



Franklin Park Conservatory
and Botanical Gardens

WINTER AT THE CONSERVATORY

We're excited to welcome our community to a brand new year at Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens!

Shake off winter's chill during your experience with the Conservatory. This season, visitors of all interests can partake in horticulture from around the world, imaginative exhibitions and learning opportunities.

This brochure highlights what's happening at the Conservatory from January through March.

For more information, please visit:
fpconservatory.org/winter-brochure



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“My favorite Conservatory memory is bringing my grandkids. They love seeing the koi and waterfall!”

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO



The Conservatory's vision is a world that celebrates nature as essential to the human experience, and the pandemic has only heightened that purpose.

The Conservatory will monitor the situation as it changes. The policies below are in effect as of January; however, we ask all visitors to check our website for the most up to date health and safety policies.

- 🌿 **VISITING:** If you are experiencing Covid-19 symptoms, please visit at a later date.

- 🌿 **TICKETING:** Reserving tickets in advance ensures the easiest check-in experience and guarantees you are able to visit during your preferred date and time.
 - Please note that Members at the Patron, Benefactor and Monarch levels never need to reserve tickets in advance.

- 🌿 **FACE COVERINGS:** The City of Columbus mandates all guests must wear face coverings while indoors, regardless of vaccination status.

- 🌿 **SANITIZATION:** Thorough sanitization procedures and air purification systems are utilized. Hand sanitizer stations are available throughout the facility.

- 🌿 **CAPACITY:** The facility's capacity limit has been adjusted and one-way traffic restrictions have been lifted.

Thank you to all of our guests for your cooperation. It is only with your continued support that we can remain a safe place to visit.

THANK YOU FOR KEEPING THE CONSERVATORY SAFE!

ORCHIDS

JANUARY 22–MARCH 6, 2022

Thousands of vibrant orchids will blanket the Dorothy M. Davis Showhouse this winter! The orchids are presented in striking color combinations, creating a bright and uplifting tropical escape.

This year's exhibition will also feature *Orchids in Captivity* a series of 10 paintings by local artist Robert Falcone. He was inspired to create the series after seeing the 2021 *Orchids* exhibition.

BRAND NEW EXHIBITION!

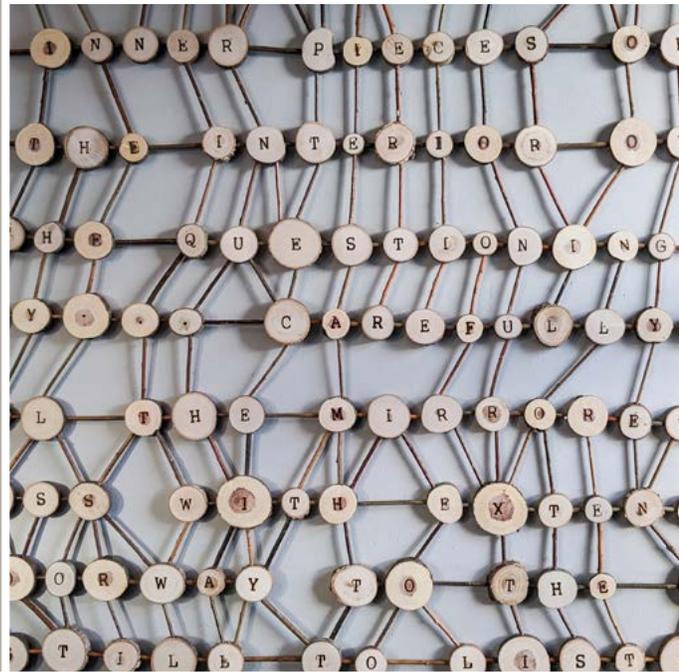
SPOKE: THE VISUAL POETRY & ENVIRONMENTAL ART OF ARTIST OLGA ZIEMSKA

JANUARY 22–MAY 30, 2022

Wall-hung sculptures made from natural materials and chromogenic prints of environmental art by sculptor and public artist Olga Ziemka will be exhibited in the Cardinal Health Gallery.

The body of work exhibited explores the connection between language, poetry, art, nature and the human experience.

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Matrix 01, 2021 © Olga Ziemka, Photo courtesy of the artist

ON VIEW AT THE CONSERVATORY

BLOOMS & BUTTERFLIES

FEBRUARY 26–MAY 30, 2022

Stroll amid hundreds of colorful butterflies from around the world flying freely in the Pacific Island Water Garden, a warm tropical haven filled with bright nectar blooms. This immersive exhibition is one of the most popular times of year for visitors!

🦋 Watch as new butterflies emerge from their chrysalises daily at the Metamorphosis Lab in the Grand Atrium. Additionally, purchase Painted Lady larvae at Botanica Gift Shop & Greenhouse to watch the metamorphosis process up close.





