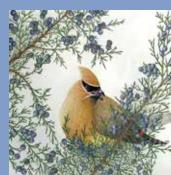
art exhibits



BOTANICAL ART LEAGUE GROUP SHOW Land as Teacher, Healer, Sustainer January 3–February 24 Reception: Saturday, January 14, 2–4 p.m.

Anna Harding, Eastern Red Cedar with a Cedar Waxwing



Discovering the Native Landscapes of Maryland's Eastern Shore March 1–April 29 Reception: Saturday, March 11, 2–4 p.m.

John Eiseman, Autumn Pond, recipient of the 2022 First Place Leon Andrus Award



ALONZO DAVIS

Navigating Climate Change Series May 3–June 30 Reception: Saturday, May 13, 2–4 p.m.



OUTDOOR SCULPTURE INVITATIONAL

June 1–September 30 Reception & guided sculpture walk: Saturday, June 3, 2–4 p.m. Mark Robarge, Chorus

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Welcome spring to the garden! Shop the region's largest selection of landscape-ready native trees, shrubs, perennials, ferns, and grasses for spring planting. Sales will be conducted online and fulfilled by timed pickup. Check our website March 2 for more details.

Yarnstorming

Exhibit: Sunday, March 5–Sunday, April 2 Reception: Sunday, March 12, 2–4 p.m.

Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Sponsored in partnership with the Fiber Arts Center of the Eastern Shore, Yarnstorming invites fiber artists to create a whimsical and exciting visual experience in the trees around the Visitor's Center. The reception includes a sweet treat and a chance to meet the artists. Advance registration is strongly encouraged for the reception.

Forest Fling

Saturday, April 22, 11 a.m.–3 p.m. (rain date April 29) \$5/person thanks to the generous support of our sponsors; ages 3 and under free

Celebrate Earth Day and Arbor Day! The whole family is invited for nature activities, live entertainment, tree yoga, nature bingo, and more. Refreshments from local food trucks will be available for purchase. Advance registration is strongly recommended; fee increases to \$10 on day of event.

Mother's Day Tea & Spring Walk

Saturday, May 6, 2–4 p.m. \$20 members/\$25 non-members We'll look for spring wildflowers along the forest paths, then return to the pavilion for a cuppa, scones, and other treats as we celebrate the wonderful women in our lives. Advance registration required.



Photo by Mike Morgan

Forest Music

Thursday, June 15, 2–4 p.m. \$10/person Innovative musicians from Chestertown's National Music Festival will present a unique performance, responding to one another's playing in a conversation that winds through the trees. Light refreshments; wine available for purchase. Advance registration strongly encouraged.

Breathing in Nature Concert

Saturday, June 17, 7–8:30 p.m. (rain date June 18) \$20 members/\$25 non-members

This outdoor performance weaves **Carrie Rose**'s solo flute with recorded and ambient sounds from nature. Featuring compositions by Rose and other composers, the program also explores the writings of environmentalist Rachel Carson. Advance registration strongly encouraged; fee increases by \$5 on day of event.

GUIDED WALKS

Advance registration for guided walks is strongly encouraged.

First Saturday Walks

January 7, February 4, March 4, April 1, May 6, June 3, July 1, August 5, September 2, October 7, November 4, December 2, 10 a.m.

Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Join a docent naturalist to explore the Arboretum's rich and unique

STEWARDSHIP

Climate Circle: A Community of Purpose Third Wednesdays, January 18–May 17, 2–4 p.m. The series is free; advance registration required Are you hungry for a deeper dialogue about the climate crisis and building a community around solutions? Facilitated by Coreen Weilminster, this series will inspire participants to trailblaze a structured support network for organizing and activating community-level solutions.

Docent Naturalist Apprenticeship Program Second Thursdays, March 9-December 14, 10 a.m.-noon Training is free; volunteer service is required outside of class time. Do you have a passion for nature and contagious enthusiasm for the outdoors? Become part of a stellar group who volunteer their time and skills by leading guided nature walks at the Arboretum. Participation in the Docent Naturalist Apprenticeship program contributes to Maryland Master Naturalist volunteer service and advanced training requirements and is a logical follow-up to the MDMN program. Contact Jenny Houghton at jhoughton@adkinsarboretum.org or 410-634-2847, ext. 230.

