

Old Westbury Gardens

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April, May, June 2017



Horticulture

Spring Plant Sale Friday, May 5–Sunday, May 7

In connection with the reopening of the Plant Shop is our spring plant sale. Purchase annuals and perennials, many of which are the Gardens' signature varieties. Staff from the Gardens' horticulture department as well as Master Gardeners from Cornell Cooperative Extension Nassau County will be on hand to help you select plants and answer your questions.

Friday, May 5–Sunday, May 7, 10AM–5PM

Members' Preview Sale

A special one-day savings of 20%.

Thursday, May 4, 10AM–5PM

Soil Testing

Bring ½ cup of dry soil and have it tested by Master Gardeners from Cornell Cooperative Extension Nassau County.

Friday, May 5–Sunday, May 7, 10AM–3PM.

The sale will feature a wide variety of the best, most beautiful perennial flowers such as hellebores, irises, peonies, and clematis that are perfect for any garden -- especially if you're a beginner!



Talks & Tours

Enjoy a 45 minute stroll through the Gardens led by a volunteer docent and Master Gardener. All tours meet at the West Porch Beech.

Early Spring Walk

Sunday, April 2, 2PM

Fragrance in the Garden

Sunday, May 21, 2PM

Roses

Sunday, June 18, 2PM

Floral Design

Floral arrangements have graced Westbury House since its completion in 1907. This long-standing tradition makes Old Westbury Gardens the ideal location to study home floral design. Taught by Scott Lucas, Head Grower and florist for Westbury House, this floral design workshop at the Gardens not only teaches students how to create stunning arrangements, it provides them with life-long skills they can use for personal and professional endeavors.

Participants will transform spring flowers into beautiful arrangements for your home in this hands-on workshop. Registration fee includes all materials.

\$50/\$45 member. Advance registration required.

Saturday, April 8, 10:30AM–12:00PM

Register for events and programs at
oldwestburygardens.org

Events are free with admission unless otherwise noted.

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Dogwood Celebration

Celebrate the arrival of spring with a stroll through the gardens enjoying the delicate beauty of the dogwood trees.

Early Morning Walk

Take a guided walk through the entire 200 acre estate; along the way you'll see the abandoned paddocks and fields that have now become home to nesting birds and wildflowers.

Sunday, April 30, 9AM

Talk & Tour: Dogwoods

Discover the dogwoods dotting the landscape and learn about the function of dogwoods within the restoration of the Gardens' iconic South Allée.

Saturday, April 29 and Sunday, April 30, 2pm

Garden Outdoor Activities & Games

Have fun in the Gardens with your friends, family and kids with these self-guided activities.

Saturday, April 29 and Sunday, April 30, 10AM-5PM

Letterboxing

Letterboxing is an intriguing "treasure hunt" style outdoor activity. Pickup your instruction book at the map stand. Fun for all ages.

Lawn Games

Enjoy the return of the warm weather with a variety of lawn games. We provide the equipment you provide the fun (designated areas only).



Floral Arranging Demonstration

Westbury House floral designer Scott Lucas will demonstrate the use of flowering trees and bushes in floral arrangements.

Saturday, April 29 and Sunday, April 30, 11AM-12:30PM

Arbor Day Tree Dedication

Join contributors to the Tree Fund in dedicating a new tree.

Sunday, April 30, 1PM (rain or shine)



Members-only Opening Reception

Members are invited to a benefit reception celebrating the return of spring. Wine and light refreshments. Maura McGoldrick-Brush will introduce Phase II of the restoration of the hemlock hedge and provide a guided tour.

Friday, April 28, 7-8:30 p.m.

\$25 Tickets must be purchased in advance.

Public Programs

Dog Days

Bring your dog for an invigorating walk in designated garden areas. Dogs must be leashed.

*Supported in part by
Veterinary Referral and Emergency Care of Westbury
Village Vets of Long Island*

Saturday, April 22 and Sunday, April 23.

Dog Exhibitors and Vendors

Visit with rescue groups and animal welfare organizations. Various vendors will also display.

