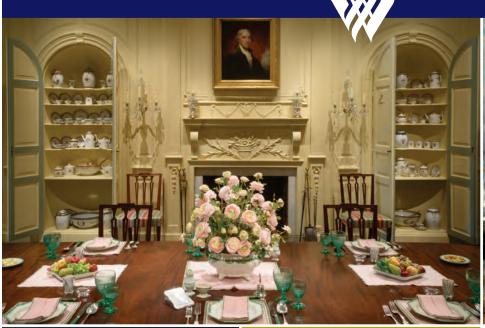
### WINTERTHUR







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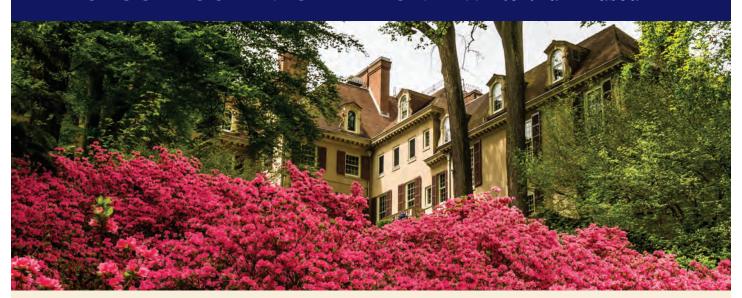






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#### GROUP TOUR INFORMATION • Winterthur Museum



## experience.

More than 60 years ago, collector and horticulturist Henry Francis du Pont (1880–1969) opened his childhood home, Winterthur, to the public. Today, Winterthur showcases a world-renowned collection of American antiques and decorative arts, reflecting both early America and the du Pont family's life at this glorious estate. Its 60-acre garden is among the nation's best, and its superlative research library serves scholars from around the world.

"The majestic mansions of Newport, RI, pale in comparison."

-THE BOSTON GLOBE

## explore.

Nestled in the heart of Delaware's beautiful Brandywine Valley, halfway between New York City and Washington, D.C., Winterthur is an American Treasure and one of the few surviving great American Country Estates.

# enjoy.

Tour H. F. du Pont's spectacular 175-room former home and view elegantly furnished rooms in which du Pont entertained his family and friends in grand style. Take a narrated tram tour through du Pont's masterful 60-acre garden and enjoy a succession of showstopping blooms. Discover dazzling treasures displayed in the Campbell Collections of Soup Tureens, special exhibitions in the Winterthur Galleries, Spring Tour, and Yuletide at Winterthur—a remarkable holiday showcase that draws thousands of visitors annually.

We invite you to explore this place of beauty, history, and learning!



Enjoy a unique blend of history and year-round beauty at this world-class museum, garden, and former du Pont estate.



### "Best Historic Site in Delaware." -Southern Living

#### **Perfect for Groups**

Winterthur welcomes visitors and is happy to help tailor your group's experience and suggest a suitable itinerary. A variety of options and special packages include:

- Special rates for groups of 15 or more, plus complimentary admission for your driver and group leader.
- No deposit required; final counts and full payment are due only one week before your visit.
- Special group packages for major events, including Winterthur's Point-to-Point steeplechase race and the Delaware Antiques Show, as well as special garden programs.
- A changing calendar of exhibitions, events, tours, and programs to make each visit unique. For up-to-date information, please visit winterthur.org or call 800.448.3883. Customized tour packages are available.
- On-site dining in the Visitor Center Garden Café. Ask about our special Group Tours menu.
- The Winterthur Museum Stores offer a selection of outstanding gifts, books, and home décor inspired by our museum, garden, and library.

#### Close to It All



- 40 minutes from Philadelphia
- 1 hour from Baltimore
- 45 minutes from Lancaster, Pennsylvania
- 45 minutes from Valley Forge, Pennsylvania

Winterthur is located on Route 52, six miles northwest of Wilmington, Delaware, I-95 (Exit 7), and less than one hour south of Philadelphia. Just minutes from Longwood Gardens and other Brandywine Valley attractions, hotels, and restaurants, Winterthur makes the perfect addition to countless itineraries. Ask about special day and overnight trips to the Brandywine Valley!

#### **Museum and Garden Hours**

Tuesday–Sunday, 10:00 am–5:00 pm. Open daily during Yuletide. Closed Mondays, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day. Closed January 4–February 29, 2016. Hours subject to change.

"One of America's 10 great places of historical proportions."

-USA Today

### "Winterthur is definitely worth the trip." -Martha Stewart

#### **Group Tour General Admission Includes:**

- A 45-minute Introductory Tour of Henry Francis du Pont's former home\*
- The Winterthur Garden
- A narrated Garden Tram Tour. Garden trams run March through December, weather permitting.
- Admission to the Winterthur Galleries and special exhibitions, including the Campbell Collection of Soup Tureens
- Enchanted Woods children's garden
- \* Yuletide at Winterthur includes all of the above, although a one-hour Yuletide house tour replaces the Introductory Tour (from mid-November through early January).

#### **Group Rates**

A minimum of 15 visitors are required per group to receive the general admission group rate of \$17 per visitor. Complimentary admission is available for tour bus drivers and group leaders.

#### Reserve Your Visit Today

There's so much to experience, explore, and enjoy at Winterthur! Our Visitor Service Assistants can assist you with reservations, special requests, and customized tour packages.

To book your reservation, please call the Winterthur Information and Tours Office at **800.448.3883** or e-mail **grouptours@winterthur.org**. Group Tours are available by advance reservation only. We suggest reserving your tour at least 4–6 weeks in advance of your desired tour date.

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Cover: view of Winterthur, photo by Bob Leitch. Inside: Glade Garden near Reflecting Pool, photo by Herb Crossan; Montmorenci Stair Hall; painting of Henry Francis du Pont by Ellen Emmet Rand, 1914. Bequest of Henry Francis du Pont. Back (clockwise from top left): DuPont Dining Room on Spring Tour; John Trumbull, Washington at Verplanck's Point, New York, 1790. Gift of Henry Francis du Pont; Peony Garden, photo by Bob Leitch; Point-to-Point at Winterthur, photo by Jim Graham; Yuletide at Winterthur; Forbidden Fairy Ring in Enchanted Woods, photo by Carlos Alejandro; Campbell Collection of Soup Tureens at Winterthur.

"Breathtaking. A treasure worth exploring."

-TripAdvisor review



"The story of
Winterthur tells
the greatest story
of our time, the
story of the
American
people."

-Henry Francis du Pont