Parking Lot Alive! Tours

Wednesdays, May 10, July 26, & October 4, 10:30 a.m.-noon

\$10 members/\$15 non-members per tour The Parking Lot Alive! gardens have really come ALIVE since their installation in May 2019. Join Horticultural Consultant Leslie Cario to learn about plants currently in bloom and others seasonally identifiable, steps taken to maintain the gardens, and wildlife supported by these diverse plantings. Advance registration is encouraged.

What is Environmental Education? The Basics of EE and How People Learn Saturday, March 4, 10:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

\$25 members/\$40 non-members As Master Naturalists, we can help our audiences gain a better understanding of the environment and inspire them to make environmentally responsible decisions. However, our instructional choices can dictate the effectiveness of the learning experience. Liz Wist and Chandler Joiner of Maryland Coastal Bays will discuss the pillars of environmental education and explore tactics for ensuring your audience leaves with a deeper understanding. Advance registration required.

Proper Tree Planting & Pruning

in the Urban Landscape Saturday, April 1, 1–4 p.m. \$15 members/\$20 non-members Terry Bohner and Garrett Dickel of Bartlett Tree in Stevensville will address basic tree biology, how trees react to pruning cuts, how to properly plant and prune small trees and shrubs, and riskassessment techniques used to evaluate tree health and potential safety concerns. Advance registration required.

Identifying the Eastern Shore's Least Wanted Plants Sunday, April 23, 1–3 p.m.

\$15 members/\$20 non-members Join ecologist Sylvan Kaufman to learn about the Arboretum's invasive plants, how to distinguish them from local native plants, and why they cause problems in the landscape. Sylvan is co-author of Invasive Plants: Guide to Identification and the Impacts and Control of Common North American Species. Advance registration required.

Planting for & Feeding the Birds Tuesdays, March 7 & 14, 10–11:30 a.m.

\$30 members/\$45 non-members for both classes Planting a variety of trees, shrubs, fruits, and flowers is a great way to attract more and a greater variety of birds to your yard. Birding enthusiast Jim Wilson will guide you through what the birds like based on the experts and his own experience. Advance registration required.

Everything You Wanted to Know About Hummingbirds But Were Afraid to Ask Wednesday, April 5, 10–11:30 a.m.

\$15 members/\$20 non-members Hummingbirds are among the most amazing creatures in the animal kingdom. This class with birder Jim Wilson will focus on the Ruby-throated Hummingbird, the only hummer that breeds in eastern America, along with other hummers in the U.S. and elsewhere. Advance registration required.



Dragonflies & Damselflies Saturday, June 24, 10 a.m.–noon \$15 members/\$20 non-members

The Arboretum streams and wetland host a large number of dragonfly and damselfly species. They are beautiful creatures with complex behaviors, and it's all on display if you take the time to look. Join John Gillespie, a retired professor of evolution, for this program to learn about local species and see who's flying about. Advance registration required.

ARBORETUM INHABITANTS BIG & SMALL

Understanding Animal Venom (Virtual Program)

Tuesday, February 7, 1–2:30 p.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members Join biological scientist Timothy Christensen to learn about the fascinating evolutionary strategy of animal venom and clear up common misconceptions. Advance registration required to receive the Zoom link emailed prior to the class.

Bat Zen: Separating Fact from Fiction

Tuesday, March 14, 1–2:30 p.m. \$15 members/\$20 non-members March is the month that bats emerge from hibernation! This talk with Maryland DNR ecologist **Dana Limpert** will cover everything you want to know about bats in Maryland and highlight a few global species. Advance registration required.

Why Insects Are Important (Virtual Program) Friday, April 7, 1–2:30 p.m.

\$10 members/\$15 non-members Insects are all around us and are much more than the nuisance many consider them to be. Timothy Christensen will address their significance to the natural world—and to humans. Advance registration required to receive the Zoom link emailed prior to the class.