Saturday, April 22, 11AM–4PM

United Kennel Club (UKC) All-Breed Conformation Match
Sponsored by the Dog Fanciers of Long Island, with on-site sign-up and pre-match conformation handling class starting at 10AM.

Sunday, April 23, 11AM–3PM

Early Bird Walk

Celebrate International Migratory Bird Month with a walk through the gardens guided by an expert from the Theodore Roosevelt Sanctuary and Audubon Center.

Saturday, May 6, 9AM

Porsche Concour

A concour sponsored by the New York Metropolitan Region of the Porsche Club of America. The event will be host to all models of Porsche from the 1950s to present day.

For information about registration visit metronypca.org

Sunday, May 7, 9AM-3PM

Mother's Day

Honor Mom on her special day with a visit to the Gardens. All women, 18 and older, will receive a complimentary lavender plant (while supply lasts).

Sunday, May 14

Afternoon Tea

Enjoy a full tea at Orchard Hill, featuring tea sandwiches, scones, and desserts accompanied by a selection of teas. A seasonal garden tour led by a volunteer docent follows the meal.

Wednesdays and Thursdays, May 17, 18, June 14, 15, 1PM

\$40/\$37 member. Advance tickets required.

Barbara Ernst Prey: Out Painting



Waterlilies watercolor and drybrush on paper 28" x 40"

June 2– 5, Westbury House

Barbara Ernst Prey, one of America's most renowned contemporary artists, is appointed by the President of the U.S. to the National Council on the Arts, the advisory Board to the National Endowment of the Arts. Her paintings are in some of the most important collections worldwide including The Brooklyn Museum, the Smithsonian American Art Museum, Kennedy Space Center and the White House, where she is one of two living female artists in the collection.

She was commissioned by the President to paint the official White House Holiday Card and by NASA to document space history. Prey is a graduate of Williams College with a Master's from Harvard and was awarded a Fulbright scholarship and a grant from the Henry Luce Foundation to work/paint in Europe and Asia. She is adjunct faculty Williams College and is currently commissioned by Mass MoCA to paint a monumental watercolor for their new building which opens in 2017. barbaraprey.com

This exhibition is free with admission.

Paintings and prints of her work will be available for sale. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the continuing mission of Old Westbury Gardens.

Gallery Talk with the Artist

Sunday, June 4, 2PM

Events are free with admission unless otherwise noted.

Public Programs

Take Flight: Bees and Brews

Join us for a Bee Happy Hour! Ann Marie Breyer, Citifield's Landscape/ Horticulture Manager guides us through twilight gardens discussing the basics of backyard beekeeping and conservation. Later sample seasonal and year round beers from featured brewery Samuel Adams as sourced by Hicksville Beer and Soda. Age 21 and over only. Registration required.

\$30, \$27 members (includes bar snacks and beer flight)

Friday, May 19, 7–9PM

Antique Car Show

The most elegant antique auto show on Long Island, sponsored by the Greater New York Region, Antique Automobile Club of America. Call 516.488.1880 or visit greaternewyorkregion.org for registration and information.

Sunday, June 4 (rain date Sunday, June 11), 9AM-3PM

Paint-Out at the Gardens

The Art League of Nassau County will sponsor a day of painting outdoors followed on the next day with a "Meet the Artists Reception" and silent auction of the paintings created the previous day. A portion of the proceeds will benefit Old Westbury Gardens. artleagueofnc.org

Meet the Artists Reception and Art Sale, Westbury House

Sunday, June 25, 3–5:00PM.

Summertime Stargazers

Join members of the Astronomical Society of Long Island for a nighttime skywatching session. asliclub.org All ages.

Thursday, June 29, 8:30PM (rain date Friday, June 30)

Music

Poetica Musica

A consortium of musicians performs chamber works in the Red Ballroom.

