



TOWER HILL BOTONICAL GARDEN

Wednesday, April 30, 2014



EVENT: Tower Hill Botanic Garden is a year-round display of the finest plants for cultivation in central Massachusetts, with appeal for the amateur and professional gardener as well as the general public. Carefully planned gardens and trails enhance the natural features of this beautiful 132-acre property. Enjoy outstanding collections of ornamental, edible and native plants that thrive in our climate. Emphasis is on ease of care and extended season of interest. Come viisit a living museum of plants, a garden paradise on 132 acres in Boylston, Massachusetts. As New England's year-round botanic garden, we hope to engage you in our life-long passion for growing plants for their ornamental, economic, and ecologic value. Indeed, plants provide all the air we breathe, and all the food we eat. At Tower Hill, you will find one of the finest collections of woody and herbaceous plants, both native and exotic, hardy and non-hardy. Present features include the Entry Garden and Court, Lawn Garden, Secret Garden, Cottage and Vegetable Gardens, Inner Park, Limonaia, Orangerie, Systematic Garden, Winter Garden, Frank L. Harrington Orchard, and Wildlife Garden and Refuge Pond. The Belvedere provides a spectacular overlook of Mount Wachusett and the Wachusett Reservoir along a one-mile Loop Trail that circles through 132 acres of natural beauty. The more adventurous may continue north along the trail to the top of Tower Hill, named for the survey tower erected there when the Reservoir was built at the turn of the century.

Lunch will be onsite at Twigs Café (on site). Twigs Café serves an inventive menu of salads, soups, gourmet sandwiches made fresh daily and delectable desserts

DATE: The date selected is Wednesday, April 30, 2014. We will depart the Exeter Recreation Center parking lot at 9:00am and will be returning to Exeter approximately 3:30pm.

COST: The cost of the tour includes Admission & transportation in the Recreation Department Van.

RESIDENTS / NON-RESIDENTS	Trip Code
\$20.00 pp	252315-1A

DEADLINE: The deadline to register is Friday, April 11, 2014, or once the van is sold out.

Note: We need a minimum of 7 people registered. Max of 13 people.

GUIDELINES: Registrants must sit in the same seat(s) on the return trip as they sat in on the first part of the trip. **If** you have a need requiring you to sit in a particular area, please let the Recreation Office know when you register for the trip. The staff will relay to the trip escort that he/she needs to be sure you get the necessary seat. **Parents** are expected to have complete control of their children at all times throughout the trip.

Exeter Parks & Recreation Department sponsored trips are designed to provide members of the Exeter Community - families, friends, and individuals alike - with safe, relaxing and enjoyable sports and entertainment experiences. To ensure these goals, the Exeter Parks and Recreation Department has established a policy of prohibiting the possession and use of alcohol and other drugs while on board. In addition, for the health and comfort of all travelers, smoking (in any form) is also prohibited. Your cooperation in adhering to these policies is greatly appreciated. **PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO THE EXETER RECREATION DEPARTMENT. SORRY, NO REFUNDS UNLESS THE EVENT IS CANCELLED BY VENUE. THERE WILL BE A \$20 FEE CHARGED FOR EACH BANK RETURNED CHECK.**

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