Herpetology Walk

Saturday, April 8, 1–2:30 p.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members

Join Beth Schlimm, conservation specialist for the Maryland DNR Natural Resources Heritage Program, to learn about the frogs, turtles, snakes, and salamanders that inhabit the Arboretum wetlands and forest. Advance registration encouraged.

Adkins Arboretum Stewardship programs count as continuing

ARTS & CRAFTING

Natural Dyeing with Caitlin Fisher Sunday, January 15, 1-3 p.m. Visit adkinsarboretum.org for details.

Collage at Adkins Arboretum!

Sundays, January 22, February 5 & 12, 1–3 p.m. \$65 members/\$75 non-members for the series Create nature-inspired collages from cut and torn scrap paper and upcycled junk mail in this series with artist **Diane DuBois** Mullaly. We'll make 5" x 7" collages on cardstock, greeting cards, and collages on Artist Trading Coins. No drawing skills required; all materials provided.

Pysanky: Ukrainian Egg Decorating Workshop

Saturday, April 1, noon-4 p.m. \$45 members/\$60 non-members Considered a sacred magical art, Pysanky is an ancient means to celebrate the cycles and events in nature and in life. Created using motifs rooted in nature and the cycles of life, designs are made with simple instruments called kistkas, the humble materials of beeswax and candlelight, and



intensely vibrant dyes. Instructor Coreen Weilminster has been making Pysanky for more than 30 years. Advance registration required; see online registration page for more details.

Nature Journaling

Sundays, April 2, May 7, & June 4, 1–3 p.m. \$45 members/\$55 non-members Create a personal interpretation of what you see, know, and think about nature in this series with fine artist and Maryland Master Naturalist **Diane DuBois Mullaly**. Each session includes a short talk, a demonstration, and time on the woodland paths to explore and journal what's in bloom. Advance registration required.

Plein Air Basics—Capturing an Impression of the Landscape

Sundays April 23, May 28, & June 25, 1–3:30 p.m. \$125 members/\$145 non-members

For beginning and returning artists in oil, acrylic, or gouache "En plein air" is the act of painting entire finished artworks outdoors. Learn to interpret the landscape in simple shapes that reflect the light, color, and atmosphere of the day in this series with artist Diane DuBois Mullaly. Advance registration required.

Hoesy Corona: Terrestrial Caravan Sunday, May 7, 1 p.m. Free

In dialogue with his exhibition Terrestrial Caravan, on view through August at the Academy Art Museum, Baltimore artist Hoesy Corona will present a work of performance art on the Arboretum grounds that explores climate change. The performance is presented in partnership with the Academy Art Museum. Visit adkinsarboretum.org for more details.



BOTANICAL ART PROGRAMS

Materials lists will be provided.

Exploring Colored Pencil I with Judy M. Thomas Saturday, January 28, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. & Sunday, January 29, noon-4 p.m. \$120 members/\$150 non-members Call to be added to waitlist.

TRIPS

native plant habitats, including forests, meadows, gardens, and wetlands. Tours begin at the Visitor's Center and last about an hour.

Rooted Wisdom: Nature's Role

in the Underground Railroad

Sundays, February 19, June 18, & September 17, 1–2:30 p.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members

Explore the Arboretum with a docent guide to learn how selfliberators used the natural landscape to forge a path to freedom. The experience will also explore how nature both helped and hindered the journey from season to season.

Spring Songbird Migration Walks

Saturdays, April 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29, 8–10 a.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members per walk Meet Master Naturalist and birder Jim Wilson in the parking lot to track the birds moving through the Arboretum during spring migration. This program will be held entirely outside.

Earth Day That Lasts All Year Walk

Sunday, April 16, 1–2:30 p.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members Why celebrate our beautiful "blue marble" just one day a year? Join docent naturalist **Margan Glover** to explore the wonders that are emerging this spring.

Spring Bird Migration Walk

Saturday, May 6, 8–10 a.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members Look for birds in the Arboretum's forest and meadows with Wayne Bell, a passionate birder, former director of Washington College's Center for Environment and Society, SO

and enthusiast of all things ecological.

Soup 'n Walks

11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. \$25 members / \$30 non-members

Following a guided walk with a docent naturalist, you'll return to the Visitor's Center for a delicious and nutritious lunch along with a brief talk about nutrition. Copies of recipes are provided. All gift shop purchases are 20% off on Soup 'n Walk days. Visit adkinsarboretum.org for the full schedule and menus.