Revolutionary Gifts

D'un matin de printemps, Lili Boulanger; Après un rêve, Gabriel Fauré; Cello Sonata, Claude Debussy ; Piano Trio No.7 in B-flat Major, Opus 97 "Archduke" Ludwig van Beethoven

Artists: Eugene Moye, cellist, Molly Morkoski, pianist, Lydia Hong, guest violinist

Saturday, April 22, 8PM Concert; 6:45PM Guided tour of Westbury House; 7:30PM Pre-concert talk; Dessert reception following the concert.

\$30/\$25 member, senior, student. Advance tickets required.

American Odyssey

Selected Songs by Porter and Copeland, Picnic Suite for flute, guitar and jazz piano by Bolling, Gershwin Songs arranged for guitar.

Artists: Molly Morkoski, piano, Oren Fader, guitar, Barry Crawford, flute, Eleanor Valkenburg, soprano.

Saturday, May 6, 8PM Concert; 6:45PM Guided tour of Westbury House; 7:30PM Pre-concert talk; Dessert reception following the concert.

\$30/\$25 member, senior, student. Advance tickets required.

Suzuki on the Island

suzukiontheisland.com

Piano students, ages 4–17, perform solo and chamber music works.

Sunday, April 2, 3PM

The annual outdoor concert featuring students from all classes.

Saturday, June 10, 2PM

Long Island Flute Club Recital

The Long Island Flute Club (longislanfluteclub.org) presents Flutissimo!, a Long Island based ensemble. Members are Lauren Ausubel, Claudia Beeby, Leslie Strait and Jerene Weitman. flutissimoquartet.weebly.com.

Sunday, May 7, 2PM

Midsummer Jazz

Stroll the Walled Garden and listen to the cool sounds of live jazz. Light refreshments. Advance registration required

Friday, June 23, 7:30–9:30PM

\$30/\$27 member.. Advance tickets required.

Events are free with admission unless otherwise noted.

Programs for Children

Listen Up! Storybook Strolls

Open your ears to classic and modern tales as we stroll the gardens and, later, create a unique take home craft. Ages 3-5.

Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter

Saturday, April 1, 12PM

The Lorax by Dr. Seuss

Saturday, May 6, 12PM

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll

Saturday, June 3, 12PM

The Magical Garden of Claude Monet by Laurence Anholt

Saturday, July 1, 12PM

Eat Up! What's Cookin' in the Gardens

Discover tasty delights growing in our garden beds! Concoct and sample a simple recipe full of delicious seasonal flavors. All ages.

Leafy Greens

Saturday April 8, 12PM

Edible Flowers for Mother's Day

Saturday, May 13, 12PM

Honey

Saturday, June 10, 12PM



Make Up! Maker projects

Join a guided gardens walk to unearth your inner artist! Gather natural inspiration to form a seasonally inspired take home craft. Ages 6 and up.

Seed Balls

Saturday, April 15, 12PM

Predator Portrayals

Saturday, May 20, 12PM

Plexi Painted Impressions

Saturday, June 17, 12PM

Think Up! Old Westbury Whodunits

Investigate the wonders of nature and history's mysteries. Fact finding hunts through Westbury House and gardens uncover clues and solve riddles. Ages 8 and up.

Bewildering Birds

Saturday, April 22, 12PM

Self-guided Scavenger Hunt

Saturday, May 27

Plant Pictograms

Saturday, June 24, 12PM

Jump Up! Bonus Play Saturdays

Make the most of your extra Saturday outdoors. Test your family's fun factor in a series of energetic, team relay races! All ages.

Fast as Lightning

Saturday, April 29, 12PM

Find a Flower Fairy

Young children are invited to follow clues to discover the fairy world that magically appears in the gardens at Midsummer. The event also features music and storytelling with Johnny Cuomo. johnnycuomo.com

Thursday and Friday, June 22 and 23

45-minute sessions at 4, 4:30, 5, 5:30, 6, 6:30PM

For ages 4-8. Space is limited. Advance timed registration required. \$12/\$10 member, (includes materials, refreshment and admission for 1 adult).

Events are free with admission unless otherwise noted.

