

Wave Hill Spring Calendar: March, April, May 2007*Unless otherwise indicated, events are free. Rain or shine.***ONGOING PROGRAMS****TAI CHI CHUAN**Saturdays, 10AM Beginners, 11AM Intermediates. No session May 26.
\$10 / \$7 Member**GARDEN & CONSERVATORY TOURS**

Sundays, 2:15PM. MEET AT PERKINS VISITOR CENTER

WOODLAND & COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING

Saturdays, 1–4PM, March 31–May 19, VARIOUS LOCATIONS

EXHIBITIONS***Emily Dickinson***March 3–May 25, 2007. Opening Reception: April 15, 1-4:30PM
GLYNDOR GALLERYThis exhibition brings together nine contemporary artists who have been drawn to Emily Dickinson's observations about nature through her writing. **Francis Cape, Lesley Dill, Peter Edlund, Valerie Hammond, Brece Honeycutt, Stacy Levy, Miranda Mayer, Meridith McNeal, Eileen Neff, Marina Zurkow.****Peter D. Gerakaris**March 3–April 15, 2007
GLYNDOR SUNROOM

Through use of painted window gels, daylight and painted canvas, Gerakaris explores the relationship between light and color, and the rhythmic patterns created throughout the room.

Pedro Cruz-Castro, *Reclamation*April 20–May 25, 2007
GLYNDOR SUNROOM

Two wood sculptures, in the form of furniture, act as a metaphor for the interaction between the natural and man-made environments.

MARCH

glory-of-the-snow, hellebores, South African bulbs

SAT, MARCH 3**MEET THE ARTIST****Peter D. Gerakaris** greets visitors and talks about his new installation launching the Glyndor Sunroom Project series.**GLYNDOR SUNROOM, 2–4PM****SAT, SUN, MARCH 3, 4****FAMILY ART PROJECT****The Early Bird Gets Mobile/ *Móviles de pájaros*:** Look for the first returning birds and overwintering residents, along with early migrants passing through on their way north. Cut out and balance their birdy shapes to make a colorful moving sculpture.**KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1–4PM****CONTACT:** Martha Gellens at 718.549.3200 x232/pressroom@wavehill.org

SUN, MARCH 4

ADULT WORKSHOP

It's in the Bag!: Cut, paste and sew your way into making amazing bags as portraits, using nature trail maps and other scraps. Artist **Meridith McNeal** teaches the unique paper-morphing skills used in the portraits she created for the *Emily Dickinson* exhibition in Glyndor Gallery. \$20/\$15 Member. Registration required; call 718.549.3200 x305.
WAVE HILL HOUSE, 2-4PM

SAT, SUN, MARCH 10, 11

FAMILY ART PROJECT

Transformations: Nature, Light, Color, Art/Transformando luz en color: Join exhibiting artist **Peter D. Gerakaris** to see how his Glyndor Gallery installation transforms spring light into an array of autumnal colors. Then use colored cellophane and tissue paper to change light into your own designs.
KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

JUMP INTO SPRING WEEKEND

SAT, MARCH 17 GARDEN WALK

Palm House Highlights: In March, the Palm House is jam-packed with a wonderful array of colorful and fragrant plants from around the world. Don't miss the chance to see our collection of South African bulbs and other rare and unusual greenhouse plants with Garden Interpretation Manager **Laurel Rimmer**.
MEET AT PERKINS VISITOR CENTER, 2PM

SAT, SUN, MARCH 17, 18

FAMILY ART PROJECT

Flutter, Spin and Glide/ Juegue en los vientos de marzo: Streamers, pinwheels, spinners, and windsocks are easy to make and fun to play with in the winds of March.
KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

SUN, MARCH 18

CONCERT

NOW Ensemble: Rooted in the musical classics, the NOW Ensemble uses its unique instrumentation – flute, clarinet, electric guitar, double bass and piano – to create a vital new sound. \$18/\$15 Member. For tickets, call 718.549.3200 x385.
WAVE HILL HOUSE, 2PM

WED, MARCH 21

HORTICULTURAL LECTURE #3

Designing Gardens in California: The last of Wave Hill's annual Horticultural Lectures features **Nancy Goslee Power**, who is among the great landscape designers working in the nation today. Series \$60/\$48 Member, Student; Individual lectures \$25/\$20 Member, Student. Call 718.549.3200 x216.
NEW YORK SCHOOL OF INTERIOR DESIGN, 170 EAST 70 ST, MANHATTAN, 6:30PM

SAT, SUN, MARCH 24, 25

FAMILY ART PROJECT

Spider's Dream Catcher/ Telaraña de sueño: Observe spiders spinning webs on a miniature island. Then weave a dream-catching web complete with a handmade spider and other decorations to take home.
KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

SAT, MARCH 31

GARDEN LECTURE

Emily Dickinson's Gardens: A passionate gardener, Emily Dickinson tended her garden and conservatory and studied wildflowers growing near her home. Explore Dickinson's love of nature with horticulturist and landscape historian **Marta McDowell** as she shares images and stories from her book *Emily Dickinson's Gardens: A celebration of a poet and a gardener*.
WAVE HILL HOUSE, 2PM