COMING THIS SPRING: *COLUMBUS BLOOMS*

APRIL 1–30, 2022

A dazzling celebration of spring! More than 100,000 tulips, narcissus and other stars of the season bloom throughout the gardens and container displays.

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A \$1 donation helps us plant 1 bulb for *Columbus Blooms*. Just \$3 can help families who participate in SNAP, WIC, EBT or Medicaid experience the exhibition. Give today at fpcconservatory.org/giving

COMING UP AT THE CONSERVATORY



CHIHULY COLLECTION

ON PERMANENT DISPLAY

The Conservatory's Chihuly Collection, the largest permanent collection in a botanical garden, remains on view daily. Eighteen installations of stunning glass art are displayed throughout the interior Conservatory.

SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT: CHIHULY NIGHTS

JANUARY 22, FEBRUARY 11, 12, 14, MARCH 12, APRIL 9,
MAY 14, JUNE 18, JULY 9, SEPTEMBER 10 & OCTOBER 8

See the Collection in a whole new light! It will be illuminated on select evenings from 7–10pm! Special engagement tickets are required.

BOTANICA GIFT SHOP & GREENHOUSE

Bring this season's exhibitions home with you, pick up a beautiful orchid, a piece of local art, or something butterfly-themed.

ORCHIDS SALE | January 22 & 23

20% off all orchids, orchid pottery, books and supplies

JEWELRY SALE | February 5 & 6

20% off all jewelry

VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL | February 14

20% off all blooming plants

BLOOMS & BUTTERFLIES SPECIAL | February 26

20% off all blooming bulb plants and all Insectlore children's merchandise



VOLUNTEERING

614.715.8098 | VOLUNTEERS@FPCONSERVATORY.ORG

Supporting the Conservatory as a volunteer will warm your heart this winter. Opportunities are available all year throughout the organization with the Visitor Experience, Horticulture, Exhibitions and Education departments.

To get started, fill out the application on our website or contact us for information about available opportunities: fpconservatory.org/volunteer.

"I see the Conservatory as a great place to play in, learn, and grow as a caretaker of the plants and trees."

-Conservatory Volunteer, Beverly McNeal



HOST YOUR EVENT AT THE CONSERVATORY

EVENT SALES | 614.715.8100 | EVENTSALES@FPCONSERVATORY.ORG

Host a meaningful wedding ceremony at the Conservatory. The botanical gardens are a lovely setting to celebrate with close family and friends all year long.

Make it destination style in the lush Palm House or cozy and rustic in the Wells Barn. Your dream celebration can be a reality at one of our many venues.

To learn more, visit: fpconservatory.org/host-an-event

"Franklin Park Conservatory was an amazing venue, as the team provided an exceptional level of service and attention to detail to make sure our special day was more elegant and memorable than we could ever have imagined."

-Alessandro





A COMMUNITY SUPPORTED NONPROFIT **FPCONSERVATORY.ORG/GIVING**

You know the feeling in a garden when you can relax your shoulders, unclench your jaw, and take a deep breath of fresh air? Studies back up that feeling of respite! Spending time in nature is proven to have physical and mental health benefits. As a nonprofit, we are proud to provide this feeling to our community—and we rely on the generosity of our community to make access possible. Please consider investing in our mission to connect our community with the positive effects of nature. Make a gift today!

TAKE A CLASS WITH THE CONSERVATORY



Classes can help you achieve your goals for the new year!

Find one that inspires you, whether you're spending more time in nature, changing how you cook or practicing expressing yourself creatively.

The Conservatory regularly offers a variety of classes focused on horticulture and gardening, fine arts & crafts, and food & drinks. All classes are taught by Conservatory educators and experts from the community.

- 🍷 **THE SUSTAINABLE KITCHEN: GLAZED SALMON** | Thursday, February 24, 6–8pm
- 🍷 **TERRARIUM** | Saturday, March 5, 1–3pm
- 🍷 **40 YEARS OF 'CHEFS IN THE CITY'** | Tuesday, March 8, 6–9pm
- 🍷 **PAINT & SIP: ABSTRACT LANDSCAPE** | Wednesday, March 9, 6–9pm
- 🍷 **POTTED PAPER ORCHID** | Sunday, March 27, 2–3pm
- 🍷 **THE SUSTAINABLE KITCHEN: ALMOND CAKES** | Thursday, March 31, 6–8pm
- 🍷 **EARLY SPRING FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS** | Thursday, April 7, 6:30–8pm
- 🍷 **NEEDLE FELTED SPRING LANDSCAPE** | Saturday, April 16, 1–3pm

A full list of classes can be found on our calendar:

fpcconservatory.org/calendar

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