Summer Camps for Children

Fresh Takes—Natural Art Camp

This program, tailored for ages 6-9, focuses on the art making process as inspired by the natural world. Artists explore a variety of traditional and lesser known methods like drawing and painting, printmaking, mixed media, light power tools and more in an outdoor setting. Open to all levels of experience with an enthusiasm for art.

Monday, July 10–Friday, July 14, 9AM–12PM

\$185 /\$165 member

Land Lovers—Science Camp

This program, tailored for ages 6-9, allows young ecologists to unearth the secret science of the outdoors. Daily themes from insects to flowers to wildlife will inspire fun crafts, games, and hands-on activities to enhance each day's discoveries.

Monday, July 17–Friday, July 21, 9AM–12PM

\$185 /\$165 member

Time Travelers—History Camp

This program, tailored for ages 6-9, encourages campers to get hands-on with history! Decade detectives blast through the past to investigate history as it relates to them. Games, artifact discoveries, and behind the scenes explorations bring the past to life over five fun-filled “yester”days.

Monday, July 24–Friday, July 28, 9AM–12PM

\$185 /\$165 member

Changemakers: Future Museum Pros Camp

This program, tailored for ages 10-13, invites junior visionaries to discover the inner workings of a museum and public garden. Go getters gain behind the scenes experience in hands-on activities with museum professionals in the fields of horticulture, preservation, operations and more. Dreams of future museum advocates are fostered in this exclusive week long opportunity.

Monday, July 31–Friday, August 4, 9AM–12PM

\$185 /\$165 member



Seward Johnson at Old Westbury Gardens

June 16–September 4, Westbury House and Gardens

Seward Johnson sculptures have been turning heads and causing conversation for nearly 50 years. More than 450 of Johnson's life-size cast bronze figures have been featured in private collections and museums around the world.

Old Westbury Gardens and the Seward Johnson Atelier present this exhibition which features 38 selected works from two of his most popular series: **Celebrating the Familiar**, and **Beyond the Frame**. The sculptures will be displayed in Westbury House and across 80 acres of the Gardens.

Celebrating the Familiar

Initially, the world came to know Seward Johnson through his sculptural commentary on day-to-day life. He engages us through the hyper-realistic bronzes of this Celebrating the Familiar series, which act as a mirror for us all. The works echo our myriad tasks and activities, catching our eye and calling attention to small pleasures and encounters.

One of Johnson's primary focus points as an artist surfaced early on as he sought ways to celebrate what he refers to as "the beautiful moments of ordinary life". Johnson's sculptures explore these moments in ways that are familiar, personal, and distinctly human.



About Seward Johnson



Following an early career as a painter, Seward Johnson turned his talents to the medium of sculpture. Since then, more than 450 of Johnson's life-size cast bronze figures have been featured in private collections and museums in the United States, Canada, Europe and Asia, as well as prominent places in the public realm such as Times Square and Rockefeller Center in New York City, Pacific Place in Hong Kong, Les Halles in Paris, and Via Condotti in Rome. Johnson initially became widely known for his sculptures depicting people engaged in every day activities. Johnson's desire to highlight the mundane in his Celebrating the Familiar sculpture series has brought a unique voice to the world of art in public spaces. In recent years, Johnson has enlarged a select few sculptures into dramatic monumental scale for placement in the public domain. To date, these twenty to thirty foot presences have been on view in Rome, Normandy, China, San Diego, Sarasota, New York City and Chicago.

Seward Johnson's impact on the world of public sculpture has enhanced the physical landscape, as well as added to the dialogue about art in the public realm.

Seward Johnson at Old Westbury Gardens is free with admission (unless otherwise noted for special events). Photography is encouraged for personal use only. All sculptures © The Seward Johnson Atelier, Inc.

Beyond the Frame



The Beyond the Frame series was triggered by Seward Johnson's love of nature and his admiration of the paintings of the French Impressionists and Post Impressionists. Johnson began creating three-dimensional transformations of some of his favorite paintings by the French masters. He chose works by Claude Monet and Auguste Renoir but soon sculptures inspired by Manet, van Gogh and

Caillebotte came to life in bronze. Johnson envisioned these works as environments in which the viewer becomes totally immersed in the three-dimensional journey within the painting. And as the sculptor, Johnson must imagine and add the details and the view from all angles that we do not on the canvases, hence "beyond the frame".