SAT, MARCH 31

WOODLAND & COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING

Plant, prune, clear, fortify! Spend an afternoon working to ensure a healthy future for Bronx natural areas. Plant native vegetation, repair trails, clear invasive plants, meet people, and have fun. For project descriptions visit www.wavehill.org/volunteer. Call 718.549.3200 x221 for directions.
VARIOUS LOCATIONS, 1-4PM

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SAT, SUN, MARCH 31, APRIL 1 FAMILY ART PROJECT

Creature Comforts of Home/ Hogar, dulce hogar: See how Wave Hill's birds and animals live. Fashion a clay critter in its habitat with natural materials to enhance your home.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

APRIL

magnolias, basket-of-gold, Virginia bluebells, shadbush

SUN, APRIL 1**FAMILY CONCERT**

Astrograss for Kids: This interactive performance features a quirky mix of humor with bluegrass and folk music traditions. Highlights include musical interpretations of Shel Silverstein's poetry and a sing-along to beloved children's tunes. Enjoyable for ages 5 and up. Adult \$12/\$10 Member. Child \$7/\$5 Member. For tickets, call 718.549.3200 x385.

WAVE HILL HOUSE, 2PM

SAT, APRIL 7**WOODLAND & COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING**

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VARIOUS LOCATIONS, 1-4PM

SAT, SUN, APRIL 7, 8**FAMILY ART PROJECT**

Focus on the Crocus/ *Busque la flor de azafran*: Spring is here! Imagine what it is like to spend all winter in the freezing ground, waiting to blossom. Then feast your eyes on Wave Hill's first burst of blooming bulbs. Count their petals, sketch their shapes and colors, and then collage a field of flowers.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

SAT, APRIL 14**WOODLAND & COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING**

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VARIOUS LOCATIONS, 1-4PM

SAT, APRIL 14**GARDEN DEMONSTRATION**

Garden Tool Maintenance: The gardening season is less daunting if you are equipped with good tools and feel comfortable using them. Horticulture Interpreter **Charles Day** demonstrates how to select and care for pruners, cutters, saws and spades. With proper maintenance, garden tools can be a pleasure to use for years.

WAVE HILL HOUSE, 2PM

SUN, APRIL 15**EXHIBITION RECEPTION**

Meet the artists and curators of the *Emily Dickinson* exhibition, featuring works by contemporary artists exploring Dickinson's interest in gardening and what she observed about nature through her writing.

GLYNDOR GALLERY, 1-4PM

SAT, SUN, APRIL 14, 15**FAMILY ART PROJECT**

Daffy for Daffodils/ *Jugueteando con narcisos*: Celebrate our flowering world by becoming a flower for a day. Make a hat or costume complete with fringed trumpet and a circle of petals, and join the parade of spring blossoms.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

SAT, SUN APRIL 21, 22**EARTH DAY WEEKEND****SAT, APRIL 21****GARDEN WALK**

Emily Dickinson's Plants: Take a fresh look at Wave Hill through the eyes of an artist and poet. Traverse the gardens with Horticulture Interpreter **Charles Day** and **Brece Honeycutt**, whose work is featured in Glyndor Gallery, to observe spring-blooming plants mentioned in Dickinson's poetry.

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(EARTH DAY WEEKEND CONTINUED)

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VARIOUS LOCATIONS, 1-4PM**SAT, SUN, APRIL 21, 22****FAMILY ART PROJECT**

Plants and Prints/ Creaciones en tinta: Use printing ink and rollers to create nature based rice paper hangings. Visit Glyndor Gallery with artist **Valerie Hammond** to see how she used printed leaves and flowers to evoke the feeling for nature in Emily Dickinson's poetry and life. Valerie will then show you how to make your own printed plant creations.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM**SUN, APRIL 22****ADULT WORKSHOP**

Capturing Nature's Moments: Explore your spring dreams and create an intimate and inventive journal to hold them in. Artist **Nancy Carey** shares writing and drawing tips, as well as techniques for observing and recording impressions of the natural world. \$20/\$15 Member. Registration required; call 718.549.3200 x305.

WAVE HILL HOUSE, 1-4PM**SAT, APRIL 28****GARDEN WORKSHOP**

Alpine Trough Workshop: Alpine troughs display diminutive plants in rustic containers. With Garden Interpretation Manager **Laurel Rimmer** as your guide, check out our blooming collection of alpine plants and observe how troughs are made. Plant up a pre-made trough for your own garden or terrace. \$45/\$40 Member. Registration required; call 718.549.3200 x305.

MEET AT PERKINS VISITOR CENTER, 2PM**SAT, APRIL 28****WOODLAND & COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING**

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VARIOUS LOCATIONS, 1-4PM**SAT, SUN, APRIL 28, 29****FAMILY ART PROJECT**

Layers and Layers of Landscape/ Capas y capas de paisaje: See one thing behind another, and another, and another everywhere at Wave Hill. Cut and paste your visions into 3-D, multi-layered, landscape construction.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM**SUN, APRIL 29****MEET THE ARTIST**

Pedro Cruz-Castro greets visitors and talks about the new sculptures he has created for Wave Hill as part of the Glyndor Sunroom Project series.

