

WINTERTHUR'S MAGICAL ENCHANTED SUMMER DAY IS SATURDAY, JUNE 18!

Award-winning Children's Garden Will Feature Day of Fairies, Fun, and Fantasy

WINTERTHUR, DELAWARE—Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library will host a day of fairies, fun, and fantasy for kids during Enchanted Summer Day on Saturday, June 18, 2016. Held in Enchanted Woods, Winterthur's award-winning children's garden, Enchanted Summer Day will captivate and delight children of all ages from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Bring the family to enjoy storytellers, musicians, face painting, games, crafts, and more. The event is included with admission and free to members.

HIGHLIGHTS:

Entertainment

- Musicians Slyte of Hand perform lively Celtic music throughout the day.
- Strolling storyteller Terry Colonna regales the crowd with stories as she strolls through the woods, 11:30 am–2:30 pm.
- Meet Magic Tad as he roams through the woods and see what enchantment he has up his sleeve, 11:30 am–2:30 pm.

Crafts and Activities

- Decorate your own Swirly Thingamajigger (Ribbon Wands).
- Speedy Bird Flyers.
- Beaded Leaf Talismans.
- Decorate seed packets and make your own magic seed mix.

Games (lawn north of Enchanted Woods)

- Try your hand at the ring-toss or the Game of Graces.
- Get your face painted by one of our talented artists, and add a little magic to your smiling face (\$5 per child).

Treats

- Purchase yummy ice cream from the Woodside Farm Creamery cart or kid-friendly fare at the Cottage Café or Visitor Center Garden Café.

Explore the Museum

- Take the "Time Traveler's Tour" (recommended for children ages 4–11), Galleries Reception Desk, 12:30 pm.
- Travel back in time in the Touch-It Room, 12:30–4:30 pm.
- Check out a Preschool Pack to enhance your exploration of the 1st floor Galleries.

Connect with Us! Share your favorite photos of the day! Tag us @winterthur-muse on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram and use the SnapChat Geofilter on your photos!

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Magical moments await at Enchanted Summer Day at Winterthur. *Courtesy of Winterthur*

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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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Enter the Photo Contest

Enter your favorite digital photos from the day into the Enchanted Summer Day Photo Contest. The winner will receive a one-year Winterthur Family Membership (or renewal). All submissions will be considered for use in future Winterthur marketing and advertisements. Entries must be submitted to families@winterthur.org by July 9, 2016. The email subject line should read: ESD Photo Contest 2016. Entries must include the name, phone number and address of the person submitting them. Images must be in “.jpg” format and a minimum of 1 and 2 megabytes in size. Image file names must include the photographer’s first and last name and must be numbered if photographer is submitting more than one image. No special effects or filters may be applied. Some restrictions apply: 1) up to 5 entries per person; 2) Winterthur staff are not eligible to participate.

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For more information about Enchanted Summer Day, please visit winterthur.org.

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