“Experiencing Art in the Landscape”

“What I am trying to do is to draw attention to the simple pleasures, to show how much fun life is.”

—Seward Johnson

Sculpture Search in the Gardens

Seward Johnson’s works are designed for interaction—interaction between the art and the landscape and interaction between the sculpture and the viewer.

Increase your enjoyment by picking up an activity sheet at Westbury House. These activity sheets will help guide you through an educational journey in the park while learning about sculpture.

Photo Contest

We are looking for the best and most unique photos of these sculptures taken by our visitors. Bring along your camera or phone and enter the photo contest. Post your photos at #owgsculptures. One photo will be profiled each month on our website. Please note that you cannot sell these images as the sculptures are copyright protected.

Exhibition Tours

Approximately 1-hour docent-led tour.

Wednesdays and Sundays, June 21–September 3, 12PM

Private tours are available for 8–15 persons, call 516.333.0048 x312 for more information.

An Evening with Seward Johnson

In celebration of the exhibition Old Westbury Gardens will host “An Evening with Seward Johnson.” This benefit evening will include remarks by Mr. Johnson followed by an opportunity to visit the exhibition. Complimentary drinks and light refreshments included.

Friday, June 16, 7–9PM

\$30/\$25 member. Advance tickets required.

Photography Workshop

Through a guided tour of the grounds you will discover more about your camera, be it a DSLR or an iPhone, and learn the basics through camera settings, composition, and lighting.

Saturday, June 17 (rain date Sunday, June 18). 10:30AM–12PM

\$20/\$10 member per session. Advance registration required.

Art and Dogs in the Gardens

Why should people only enjoy the sculptures. Guest are invited to enjoy the cool summer evening with their leashed dog and stroll the grounds and discover Seward Johnson’s life-size bronze sculptures in the gardens.

Friday, July 21, Saturday, July 22, Sunday, July 23. 5–9pm. Free with admission.

Monet’s Palate

The Beyond the Frame series is more than just an homage to the art of the impressionists. The sculptures lead viewers into an experience of Impressionist paintings with all their senses.

You’re invited to experience the art of Claude Monet in a similar manner during an afternoon with Aileen Bordman. In her film and book *Monet’s Palate*, Ms. Bordman transports us into the life of the Impressionist painter Claude Monet’s world by weaving his art, cuisine, and love of gardens.

Following a viewing of the film Ms Bordman will discuss the rebirth of Monet’s gardens at Giverny and the recipes inspired by his cooking journals and vegetable gardens.

Sunday, July 23, 2PM

Pen and Drink-A Creative Night Out

Gather as impressionist artists did to exchange ideas and imbibe! Art educator Lisa Fernandez leads you through the basics of sketching sculpture in the gardens as inspired by our Seward Johnson exhibit. From doodler to devotee, this is a social event for people with all levels of art appreciation. Ages 21 and over only. Bring something to sit on.

Saturday, August 12 (rain date Sunday, August 13), 6–8PM

\$30, \$27 members (includes drawing materials and light refreshments) Advance registration required.

Programs for Children and Families

During the exhibition our children and family programs will focus on the world of art.

Make Up! Maker Projects

June 17 and July 15

Think Up! Old Westbury Whodunits

June 24 and July 22

Listen Up! Storybook Strolls

July 1 and August 6

Eat Up! What’s Cookin’ in the Gardens

July 8 and August 12

All programs begin at 12PM and are free with admission.

Wellness

Program Information

Yoga in the Gardens

Professional Kripalu Yoga instructor, Lorili Henry, leads students through a dynamic, yet gentle flow of postures and conscious breathing. Participants must bring a yoga mat, yoga strap, and towel.

