

Welcome Summer at Wave Hill

Open year-round, this spectacular oasis and cultural center overlooks the Hudson River and Palisades. Wave Hill's mission is to celebrate the artistry and legacy of its gardens and landscapes, to preserve its magnificent views and to explore human connections to the natural world through programs in horticulture, education and the arts.

Perkins Visitor Center & The Shop

Plan your visit and register for programs. Become a Member. And visit The Shop at Wave Hill for a unique selection of gifts reflecting our mission.

Explore Summer Gardens

A Wave Hill summer is lush and relaxing. Explore 28 acres of gardens and woodlands rich in plant diversity or find a quiet nook to enjoy the ambiance. Discover a release from the city's heat alongside tropical flowers, amongst flowing grasses or under the wide shadows cast by one of Wave Hill's great trees. To learn more, join a free Garden Highlights Walk on Sundays at 1PM.

2 HERBERT & HYONJA ABRONS WOODLAND

A 1/2-mile trail ambles along eight acres of second-growth forest and meadow.

5 PERGOLA OVERLOOK

This Italianate structure frames the views of the Hudson River and the Palisades beyond. Tropical and annual plants fill the surrounding planting beds with colorful flowers and foliage.

6 FLOWER GARDEN

This English cottage-style garden includes a series of eight central beds, each highlighting a specific color hue. Find unique cultivars of familiar plants like peony, clematis and salvia.

8 SILVER BED

An area stretching along the greenhouse foundation featuring plants with silver foliage.

9 PAISLEY BED

A seasonal bed shaped like the paisley pattern. Once the ground is cleared in early summer, a selection of warm-season plants is installed, creating a dramatic display which often lasts until the first frosts.

11 HERB GARDEN, 12 DRY GARDEN

Nestled in the stone foundations of a former greenhouse, these

Wave Hill House & Café

Wave Hill House is the hub for public programs indoors, including the Family Art Project. Photography exhibition *Nature Finds a Way* on view.

Glyndor Gallery

The group exhibition *Perfect Trouble: Queering Natureculture* and solo shows in the Sunroom Project Space are on view through August 11. New exhibitions open August 24.

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terraced gardens feature herbs, vegetables and ornamental plants from warmer regions of the world.

13 T.H. EVERETT ALPINE HOUSE, TERRACE & WALL

Diminutive rock garden plants grow in pots, troughs, cracks and crevices.

16 WILD GARDEN

This hillside garden offers narrow paths to meander through beds that achieve a planted-by-nature effect.

17 AQUATIC GARDEN

Simplistic geometry and tranquility meet in this garden. Framed by neatly trimmed hedges and pergolas, a reflective pool features aquatic plants that create a friendly environment for resident fish, frogs and dragonflies.

18 MONOCOT GARDEN

A display of fast-growing plants, including grasses, lilies and bananas.

19 SHADE BORDER

This intimate woodland-setting is filled with native and Asian species that favor low light. Ferns and other foliage plants create a tapestry of texture.

22 KATE FRENCH TERRACE

Memorable displays of annuals paired with plants from our Tropical House collection.

