## Old Westbury Gardens

# The Gardeners' Fair Returns to Old Westbury Gardens on Saturday, June 7

A Signature Evening of Elegance, Celebration and Purpose

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**OLD WESTBURY, NY, May 28, 2025** — One of Long Island's most anticipated summer events returns on Saturday, June 7, as Old Westbury Gardens hosts the annual Gardeners' Fair, a cherished tradition that brings together community, history, and horticultural excellence.

Held beneath a grand tent on Eagle Hill, the evening begins with a lively cocktail reception, followed by a seated dinner accompanied by the Alex Miller Band, and an exciting silent and live auction led by celebrated auctioneer Pat Tully.



Robert A. Bartlett, Jr.

This year, the Gardens will honor **Robert A. Bartlett, Jr.**, Chairman and CEO of Bartlett Tree Experts, for his exceptional leadership in arboriculture and enduring support of the Gardens' trees and landscapes.

Curated by Auction Committee Chair Paul J. Mateyunas, the live and silent auctions will offer an array of exclusive experiences and items, including:

- A private truffle dinner party at a Gilded Age estate in Mill Neck
- A catered dinner or cocktail event at Westbury House or in the gardens by Sterling Affair
- A luxury escape to a private residence in Vail, Colorado
- Artwork by Virginia Pierrepont and Christine Daddario
- A custom-designed garden by Old Westbury Gardens' expert horticultural staff

This year's event is co-chaired by Jennifer Tytel Wolf of Locust Valley and Remsen Weir Dooley, Executive Director of Youngs Farm. Both bring deep community ties and a shared commitment to conservation and education—values at the heart of Old Westbury Gardens.

Proceeds from the evening will directly support the Gardens' ongoing preservation, education, and horticultural initiatives, helping to ensure the estate remains a place of beauty and inspiration for all.

Don't miss this unforgettable evening, where tradition and generosity come together in full bloom.

To learn more or to support the 2025 Gardeners' Fair, visit: https://bit.ly/44OnyQy

#### **About Old Westbury Gardens**

Built in 1906 and listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Old Westbury Gardens is the former home of John S. Phipps; his wife, Margarita Grace Phipps, and their children. Today, as a not-for-profit organization, Old Westbury Gardens welcomes visitors of all ages for a wide range of historical, cultural, artistic, educational, horticultural events, and more. Old Westbury Gardens seeks to inspire appreciation of the early 20th century American country estate through faithful preservation and interpretation of its

landscape, gardens, architecture and collections. Connect with us at <a href="https://www.oldwestburygardens.org/">https://www.oldwestburygardens.org/</a>, facebook.com/oldwestburygardens, twitter.com/oldwestburygard, <a href="mailto:lnstagram.com/oldwestburygardens">lnstagram.com/oldwestburygardens</a>

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