

WINTERTHUR INVITES FAMILIES TO LEARN AND EXPLORE THROUGH UNIQUE PROGRAMS

Current Schedule Includes Opportunities for All Ages, Infants through Teens

Winterthur, DE— Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library welcomes guests of all ages to investigate everything it offers, with a full slate of upcoming family programs.

Terrific Tuesdays continue through August 27, as activities move outside to the award-winning Enchanted Woods. Children ages 3 to 10 and their parents will learn more about the garden and nature through crafts, themed scavenger hunts, and outdoor play. Each week features a different topic and a special take-home creation. Terrific Tuesdays take place from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. *Members free. \$5 per child with one free adult.*

Truck and Tractor Day returns October 5, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Wheel lovers of all ages are invited to celebrate the history of agriculture and horticulture at Winterthur. Explore more than 30 trucks and tractors, including farm vehicles and trucks from Winterthur's fire department. Take in the fall foliage on a hayride around the estate and get creative with farm- and tractor-related crafts in the Brown Horticulture Learning Center. Refreshments will include a barbecue and ice cream, with proceeds supporting the Winterthur Fire Company. *Members free. Included with admission.*

Squeaky Wheels is a new program for parents and their children in strollers. Join guides for fun and informative walks through the garden and galleries. Parents and toddlers spend time together and make friends with new families while learning more about the amazing collections that make Winterthur special. Squeaky Wheels takes place 10:30 to 11:30 am on the third Thursday of each month through October. *Members and children under 2, free. Included with admission.*

Tummy Time is offered on the first Friday of every month through October from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm. This drop-in program for infants and their caregivers provides an opportunity for babies to explore new things and for grown-ups to meet new people. Pick up a basket filled with items that will introduce babies to different textures, sounds, and patterns. *Members and children under 2, free. Included with admission.*

WOW! Wee Ones at Winterthur happens on the first Wednesday of each month through October. This early childhood series intended for children ages 3 to 5 incorporates active learning through music, movement, and the exploration of objects in a warm and welcoming setting. Themes relate to the museum and garden. *Members and children under 2, free. Included with admission.*

The Be Tween! Tour takes place the second Sunday of every month through October, and offers tweens, their friends, and their parents a chance to learn more about beauty, technology, arts and crafts, and interior design at Winterthur. This one hour tour explores and invites discussion about a different theme each month. *Included with admission, by request. To reserve in advance, please call 800.448.3883.*

Teen Crafternoons use museum objects as inspiration to give old craft techniques a new flair. Tools and materials are provided. *Cost and dates vary. Call 800.448.3883 to register.*

Tween/Teen Flower Design Classes give visitors the chance to learn from Winterthur's talented floral designers how to create the arrangements that decorate nearly every room of the museum. Tools and materials are provided. *Cost and dates vary. Call 800.448.3883 to register.*

Winterthur welcomes all ages to explore the events and programs we offer. For more information, visit winterthur.org/familyprograms.

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Winterthur—known worldwide for its preeminent collection of American decorative arts, naturalistic garden, and research library for the study of American art and material culture—offers a variety of tours, exhibitions, programs, and activities throughout the year. General admission includes a tour of some of the most notable spaces in the 175-room house, as well as access to the Winterthur Garden and Galleries, special exhibitions, a narrated tram tour (weather permitting), the Campbell Collection of Soup Tureens, and the Enchanted Woods children's garden. \$18 adults; \$16 for students and seniors; \$5 for ages 2–11. Tickets are valid for two consecutive days.

Museum hours

10 am–5 pm, Tuesday–Sunday

Winterthur, located on Route 52, six miles northwest of Wilmington, Delaware, and five miles south of U.S. Route 1, is closed Mondays (except during Yuletide), Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day.

Winterthur is committed to accessible programming for all. For information, including special services, call 800.448.3883, 302.888.4600, or TTY 302.888.4907, or visit winterthur.org.

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