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Visitor Map & Guide

June – August, 2024



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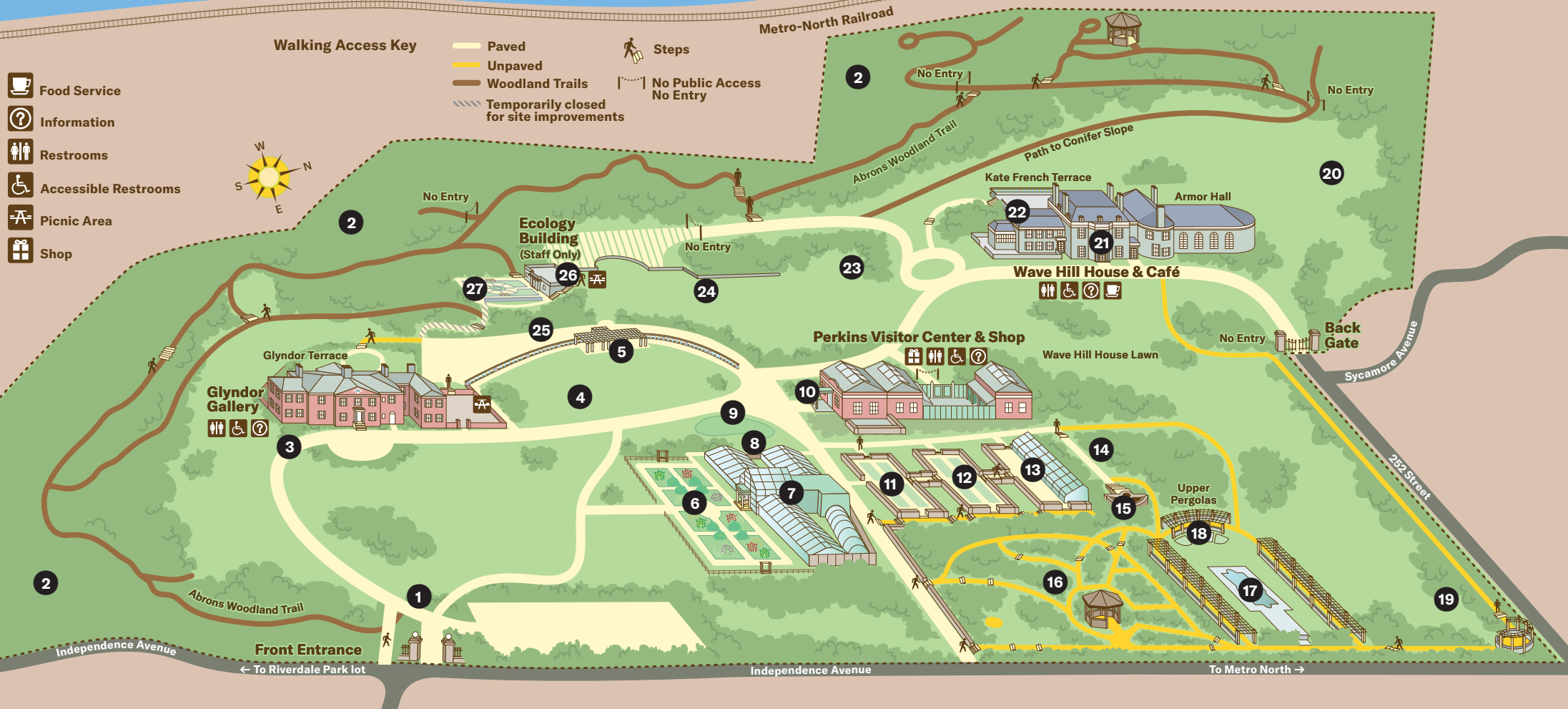
Tuesday–Sunday

10:00AM – 4:30PM Nov 1 – Mar 14

10:00AM – 5:30PM Mar 15 – Oct 31



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- 1 Entrance Garden
- 2 Herbert & Hyonja Abrons Woodland
- 3 Glyndor Gallery
- 4 Great Lawn
- 5 Pergola Overlook
- 6 Flower Garden
- 7 Marco Polo Stufano Conservatory
Palm House, Tropical House and Cactus & Succulent House
- 8 Silver Bed
- 9 Paisley Bed
- 10 Perkins Visitor Center & Shop

- 11 Herb Garden
- 12 Dry Garden
- 13 T.H. Everett Alpine House, Terrace & Wall
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- 19 Shade Border
- 20 Conifer Slope
- 21 Wave Hill House & Café

- 22 Kate French Terrace
- 23 Winter Border
- 24 Lower Lawn
- 25 Lower Perennial Border
- 26 Ecology Building
- 27 Elliptical Garden

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