

# “A NIGHT AT DOWNTON” COCKTAIL PARTY OFFERS A TASTE OF DOWNTON ABBEY

***Summer Cocktail Event will Feature Sumptuous Food and a Live Jazz & Swing Band***

**WINTERTHUR, DELAWARE**—Step into the world of Downton Abbey on Friday, July 25, 7:00—10:00 pm for an elegant evening of cocktails, music, and dancing. The Galleries Reception Atrium and patio will be transformed and guests will be able to travel back in time and into an era of elbow-length gloves, beaded dresses, and formal dinners.

Enjoy exquisite food and drinks, while dancing to the sounds of Downton-era jazz and swing performed by a live band. Guests will also have the opportunity to stroll the galleries of Winterthur’s landmark exhibition, *Costumes of Downton Abbey* after hours.

Costumes are optional, but guests are encouraged to bring their finest vintage styles.

*Members \$75; nonmembers \$90. Includes entrance to Costumes of Downton Abbey. Call 800.448.3883 or 302.888.4600. Reservations required.*

## **Summer Programming Highlights for Costumes of Downton Abbey**

### **Downton Afternoon Tea**

Sundays at 3:00 pm in the Visitor Center  
\$29.95 per adult. 50% off for children under 12. 10% discount for Members on up to 4 members of the party. Reservations required. Please use the OpenTable widget below or call 302.888.4826.

### **Hands on History Cart**

Saturdays, March 1, 2014–January 4, 2015, 1:00–3:00 pm

Do you have what it takes to make it as a house servant? Stop by and prove your mettle at shoe-shining, corset-lacing, table-setting, and a variety of other activities. *Members free. Included with admission.*

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Winterthur—known worldwide for its preeminent collection of American decorative arts, naturalistic gardens, 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. \$20 adults; \$18 for students and seniors; \$5 for ages 2–11.

### **Museum hours**

10:00 am- 5:00 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 on 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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