Early Blooms, Songbirds, & Spring Frogs: Saturday, March 18 Spring Ephemerals & Pollinators: Saturday, April 15 Beavers, Tuckahoe Creek, & Beyond: Saturday, May 20



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UPCOMING EVENTS

BEER GARDEN Saturday, September 23, 1–4 p.m. Rain Date: September 30 \$20 members/\$25 non-members Bull and Goat Brewery, Ten Eyck Brewery, and more!

FAIRYFEST Saturday, October 7, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Rain Date: Sunday, October 8

PLEIN AIR ADKINS Saturday, November 4, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Rain or shine!

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE Saturday & Sunday, December 2 & 3

Philadelphia Flower Show: The Garden Electric! Monday, March 6, 7 a.m.–4 p.m.

\$145 members/\$180 non-members (includes transportation, driver tip, and admission)

That spark of joy that comes while giving or receiving flowers this is the moment captured by "The Garden Electric." The 2023 Flower Show brings the electrifying presence of today's most dynamic floral, garden, and landscape designers to visitors from around the world. We will be admitted to the show at 9 a.m.-a full hour before it opens to the public.

The bus departs from Aurora Park Drive in Easton at 7 a.m. with stops at Route 50 westbound/Route 404 Park & Ride at 7:20 a.m. and the 301/291 Park & Ride in Millington at 7:45 a.m.



Mt. Cuba

Mt. Cuba Thursday, May 25, 8 a.m.–5 p.m.

\$145 members/\$180 non-members (includes transportation, driver tip, admission, guided tour, and gourmet boxed lunch) Take a deep dive into the gardens and natural lands with a Mt. Cuba docent, learn about notable native plants, and receive tips on sustainable gardening practices. The bus departs from Aurora Park Drive in Easton at 8 a.m. with stops at Route 50 westbound/Route 404 Park & Ride at 8:20 a.m. and the 301/291 Park & Ride in Millington at 8:45 a.m.

Glenstone in Fall

Thursday, September 28, 8 a.m.–5 p.m. \$95 members/\$115 non-members Glenstone seamlessly integrates art, architecture, and landscape into a serene and contemplative environment with a mission of stewardship. Join us for a tour of the grounds and the new Environmental Center, lunch in the cafe, and an afternoon of exploring the grounds and galleries.



education for Master Gardeners and Maryland Master Naturalists.

FOREST BATHING

\$15 members/\$20 non-members per program Join certified nature and forest therapy guide Shelli Smith to slow down, be present, wander slowly, and deepen your relationship with the natural world. Walks will end with a tea ceremony. Advance registration required.

New Year Forest Bathing Thursday, January 5, 1–2:30 p.m.

Reconnect with yourself and nature to start the new year on the right foot.

Valentine Partner Forest Bathing

Saturday, February 11, 1–2:30 p.m. Grab a friend, partner, or loved one and experience the forest while fostering a connection to nature and each other.

Spring Awakening Forest Bathing

Wednesday, March 22, 10–11:30 a.m. Explore the new beginnings and fresh awakening of the spring season while glimpsing early spring blooms.

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Introduction to Essential Oils & Aromatherapy Saturday, February 11, 11 a.m.-noon \$15 members/\$20 non-members Each essential oil has its own story to tell. Learn the history of oils with Olga Hoffman, then make your own blend of oils to take home. Advance registration required.

Yoga in the Woods

Saturdays, April 15-May 13, 10-11:30 a.m. \$10 members/\$15 non-members per class Pairing yoga and nature is a winning combination—both have the power to revive and restore. Join Suzann Zdnowski for gentle outdoor yoga to improve focus, balance, and overall health. Advance registration encouraged.



Pear Watercolor Study

Friday, February 24, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$75 members/\$95 non-members Join Lee D'Zmura to learn basic color mixing and blending, the use of masking, and finishing details in the creation of a pear study in watercolor. Advance registration required.

