



It has come to our attention that some of our subscribers did not receive the November email newsletter at the beginning of the month when we originally sent it out. Our apologies for the delay.

November in the Garden

Rhododendrons are generally known for their flowers, but recognizing and celebrating them for their foliage is sometimes a better bet; flowers seldom last more than a few weeks, while leaves can often go on for years. There are plenty of species in the Botanical Garden that display interesting leaves. Change with the seasons and deciduous rhododendrons are an obvious way to recognize this dynamic element.

[Read more](#)

Events

Note: Wreath workshops fill quickly each year so register early to avoid disappointment.



Adult Wreath Workshop

Saturday December 1, 2018

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

\$60.00: Garden members, UBC students, staff, faculty & UNA

\$65.00: General public

Taxes included, plus Eventbrite fees.

Guided by the talented and experienced Friends of the Garden (FOGS) and inspired by the UBC Botanical Garden's natural treasures, you will learn tips and techniques for making your very own natural holiday creation. Participants will leave with their own beautifully handmade wreath to decorate their door or to gift to a friend. Additional wreaths are for sale at our Shop in the Garden during the holiday season.

[Register](#)



Kids Wreath Workshop

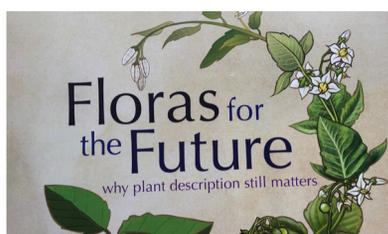
Saturday December 8, 2018

9:30 am - 12:00 pm

\$40 per child (suggested ages 6-12), adult chaperones are free (limit of 1 chaperone per child). Cost is taxes included, plus Eventbrite fees.

This festive workshop is designed for children ages 6-12 to learn how to make their own festive wreaths using plant materials from the Garden. The 2.5-hour workshop will guide children to build a wreath for your door or table. Also included in the workshop is a walking tour in the Garden, highlighting the plants featured in our wreaths. Additional wreaths are for sale at our Shop in the Garden during the holiday season.

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Floras for the Future:

Why Plant Description Still Matters

Tuesday November 6 2018

8:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Organized by The Beaty Biodiversity Museum in the UBC Faculty of Science

Free

Exploration of plant diversity has been going on since humans first walked the Earth – so surely we must be done by now. Why should we describe the plant life of a country and write a flora, rather than investigating the deep structure of the tree of life, or addressing immediate societal problems such as war or hunger? In this lecture, Dr. Sandra Knapp will argue that the description of plant life on Earth is the basis for plant science and thus essential and always relevant for its advancement.

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Highlights



New Research

A new paper has been published on the role that botanical gardens play in contributing to sustainability education.

[Read more](#)



Meet our Staff

As a curator and horticulturist at UBC Botanical Garden, Ben Stormes co-hosted an APGA Symposium on Oct. 16 & 17.

[Read more](#)

Operational Update - off-season hours

We have shifted to off-season hours of operation as of November 1st. The Greenheart TreeWalk is closed and will reopen on April 1st. Nitobe Memorial Garden is operating on a reduced schedule Monday - Friday.

For complete details, see [Hours & Directions](#) on our website.



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