Thursdays and Saturdays, May–October, 11:15AM–12:15PM
\$18 per session (includes Gardens admission)/\$8 member

Tai Chi

Tai chi—a unique form of “moving meditation”—calms the mind, relaxes the body and strengthens the spirit. Sessions are taught by professional tai chi instructor, Linda Cafiero, and are designed for all experience levels.

Wednesdays and Sundays, May–October, 10:30–11:30AM
\$18 per session (includes Gardens admission)/\$8 member

Program and Event Information

Old Westbury Gardens reserves the right to change or cancel programs and events. Visit oldwestburygardens.org for any changes.

Registration for all events is at oldwestburygardens.org. Where indicated advance registration or tickets are required in order to ensure adequate space or materials. All registrations will be confirmed by email or mail. If you have not received your confirmation 14 days prior to your program’s start date, call 516-333-0048 ext. 301.

Refunds must be requested in writing and will be issued only if requested at least 14 days prior to the program. A 10% processing fee may be deducted from the refund. No refunds will be issued less than 14 days before the start of the program. Registrations are processed in the order in which they are received.

In the event we receive your registration after a program has filled, you will automatically be placed on a waiting list. You will be notified by phone if/when a space becomes available. We will process your payment at that time.

If Old Westbury Gardens cancels the program (e.g., due to rain, instructor’s illness, or insufficient enrollment) you will receive a full refund.

If you are unable to attend the program you may contact our office for a receipt, which will enable you to claim your contribution as a tax-deductible gift.

Calendar

APRIL

1	Saturday		House and Gardens reopen on weekends
	12PM	Children	Listen Up! Storybook Stroll: Peter Rabbit by Beatrix Potter
2	Sunday, 2PM	Horticulture	Early Spring Walk
2	3PM	Concert	Suzuki on the Island: Pianists Spring Recital
8	Saturday, 10:30AM	Horticulture	Spring Floral Design Workshop \$
	12PM	Children	Eat Up! What's Cookin' in the Gardens: Leafy Greens
10	Monday, 10AM		First Weekday for 2017
15	Saturday, 12PM	Children	Make Up! Maker projects: Seed Balls
16	Sunday		Easter. House and Gardens open
22-23	Saturday, Sunday, 10AM-4PM	Public Program	Spring Dog Weekend
22	Saturday, 11AM-4PM	Public Program	Spring Dog Festival
	12PM	Children	Think Up! Old Westbury Whodunits: Bewildering Birds
	8PM	Concert	Poetica Musica: Revolutionary Gifts \$
23	Sunday	Public Program	UKC Confirmation Match
28	Friday, 7PM	Members	Opening Reception Dogwood Celebration \$
29-May 7			Dogwood Celebration
29	Saturday, 10AM-5PM		Lawn Games
	10AM-5PM		Letterboxing in the Gardens
	11AM-2PM	Horticulture	Floral Arranging with Flowering Trees
	12PM	Children	Jump Up! Bonus Play Saturday: Fast as Lightning
	2PM	Horticulture	Dogwood Talk & Tour
30	Sunday, 9AM		Early Morning Walk
	11AM-2PM	Horticulture	Floral Arranging with Flowering Trees
	1PM		Arbor Day Tree Dedication
	Sunday, 2PM	Horticulture	Dogwood Talk & Tour

