

Programs at the John P. Humes Japanese Stroll Garden

Hours of Operation:

May - October

Saturdays: 10:00 am to 2:00 pm and Sundays: 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Opening Day

Saturday, May 6th, 10:00 am

Celebrate the opening of the Garden with Shakuhachi music and Japanese refreshments.

Shakuhachi Music

Saturdays, June 10th, July 8th, August 12th, September 9th and October 14th, 11:00 am

Led by Daniel Nyohaku Soergel
Enjoy the soothing sounds of the Japanese bamboo flute.

Japanese Tea Ceremony

Saturday, June 3rd, 3:30 pm

Led by Omotesenke Domonkai, Eastern Region, USA

Omotesenke is one of the schools of the Japanese tea ceremony. It has a 450-year history and 60,000 members in Japan and the Eastern Region here was founded in 2010 in New York. Keiko Kitazawa, Secretary General of the Eastern Region, will provide today's tea ceremony demonstration. Free for the Friends of the the John P. Humes Japanese Stroll Garden.

Bonsai Exhibit

Saturday, August 5th, 10:00 am

Sunday, August 6th, 1:00 pm

Led by Hal Johnson,
Long Island Bonsai Society
Learn this century-old craft of growing and styling miniature trees in containers.

A Walk and Japanese Stories

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Led by Karen De Mauro, Storyteller
Walk through the Garden accompanied by Japanese stories, inspiring anecdotes, a group Haiku gathering and reflective moments.

Japanese Tea Ceremony

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For additional programs and event details, register or join our friends group, visit www.northshorelandalliance.org/humes-stroll-garden-events or contact Jane Jackson at jjackson@northshorelandalliance.org or 516-922-1028.



Other Cool Things to Do Outside

Paddle Cold Spring Harbor

Wednesday, July 12th, 5:30 pm

Shore Road Sanctuary, Cold Spring Harbor

Led by Peter Martin and Don Niddrie

Enjoy a beautiful summer evening on the water with our knowledgeable and friendly leaders.

Paddle Oyster Bay Harbor

Saturday, September 9th, 2:00 pm

Centre Island Beach, Bayville

Led by Peter Martin

Paddle within the protected waters of Oyster Bay Harbor off Long Island Sound and explore the Oyster Bay National Wildlife Refuge.

Registration required!

Participants are invited to use their own equipment or we can arrange a rental for you. Fees: \$50 (single) or \$75 (double)
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Walks in the Woods

Join us for our guided nature walks led by local experts. Explore some of Long Island's most treasured places (many of which are off the beaten path) to learn about the wildlife and plants that live there.

You'll also gain an understanding and appreciation of our local land conservation efforts and how they benefit our food and water supply, wildlife habitat and the health of our communities.

Saturday, January 21st, 11:00 am Sisters of St. Joseph, Brentwood

Led by Abby Bezruczyk, Bill Jacobs and Melody Penny
Join the Long Island Invasive Species Management area to learn about winter tree and shrub identification as we explore the diversity of both native and invasive plants along the property's cosmic trail.

Sunday, February 19th, 2:30 pm Shore Road Sanctuary, Cold Spring Harbor

Led by Gwen Ugan
Don your citizen scientist hat and join Gwen the weekend of the Great Backyard Bird Count to survey winter waterfowl in Cold Spring Harbor.

Saturday, March 25th, 11:00 am Matheson Meadows, Lloyd Neck

Led by Richard Weir and Lisa de Guzman
Visit Matheson Meadows with a dynamic duo when you will find egg cases – first discovered here by Lisa - for an insect unusual in these parts. Richard, a marvelous teacher and expert horticulturist, will enlighten you about the Meadows' diverse plant community.

Saturday, April 29th, 9:30 am Williams Preserve, Lattingtown

Led by Peter Meleady and Jane Jackson
Peter and Jane will lead a tour of our newest preserve – a charming 4.5-acre property consisting of mature native trees, emerging meadow and freshwater pond – and discussion of habitat restoration underway.

Saturday, May 13th, 9:00 am Sound View Dunes Park, Southold

Led by John Turner
Explore Sound View Dunes Park's 57 acres of beach, dune, wetland and forest habitats with one of Long Island's most loved and respected naturalists. The focus will be on birds during their spring migration.

Friday, June 16th, 6:00 pm Hofstra Arboretum, Hempstead

Led by Mike Runkel
Explore Hofstra University's plant communities as Mike discusses how a warming climate plays into decisions about shifts in heat hardiness zones and what species to plant here on Long Island.

Thursday, June 29th, 6:00 pm Youngs Farm, Old Brookville

Led by Tim Dooley
Tim will lead us on a tour of one of Nassau County's most treasured family farms.

Saturday, July 15th, 10:00 am Quogue Wildlife Refuge, Quogue

Led by Matt Kaelin
Quogue Wildlife Refuge is home to all three types of carnivorous plants found on Long Island. Matt will introduce us to these and other curious species with a presentation on carnivorous plants and their habitats and a tour of the bog at the Refuge.

Saturday, August 5th, 10:00 am Hallock State Park, Riverhead

Led by MaryLaura Lamont, in partnership with Long Island Botanical Society
MaryLaura will introduce us to the 18 species, some now rare, of native Long Island wildflowers planted in Hallock's garden. They all attract a huge variety of pollinating bees, butterflies and other insects. We will then stroll to the Sound for a look at beach and cliff plants. \$8.00 parking fee.

Tuesday, August 29th, 7:00 pm Humes Preserve, Mill Neck

Led by Peter Martin
When the full moon is upon us, Peter will lead an exploration across Humes's meadow when we may find migrating birds, crepuscular and nocturnal mammals and who knows what else?

Saturday, September 23rd, 6:00 pm Wawapek, Cold Spring Harbor

Led by Meghan Leverock
Meghan, who manages the property, will tour its habitat restoration area and formal garden and then lead us through the preserve's woodland. The tour will end at our newly installed Ralf Lange Garden and restored greenhouse.

Saturday, October 7th, 9:00 am Laurel Hill Farms, Cove Neck

Led by Enrico Nardone, in partnership with Seatuck Environmental Association
Join Seatuck's Enrico (and friends!) for a walk at Laurel Hill Farms, which includes some of the best North Shore deciduous forest in Nassau County. The changing foliage of early autumn and the fall bird migration should provide plenty of interest, and the topography will ensure some exercise!

Saturday, November 18th, 11:00 am Muttontown Preserve, East Norwich

Led by Glen Malings
Orienteering is like a treasure hunt in the woods using a map to find controls (box shaped flags) hanging from trees. We'll give instruction and then you can go out alone or with friends. The course should take about an hour, if you don't get lost.