GUIDED TOURS
AT DENVER BOTANIC GARDENS
APRIL – SEPTEMBER 2019

STAFF-LED TOURS:
Prices: $17, $15 member, $13 student
Curator Conversations:
Human | Nature
May 2, June 13, July 11, August 8 and September 5 9:30 a.m.
Stroll through the Gardens with a curator to hear an insider perspective of the Human | Nature sculpture exhibition featuring sculpture by artists from around the world.

Garden Guru
Explore Denver Botanic Gardens’ living museum in the company of an expert horticulturist who will share his or her wealth of knowledge about plants and gardening in Colorado.

Bulbs
April 26, 2 p.m.
Sonya Anderson,
Horticulture Specialist,
Plant Select®/Pollinator Gardens

Hardy Cacti
June 3, 10 a.m.
Nick Daniel,
Horticulture Specialist,
Cactus and Succulent Collection

Medicinal Plants
July 25, 9:30 a.m.
Blake Burger,
Specialty Horticulturist

Bonsai
September 5, 11 a.m.
Larry Jackel,
Bonsai Specialist

DOCENT-LED TOURS:
Prices: $14, $12 member, $10 student
Human | Nature
Multiple weekly tours from April 19 – September 15 Learn more about the Human | Nature outdoor art exhibition during a one-hour tour.

Midsummer Nights
June 20, 22, 23, 29, 30 and July 5, 6, at 6 p.m.
Come enjoy a Shakespeare-inspired summer stroll infused with poetry and plants.

Seasonal Discoveries
Select Saturdays, 2 p.m.
Botanical treasures await your discovery with these guided tours of gardens at their seasonal peaks, whether the delightful new blossoms of spring or the crackling beauty of fall.

A Walk Through Thyme
April 21 at 3 p.m., May 16, August 22 and September 19, 6 p.m.
Step back in time with plant stories that take you on a voyage from early American life on the plains to today.

Contact us at info@botanicgardens.org or 720-865-3500
10th & York Street | botanicgardens.org

INFORMATION & POLICIES
Visit botanicgardens.org/tours for more details and to register for tours. Tour rates are per person and include general admission. Tours are approximately one hour long.

GROUP RESERVATIONS
For groups of 10 or more, contact us to schedule a private tour. We can accommodate groups with specific language or other needs with sufficient notice.
ACCESS & CHECK-IN

- When you arrive at the York Street site, enter through the Bonfils-Stanton Visitor Center (1007 York St., Denver, CO, 80206) for check-in and then meet the tour guide in the lobby of the Boettcher Memorial Center.
- Bring your booking confirmation (either on your phone or a printed copy) with you to speed up the check-in process.
- Check-in for tours begins 15 minutes before the scheduled tour time and ends 5 minutes after the tour start time.

CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICY

- Cancellations more than one business week prior to a tour are subject to a 15% cancellation fee. Cancellations less than one business week prior to a tour are non-refundable.
- To modify your reservation, contact us at 720-865-3539 or tours@botanicgardens.org at least one week prior to the tour date.

LOGISTICS

- Unless otherwise specified, tours are approximately 60 minutes.
- Depending on the tour, the experience can be outdoors, indoors or a combination of both. Dress appropriately for the weather.
- Wear comfortable clothes and shoes; bring sunglasses, sunscreen and a bottle of water.
- Be prepared to walk and stand.
- Please contact us ahead of time if you need accommodations due to any mobility limitations or other special needs.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

Call the weather advisory recording at 720-865-3620 to find out if there are cancellations or schedule changes.

LOCATION, DIRECTIONS & TRANSPORTATION

Denver Botanic Gardens is located five minutes east of downtown Denver and is accessible by major RTD bus routes. From north or south Denver, take route #24 (York and Josephine Streets). From east or west Denver, take #10 (12th Avenue).

- Free parking is available in the parking structure located between York Street and Josephine Street, just east of the Gardens’ main entrance.
- Buses should stop in the cutout on the west (right) side of York Street to unload passengers.
- Bike parking is available just south of the Bonfils-Stanton Visitor Center.

REGISTRATION & INQUIRIES

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- Private group tours require a non-refundable deposit (15% of your total cost) at the time of reservation, and the balance is due five business days before the tour.
- Private groups must confirm the final number of participants five business days before the tour program upon final payment. No refunds for no-shows will be provided.

WAIVER & RELEASE

Denver Botanic Gardens is not responsible for any injury or accident that may occur during my participation in any registered tour program. I understand by registering for and attending this tour program that I assume full responsibility for any injury or accident that may occur during my participation in this program or while on the premises of this program, and I hereby release and hold harmless and covenant not to file suit against Denver Botanic Gardens, employees and any affiliated individuals (“releasees”) associated with the program from any loss, liability or claims I may have arising out of my participation, including personal injury or damage suffered by me or others, whether caused by falls, contact with participants, the use of tools or materials, conditions of the facility, negligence of the releasees or otherwise. If I do not provide proof of registration, I understand that I am not allowed to participate and must leave the tour without receiving a program refund.