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Calendar

MAY

3-Oct 25	Wednesdays, 10:30AM	Wellness	Tai Chi \$
4	Thursday, 10AM-5PM	Horticulture	Member Plant Sale
4-Oct 26,	Thursdays, 11:15AM	Wellness	Yoga \$
5-7	Friday-Sunday, 10AM-5PM	Horticulture	Plant Sale
6-Oct 28,	Saturdays, 11:15AM	Wellness	Yoga \$
6	Saturday, 9PM	Public Program	Early Bird Walk
	12PM	Children	Listen Up! Storybook Stroll: The Lorax by Dr. Seuss
	8PM	Concert	Poetica Musica: American Odyssey \$
7	Sunday, 9AM-2PM	Public Program	Spring Concours, Posche Club of America, Metro NY Region
7-Oct 2,	Sundays, 10:30AM	Wellness	Tai Chi \$
7	2PM	Concert	Flutissimo
13	Saturday, 12PM	Children	Eat Up! What's Cookin' in the Gardens: Edible Flowers for Mother's Day
14	Sunday, 10AM-5PM		Mother's Day Lavender Gift
17	Wednesday, 1PM	Public Program	Afternoon Tea \$
18	Thursday, 1PM	Public Program	Afternoon Tea \$
19	Friday, 7-9PM	Public Program	Take Flight: Bees and Brews \$
20	Saturday, 12PM	Children	Make Up! Maker Project: Predator Portrayals
	7PM	Benefit	Gardeners' Fair \$
21	2PM	Horticulture	Talk & Tour: Fragrance in the Garden
27	Saturday	Children	Think Up! Old Westbury Whodunits: Scavenger Hunt
29	Monday, 10AM-5PM		Memorial Day, House and Gardens open

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Calendar

JUNE

2-4	Friday-Sunday, 10AM-5PM	Public Program	Barbara Prey Art Show/Sale
3	Saturday, 12PM	Children	Listen Up! Storybook Stroll: Alice's Adventures in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll
4	Sunday, 9AM	Public Program	Antique Car Show
	2PM	Public Program	Gallery Talk with Barbara Prey
10	Saturday, 11AM		Behind the Scenes Tour for Sustainer Members
10	12PM	Children	Eat Up! What's Cookin' in the Gardens: Honey
	2PM	Concert	Suzuki on the Island Spring Recital
14	Wednesday, 1PM	Public Program	Afternoon Tea \$
15	Thursday, 1PM	Public Program	Afternoon Tea \$
16	Friday, 7-9PM	Public Program	Opening Reception, Seward Johnson Exhibit \$
17-Sept 4		Public Program	Seward Johnson at Old Westbury Gardens
17	Saturday, 10:30AM	Public Program	Photography Workshop \$
	12PM	Children	Make Up! Maker Project: Plexi Painted Impressions
18	Sunday, 2PM	Horticulture	Talk & Tour: Roses
22 & 23	Thursday, Friday	Children	Find-a-Flower Fairy \$
23	Friday, 7:30PM	Concert	Midsummer Jazz \$
24	Saturday, 12PM	Children	Think Up! Old Westbury Whodunits: Plant Pictograms
25	Sunday, 3-5PM	Public Program	Meet the Artists Reception, Art League of Nassau County
29	Thursday, 8:30PM	Public Program	Summertime Stargazers

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Visiting the Gardens

About

Old Westbury Gardens, listed on the National Register of Historic Places, is the former country estate of John S. Phipps and his wife Margarita Grace Phipps. Opened to the public in 1959 with the mission of preserving a part of Long Island's heritage, Old Westbury Gardens is an extraordinary example of a gracious era. Built in 1906 by the English designer George A. Crawley, Westbury House is a magnificent country house reflecting English architecture of the late 1600s and early 1700s. The house is furnished with fine English antiques and decorative arts and remains virtually intact from the more than 50 years of the family's residence. The estate includes over 70 acres of landscaped formal and informal gardens. An additional 160 acres of fields and woodlands surround the estate.

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(between Jericho Turnpike, Rte. 25, and the LIE, Exit 39)
Old Westbury, New York 11568

516.333.0048; oldwestburygardens.org

Mailing Address: PO Box 430, Old Westbury, NY 11568

Hours

April 1-9

Westbury House and the gardens are open every Saturday and Sunday, 10AM-5PM, final admission 4PM.

April 10-October 30

Westbury House and the gardens are open every day, except Tuesday, 10AM-5PM, final admission 4PM

Admissions

\$12 General, \$10 college students with ID and persons over age 62, \$7 children ages 7-17. Free for members and children ages 6 and under.

Group Tour Visits

Groups of 15 or more may book in advance to receive group rates asavino@oldwestburygardens.org; 516.333.0048 x310

School and scout groups: Contact reichenberger@oldwestburygardens.org; 516.333.0048 x338

Amenities

Cafe in the Woods is open daily, 11AM-3PM, weather permitting, and offers outdoor dining with a luncheon menu.

