

Yuletide at Winterthur

The dried flower tree at Winterthur Museum will grace
the conservatory once again in 2019

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CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS, NOW AND LATER

A Longwood Christmas Timed tickets 9 a.m.-10 p.m. through Jan. 5, Longwood Gardens, 1001 Longwood Road, Kennett Square, Pennsylvania. Impressively decorated floral displays in the Conservatory and lots of indoor and outdoor lights. Closed Christmas.

Brandywine Christmas 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Jan. 5, Brandywine River Museum of Art, 1 Hoffmans Mill Road, Chadds Ford, Pennsylvania. Trees decorated with ornaments made from natural materials and a model train on 2,000 feet of track. Closed Christmas.

Brandywine Hundred Light Display 1900 Prior Road, Wilmington. 700,000 lights that can be seen from I-95, inflatables, music and frequent visits with Santa.

Christmas at Nemours Estate 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays; 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Thursdays; and noon-5 p.m. Sundays, through Dec. 29, Nemours Mansion, 850 Alapocas Drive, Wilmington. Some of the du Ponts' original decorations, ornaments made by patients at the adjacent hospital and lots of greenery. Plus entertainment. Closed Christmas Eve and Christmas.

Edwards Christmas Village 5-9 p.m. Dec. 6-7 and 5-9 p.m. Dec. 13-14, Edwards Family Village, 18179 Robinsonville Road, Lewes. Donation. Seventh year for 500 miniature houses, refreshments and other holiday activities.

Historic Odessa Foundation By reservation Mondays, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays and 1-4:30 p.m. Sundays, Sunday through Dec. 29, Corbit-Sharp House 201 Main St., Odessa. "The Secret Garden" continues the tradition of transforming a foundation house into an exhibition of classic lit. Plus candlelight tours and food demonstrations. Closed Christmas Eve and

Christmas.

Holiday Art Market noon-4 p.m. Sundays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays and noon-7 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays. With refreshments Dec. 13 and Dec. 21. Newark Arts Alliance, 276 E. Main St., Newark.

Holiday Open House 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 7, Jan. 4 and Jan. 11 and noon-4 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 8, Jan. 5 and Jan. 12, Delmarva Model Railroad Club, 103 State St., Delmar. Model trains.

Holidays at Hagley 10 a.m.-4 p.m. daily through Jan. 1, Eleutherian Mills, 200 Hagley Creek Road, Wilmington. Free-\$14. "Christmas Trees: Past and Present" is the theme for this year's decorations at the du Ponts' ancestral home. Plus gingerbread house competition and Twilight Tours. Closed 2 p.m. Christmas Eve and Christmas.

Holidays at the Amstel and Dutch houses 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesdays-Sundays Sunday-Dec. 30, Old New Castle. Tours of New Castle Historical Society houses, decorated for Colonial celebrations.

Rockwood Park & Museum 5-9 p.m. Dec. 6,-7 Rockwood Park, 4671 Washington St., Wilmington. Costumed characters (including a jolly guy in a red suit), crafts, performances and displays. **Winter Wonderfest** Through Dec. 31, Hudson Fields, 30045 Eagle Crest Road, Milton. Light Spectacular (1.5-mile drive), Christmas Village (rides and crafts) and ice skating. Closed Monday, Dec. 9 and Dec. 16.

Yuletide at Winterthur Timed tickets through Jan. 5, Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library, 5105 Kennett Pike, Wilmington. Tour takes 60 to 75 minutes for two dozen decorated rooms, including the Conservatory's signature dried flower Christmas tree. Closed Christmas.



Winterthur Museum's 2019 Yuletide will bring back some visitor favorite scenes from its 40-year history. COURTESY OF WINTERTHUR MUSEUM

CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Concerts & Nightlife

Blind Wind, Frankie Moran 6 p.m., DiFebo's, Bear Trap Dunes, 7 Clubhouse Drive, Ocean View.

Christine Havrilla & Gypsy Fuzz 6 p.m., Jerry's Seafood, 108 Second St., Lewes.

Crack the Sky, Dave DeMarco 8 p.m., The Queen, 500 N. Market St., Wilmington.

Kaleb Brown 8 p.m., Big Chill Surf Cantina, 19406 Coastal Highway, Rehoboth Beach.

Sol Knopf 4:30 p.m., Harvest Ridge Winery, 447 Westville Road, Marydel.

Holiday

"A Christmas Story the Musical" 7:30

p.m., Clear Space Theatre Company, 20 Baltimore Ave., Rehoboth Beach. Adaptation of the classic book. 7:30 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays and 3 p.m. Sundays through Dec. 15.

"Christmas From the Heart" 7:30 p.m., Possum Hall, 441 Old Laurel Road, Georgetown. \$24-\$25. Original Christmas revue. Also 7:30 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. Sunday, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 6, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 7 and 2 p.m. Dec. 8.

"Elf the Musical" 7 p.m., Riverfront

Theatre, 2 S. Walnut St., Milford. \$19-\$20. Based on the movie. Also 7 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. Sunday, 7 p.m. Dec. 6, 7 p.m. Dec. 7, 2 p.m. Dec. 8, 7 p.m. Dec. 13, 7 p.m. Dec. 14 and 2 p.m. Dec. 15. **"Sister's Christmas Catechism"** 8 p.m., Milton Theatre, 110 Union St., Milton.

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