suggested Luncheon Restaurant

The Living Room c/o
The Maidstone
207 Main Street
East Hampton, NY 11937
631.324.5006