Uncovered picnic tables are available on first-come basis.

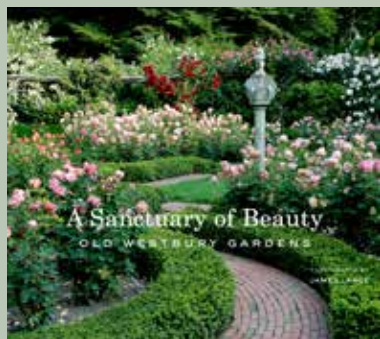
A gift shop is located in Westbury House featuring a wide selection of souvenirs, books, and decorative items.

Accessibility

The first floor of Westbury House is accessible. The unpaved gravel pathways through the gardens are not wheelchair accessible. Special parking is available for guests with state-issued handicap parking permits. Guests should furnish their own wheelchairs and strollers. Strollers are not permitted in Westbury House.

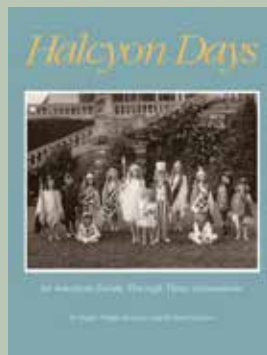
Recent publications from Old Westbury Gardens:

A Sanctuary of Beauty featuring photographs by Jim Large



An 80 page full-color photographic essay of the Gardens with accompanying text. \$19.95

Halcyon Days: An American Family Through Three Generations by Peggie Phipps Boegner and Richard Gachot



A reprint of the history of the Phipps Family featuring memoirs by the Gardens' founder Peggie Phipps Boegner accompanied by over 250 vintage photographs. 280 pages with Duo-tones \$60.

Support the Gardens

Basic Benefits of Membership

- Unlimited free admission to Westbury House and Gardens (except for special events).
- Member-only hours for the Annual Plant Sale.
- Member-only events & educational programs.
- Advanced registration for selected public programs.
- Reciprocal admission & discounts at more than 200 gardens and arboreta in the US & Canada.
- Subscription to the Newsletter and Calendar of Events.
- Discounts at participating garden centers.
- 10% Discount in Gift Shop, Plant Shop and Plant Sales.
- Opportunity to host private events at Orchard Hill.

Individual \$50 Basic Benefits extended to one adult, 100% tax-deductible.

Family/Dual \$80 Basic Benefits extended to two adults and children under 18, 100% tax-deductible.

Sustainer \$120 Basic Benefits extended to four adults and children under 18, 100% tax-deductible.

Friend \$300 Basic benefits extended to six adults and

children under 18, plus invitations to select programs trips, and tours, 100% tax-deductible.

Patron \$500 Friend Benefits plus: Access to special reserved parking, invitations to exclusive fundraising events, Picnic Pops Car Pass, \$405 tax-deductible.

Contributor \$1000 Patron Benefits, plus: Personalized tour with an expert guide and Picnic Pops Sponsor Pass, \$905 tax-deductible.

Benefactor \$2,500 Contributor Benefits, plus: Opportunity to host a private Gardens event, \$2,405 tax-deductible.



Become a member on-line at oldwestburygardens.org. For further information about membership or gift memberships, please contact the membership office at 516.333.0048 ext. 308.

Behind the Scenes Tour



A guided tour of the Service Wing of Westbury House during which you will learn about the domestic staff and their tasks. Group size is limited. *For Sustainer Members Only.*

Saturday, June 10, 11am

Advance registration required. For more information and registration contact Kristen Temkin at 516.333.0048 x308 or ktemkin@oldwestburygardens.org

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS
April, May, June 2017



Westbury House and Gardens
reopen weekend April 1; weekdays April 10
Spring Dog Days April 22–23
Dogwood Celebration April 29–May 7
Plant Sale May 4–May 7
Antique Car Show, June 4
Seward Johnson at Old Westbury Gardens:
Experiencing Art in the Landscape
June 17–September 4

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