



UBC Botanical Garden



Osmanthus suaveolens

December 2019 in the Garden

This time of year is sometimes considered perilous in the garden. Obviously, there's the potential for ice and snow, and the danger those pose to pedestrians and to brittle-branched, broadleaved evergreens like *Magnolia grandiflora*, but the greater shame, it seems to me, is the attitude that the garden is not worth visiting in the winter. And considering that we might suffer a significant freeze and miss out on the amazing array of winter flowers—note that a number of camellias, winter viburnums, mahonias and confused rhododendrons are in bloom as I write—the winter chill brings out another dimension in the garden we should consider. And that is the importance of broadleaved evergreens to the garden structure.

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Members' Sale



Members' Sale in the Shop in the Garden

December 4 and December 7, 2019

Don't miss this annual event exclusively for members of UBC Botanical Garden, UNA residents, UBC students, faculty and staff (with valid ID).

Get 25% off most regularly priced merchandise* from the Shop in the Garden. Books are 10% off.

*regular-priced items except for fresh foliage décor, wreaths, door swags and books.

Shop hours: 10:00 am - 4:30 pm. Refreshments will be served.

Not a member? If you are not a member yet or need to renew you can do so in the Shop in the Garden and take advantage of the discounts during the sale. You can also purchase or renew your membership [online](#).

[Learn more](#)



Annual Wreath Sale

Wreaths and fresh foliage décor now available!

November 26 to December 10, 2019*

Find the perfect natural decoration for your window, door or dining room table. Handcrafted by the talented Friends of the Garden, each wreath is uniquely made using beautiful foliage collected from the Garden and other sources.

Available in [Shop in the Garden](#) *while supplies last.

Shop hours: 10 am - 4:30 pm.

[Learn more](#)

Upcoming Events



Celeste Snowber in the Garden

Saturday, January 25, 2020

Experience the Garden through poetry and performance in the new year with artist and educator, Celeste Snowber.

[Register](#)



Christmas Tree Recycling

December 26 - January 8

10 am - 4:30 pm

Recycle your Christmas tree with us! Drop off your tree at UBC Botanical Garden (please remove all decorations and tinsel first).

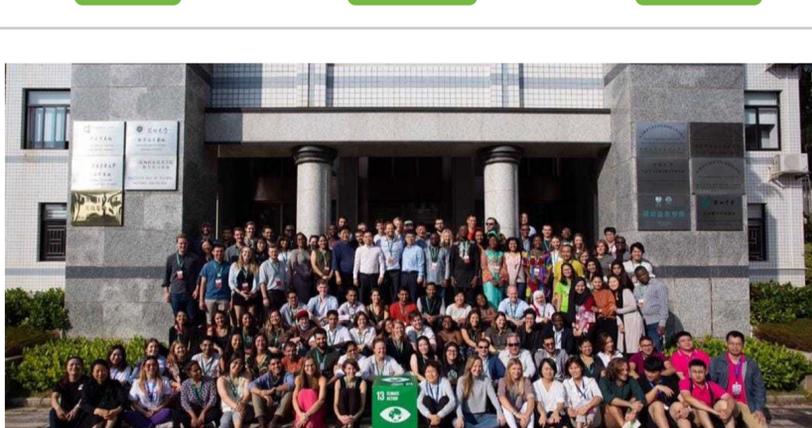
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Collecting the "Impossible Moss"

Learn more about how a BC plant species are contributing to a global project to chart a billion years of plant evolution.

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2019 UNLEASH Reflections: Growing Global Goals Through Youth Leadership

UBC Botanical Garden's Dr. Tara Moreau and graduate student Andrea Byfuglien had the privilege of participating at UNLEASH in November 2019 to work towards solutions for UN-SDG Goal 13 - Climate Action.

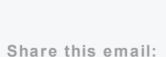
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