



TOWER HILL BOTANIC GARDEN

Events & Programs

JUNE 2020

Welcome to Tower Hill Botanic Garden! In June, Tower Hill re-opened after being closed for some time due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Tower Hill Botanic Garden is committed to safety and is open on a limited basis following the strict guidelines from the state. Visitors are allowed to enter the Garden only with an online reservation attained before arrival for specific arrival date and time. Masks or face coverings are required for all visitors and class participants over the age of 2 who are able throughout Tower Hill property. **Please visit towerhillbg.org for information and to reserve your admission ticket.** Peruse the experiences you can enjoy during your garden visits and our outdoor education and online learning opportunities!

Program Registration

We have moved to a solely online class registration system for the health and safety of our staff and visitors. We will no longer be able to accept cash or checks for class payments. Additionally, no class walk-ins are allowed. All class registrations must be made online and in advance. For questions about adult programs, please contact our Manager of Adult Education at adulteducation@towerhillbg.org or call 508.869.6111 x120. For questions about youth and family programs, please contact our Manager of Youth Education at youtheducation@towerhillbg.org or call 508.869.6111 x132.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Adult Outdoor Education

All adult education programs are held outdoors, with a max of 9 people, and organized to abide by the protocols issued in the state's reopening plan. Outdoor education programs are shine only and will be cancelled in the event of inclement weather. All programs require pre-registration, and registration is online only.

Yoga in the Garden MANDI GARRISON

Enjoy gentle-to-moderate-flow yoga in a class for all levels. Please bring your own mat.

Tuesdays, beginning June 9, 6-7:15PM

Thursdays, beginning June 11, 10:30-11:45AM

PER CLASS: \$10 M; \$17 NM PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED
CLASS LIMIT: 9 PEOPLE

Arise and Energize Yoga MANDI GARRISON

Start your day with an invigorating flow practice in nature. Let the sun guide you as we move through energizing warm-ups, sun salutations, breathwork, and stretching to awaken the body and prepare for the day. Please bring your own mat.

Wednesdays, beginning June 10, 8-9PM

PER CLASS: \$10 M; \$17 NM | CLASS LIMIT: 9 PEOPLE

Guided Meditation MANDI GARRISON

Relax with a guided meditation in nature. This class may begin with some gentle stretching to prepare the body. Please bring a blanket or a cushion to be comfortable.

Thursdays, beginning June 11, 12-1PM

PER CLASS: \$10 M; \$17 NM | CLASS LIMIT: 9 PEOPLE

Forest Bathing NADINE MAZOLLA

Relax and refresh through mindfulness practices, sensory awareness, and nature.

Fridays, June 12 and 26, 9:30AM-12:30PM

\$36 M; \$50 NM | CLASS LIMIT: 8 PEOPLE

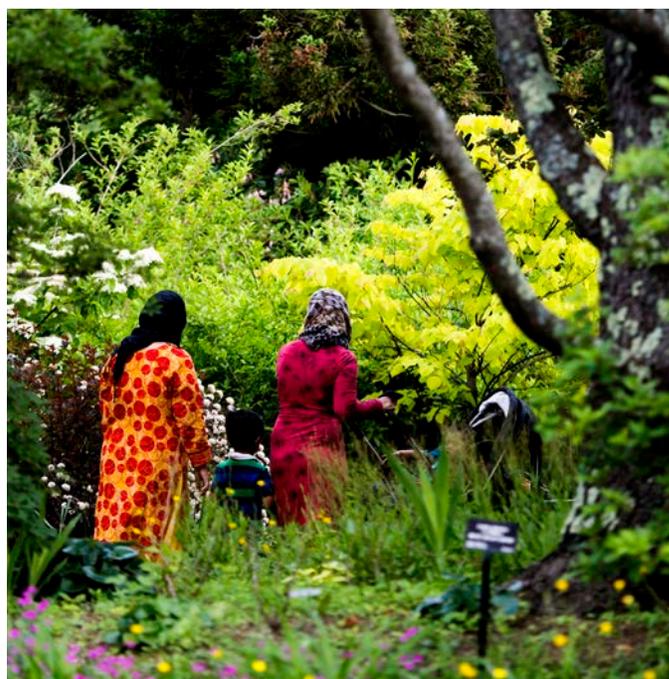
Webinars

Attracting Butterflies LESLIE DUTHIE

Butterflies are like living flowers flitting through our garden. This lecture focuses on techniques and design ideas to help attract more butterflies to your garden. Plant selection for both larva and mature adults will be addressed.

Wednesday, June 17, 6:30-7:30PM

\$7 M; \$10 NM | LIVE WEBINAR



Foundation Gardens That Say 'Welcome Home' to Native Plants

KATHY CONNOLLY

The area around a building is the place that says "Welcome" to the visitor and contributes to curb appeal. Yet how often do we see stressed-out shrubs and struggling perennials in this most visible area? In this one-hour online presentation we'll consider the design problems posed by the foundation area and look at native plants that fit into this highly visible setting.

\$7 M; \$10 NM | PRE-RECORDED WEBINAR

The Growth of Trees: A Journey Through Time

MICHAEL WOJTECH

Sign up and get your link to this online webinar to watch anytime. Discover how trees grow, reproduce, and interact with their environment over varying scales - from the intricate details of buds, flowers, leaves, and bark that we use for species identification - to the collaborative roles of trees in ecosystems.

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Summer Author Series

Spirit of Place: The Making of a New England Garden

BILL NOBLE, AUTHOR

Join author Bill Noble as he talks about the making of his Vermont garden, including its evolution, sources of design inspiration, and the principles that guided its making. Noble draws connections between his own garden and the gardens that inspired it, including those of the Cornish Artists' Colony, and the contemporary and historic gardens he encountered throughout his work with the Garden Conservancy. In this richly illustrated talk, Noble shows how he uses a variety of trees, shrubs and hardy perennials to create planting compositions of foliage and flowering interest that deepen the sense of being rooted in place. Buy the book at our Online Garden Shop at bit.ly/thbgshop

Thursday, June 25, 6:30-7:30PM

\$10 M; \$15 NM | LIVE WEBINAR

Garden Experiences

There is plenty of no-touch activities and fantastical displays to enjoy during your garden visit. Find a fairy house, take a stroll along our story walk, or challenge yourself to a scavenger hunt.

Visit towerhillbg.org for details.

Fairy Houses

The fairies are back and they have taken over Tower Hill! Search throughout the gardens for their magical homes. Share your fairy house photos with us and let us know how many you found!

Story Walk

Take a walk in the woods and enjoy a story. Each step on the trail is a new page of the tale. Make sure to come back to enjoy a brand-new story every month.

Nature Scavenger Hunt

Can you complete our outdoor scavenger hunt? Explore the gardens and take to the trails to find a variety of, no-touch, site-specific nature challenges.

YOUTH ONLINE ACTIVITIES

Continue learning about and exploring the world right outside your window with the help of our online resources. Find something for the entire family with activity packs, storytime, crafts, scavenger hunts, and more!

Wonders of Nature

Explore the natural world together! Geared for youth and families, our popular **Wonders of Nature** series explores a new topic each week in three parts, nature facts, storytime, and outdoor adventure. Enjoy one part or all three.

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