GLYNDOR SUNROOM, 2-4PM**MAY****fringe tree, wisteria, dove tree, columbine****SAT, MAY 5****WOODLAND & COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERING**

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SAT, MAY 5

GARDEN WORKSHOP

Wave Hill Favorites–Best Plants for Spring: Join Horticulture Interpreter **Charles Day** for this unique opportunity to study Wave Hill gardeners' favorite spring plants. Charles shares hints for selecting and maintaining unusual and dependable perennials, bulbs, shrubs, and small trees that will bring a little bit of Wave Hill to your own garden. Participants receive plant lists and nursery sources. Fee: \$15/\$10 Member. Registration required; call 718.549.3200 x305.

WAVE HILL HOUSE, 10AM –12NOON

SAT, SUN, MAY 5, 6

FAMILY ART PROJECT

A Roomful of Nature/ *Un cuarto lleno de naturaleza*: Bring the outdoors in. Furnish a miniature room or small-scale dwelling with an artful installation made from natural materials and nature imagery. Take a look at **Pedro Cruz-Castro's** furniture, **Meridith McNeal's** plant wallpaper, and other work in Glyndor Gallery and then take a stroll through the natural beauties of Wave Hill to spark your imagination.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1–4PM

SUN, MAY 6

ADULT WORKSHOP

A Fresh Look: Take a private tour of the exhibition *Deceits and Fantasies* at The Hudson River Museum with photographer **Sally Apfelbaum**, then go to Wave Hill for a hands-on photography workshop. Bring your own camera, with necessary supplies. Be sure you know how to use your camera and are ready to photograph. Pack lunch or purchase at Wave Hill Cafe. \$45/\$35 Hudson River Museum and Wave Hill Member. Space is limited; Registration required; call 718.549.3200 x305.

ON THE GROUNDS, 11AM–4PM

SAT, MAY 12

GARDEN WORKSHOP

Urban Beekeeping–Spring Hive Inspection: Don hat, veil and gloves — bring your own or borrow ours — and join urban beekeepers **Roger Repohl** and **Laurel Rimmer** for a hands-on look at the Wave Hill hives. Learn proper techniques to safely work with a hive filled with 50,000 honeybees. Beginning and experienced beekeepers welcome. \$15/\$10 Member. Registration required; call 718.549.3200 x305.

MEET AT PERKINS VISITOR CENTER, 11AM

SAT, MAY 12

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VARIOUS LOCATIONS, 1–4PM

SAT, SUN, MAY 12, 13

FAMILY ART PROJECT

Floral Fantasy for Mom/ *Fantasia floral para mamá*: Create unique flowery gifts, including fragrant sachets and a vase filled with fantastic paper flowers. Led by Colombian artist **Esperanza Cortés**, who covers her own art with flowers.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1–4PM

SUN, MAY 13

ADULT DEMONSTRATION

Springy Scents: Sample natural scents and learn how you can recreate them at home. Herbalist **Ursula Basch** brings her extensive knowledge of all things herbal to this demonstration.

WAVE HILL HOUSE, 1–4PM

SAT, MAY 19

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SAT, SUN, MAY 19, 20

FAMILY ART PROJECT

All Eyes on Irises/ Todos los ojos en lirios: Contemplate rainbow petals and sword-like leaves of the flower named for the goddess of the rainbow. Then collage a garden of irises and other flowers across a folding screen inspired by Japanese floral traditions.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

SUN, MAY 20

EXHIBITION TOUR

Tour Emily Dickinson with exhibiting artists and Curator Jennifer McGregor. Learn about the artistic process behind the works in the exhibition.

GLYNDOR GALLERY, 2PM

THU, MAY 24

GARDEN DEMONSTRATION

Cooking with Herbs—Seductive Cilantro: One of the most popular herbs in the world *Coriandrum sativum* produces both pungent cilantro leaves and spicy coriander seeds. **Pam Carey**, professional chef and gardener, shares delicious ways to pair this dual-purpose herb with other assertive ingredients in fresh seasonal dishes.

ON THE GROUNDS, 11AM

SAT, SUN, MAY 26, 27

FAMILY ART PROJECT

Spring's Wings/ Creaturas aladas: Join artist **Ellen Alt** to look for and sketch some of the critters that fly through the gardens and woods of May. Then Ellen will help you construct a bird, bee, bug, butterfly or hybrid-winged creation of your own using recycled and natural materials.

KERLIN LEARNING CENTER, 1-4PM

Wave Hill A public garden and cultural center

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DIRECTIONS Accessible by Car, MTA Express Bus, Metro-North rail (to Riverdale Station), #1 subway transfer at 231 St. to Bx 7/10 bus, A subway transfer at 208 St. to Bx 7 bus.

HOURS **Tuesday-Sunday, 9am-4:30pm.** CAFÉ , SHOP, WAVE HILL HOUSE: 10am-4:30pm

ADMISSION **December, January, February: FREE**

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