

# HAVE A “WHEEL” AUTUMN ADVENTURE AT WINTERTHUR’S TRUCK AND TRACTOR DAY

*3rd Annual Fall Fest is Saturday, October 4, 2014*

**WINTERTHUR, DELAWARE—WHAT:** Children of all ages will have a “wheel” great adventure at Winterthur’s 3rd Annual Truck and Tractor Day. Join the fun and blast a fire hose, hop aboard a fire truck and try out the gear, milk a mechanical cow, enjoy the autumn landscape on a hayride, and much more.

**WHEN:** Saturday, October 4, 2014, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., rain or shine.

**WHERE:** Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library, 5105 Kennett Pike, Wilmington, Delaware 19807.

**BACKGROUND:** Thirty-plus tractors and other pieces of estate equipment, live demonstrations of a backhoe and a crane, live goats and experiential, hands-on activities are among the many attractions that will be featured outside the Brown Horticulture Learning Center at Winterthur. The event supports the Winterthur Fire company, and participants can meet and learn about the firefighters. Children are encouraged to express their creative side in a variety of crafts in the Brown Center. Look for helmets, badges, and coloring book giveaways.

The day is of particular interest to 6- to 10-year-olds, but all ages will find something to enjoy. Activities are included with general admission, and Winterthur Members are free. Ice cream and other fare will be available for purchase.

**For information, visit [winterthur.org](http://winterthur.org) or call 800.448.3883.**

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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.

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