Daffodils Watercolor Study

Friday & Saturday, March 24 & 25, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. \$115 members/\$145 non-members With a focus on painting daffodils, this watercolor workshop with Lee D'Zmura will introduce new techniques, including grisaille underpainting, masking, and shading yellow flowers. Participants will complete a daffodil painting. Advance registration required.

Botanical Art: Capturing the Spirit & Gesture of Spring Plants Friday, May 12, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

\$125 members/\$160 non-members Celebrate spring in this workshop with Margaret Saylor! Participants of all skill levels will develop sketches full of life and movement and finish them as either graphite, colored pencil, or watercolor botanical artworks. Advance registration required.

NUTRITIONAL THERAPY

Programs with Nutritional Therapy Practitioner Shane Brill. Advance registration required

Permanent Culture: A Spring Foraging Walk Sunday, April 30, 1-2:30 p.m.

\$20 members/\$25 non-members Take a guided tree walk to explore historical foodways and future food resources, and discover how a permaculture approach toward plant functions supports ecological stewardship, food security, and human health and vitality. Shane will also discuss cooking techniques that optimize nutrition and reduce toxins in common foods.

Permaculture & Human Nutrition

Sunday, July 9, 1–2:30 p.m. \$20 members/\$25 non-members Learn approaches to optimize our diets based on seasonal patterns to support human and environmental health, and get to know edible native plants for your home landscape.

YOUTH & FAMILY PROGRAMS

Explore the outdoors with naturalist Katey Nelson! Programs are designed for ages 8 and up; children ages 5 and older may attend with an adult. Each program is \$15 per child/no charge for adult chaperones.

Geocaching 101

Saturday, February 18, 1–2:30 p.m. Explore the Arboretum and learn how to find treasure in the woods using GPS technology. We'll also place a new cache filled with swag created during class.

Winter Forest School

Tuesdays, February 7–March 15, 1–2:30 p.m. \$90 members/\$105 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Forest schools provide a student-centered approach to learning in which children's innate curiosity and sense of wonder guide their experience. From building tree ring castles to peeking under moss in search of sleeping creatures, students will get up close to nature and learn to love chilly days.

Nature Art

Sunday, May 21, 1–2:30 p.m. Draw inspiration from nature to create beautiful works of art! Complete one or several projects using natural materials to create mudpies, fairy houses, mandalas, bracelets, or bookmarks.

Adopt a Tree

Saturday, July 15, 1–2:30 p.m. We'll identify common tree species, learn interesting tree facts, and choose lucky trees. We'll spend time with our trees, record unique observations, create bark and leaf rubbings, and even use clay to make faces for our trees!

HOMESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Wildlife Mythbusters! (Ages 6–8) Tuesdays, March 28–May 16, 1–2:30 p.m.

\$110 members/\$135 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Do opossums really hang by their tails? Do mother birds abandon babies that fall from the nest? Students will separate fact from common fiction in their understanding of the animal world, gaining



LONGWOOD HOLIDAY LIGHTS Monday, December 4

Acorn Academy Nature Preschool Tuesdays, March 28-May 16, 10-11:15 a.m.

\$100 members/\$125 non-members. Thanks to a generous grant from the PNC Foundation, fees are waived for Caroline County residents. Welcome spring with your preschooler! Open to children ages 3 to 5, this series includes nature walks, stories, songs, snacks, and an art project to take home. Nature preschool helps children learn socialization skills while they explore the wonders of the great outdoors. Advance registration required.

SUMMER NATURE CAMPS

insight through hands-on exploration of the Arboretum's habitats. Advance registration required.

Creek Freaks (Ages 10–12) Tuesdays, March 28–May 16, 1–2:30 p.m. \$110 members/\$135 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) What's a riparian buffer zone? What's the relationship between precipitation, runoff, and aquatic habitats? Homeschoolers will explore the fascinating world of water through field studies of the Arboretum's wetland and stream. Advance registration required.

Descriptions and registration will be online by mid-February. Dates: Camp Pollywog (ages 4–6): June 19–23. Camp Egret (ages 10–12): June 26–30. Camp Paw Paw (ages 7–9): July 10–14. Camp Bumblebee (ages 2–3): July 17–21. Camp Turtle (ages 4–6): July 24–28.