Dear Members and Friends,
It had been raining since dawn and a mist had settled over the river obscuring the rocky cliffs beyond. The new governess stood looking out at the drenched gardens her black wool coat pulled close around her neck. The hopeful anticipation she felt in that moment would soon turn to doubt, then fear, then desperation as she learns the terrifying truth about her two young charges.

Wait, where are we? At Wave Hill’s first collaboration with the On Site Opera Company, a roving performance of Benjamin Britten’s The Turn of the Screw that will take audiences from the Great Lawn through the rooms of Wave Hill House as this spooky ghost story unfolds.

This is just one of many new collaborations at Wave Hill this fall. In September, artist Bahar Behbahani will present an art installation in our woodland reinvigorating the intersection of arts and horticulture. The launch of our new book Nature into Art: The Gardens of Wave Hill, produced in collaboration with Timber Press, will include a moderated conversation and reception, with author Tom Christopher, photographer Ngoc Minh Ngo and founding and current Directors of Horticulture Marco Polo Stufano and Louis Bauer.

These important partnerships are bringing you more of what you love most. I can’t wait to share it all with you. See you at the Pergola in October and get ready to shiver!

— KAREN MEYERHOFF, President & Executive Director
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### The Vista Society

Wave Hill’s Vista Society recognizes those individuals and families who have chosen to leave a charitable gift to Wave Hill in their estate plans. Through a planned estate gift, they establish a legacy that supports our world-renowned horticultural collections and spectacular grounds, and ensures the excellence of our programs for generations to come.

In recognition of their leadership, Vista Society Members are invited to special receptions and events and are recognized in Wave Hill publications. More importantly, the Vista Society are investors in Wave Hill’s future and in our mission, inspiring the human spirit and connecting our visitors to the natural world. For more information, visit wavehill.org/donate/planned-giving or email barbarag@wavehill.org.

### Members Night 2019

**THU, DECEMBER 5, 5:00–9PM**

Mark your calendars for Wave Hill’s biggest shopping night of the year! Join us for this exclusive, Members-only event and experience the breathtaking beauty of Wave Hill on an early winter night. Shop for boutique merchandise in The Shop, and find the perfect gift for that special someone—and everyone!—on your list. Iconic Armor Hall will be transformed into a seasonal market with local vendors on hand to share unique and specialty goods and gourmet offers. Dine in The Café, and complete the experience with live music in the warmth of Wave Hill House. This event is not to be missed!
### Wave Hill Calendar

#### SATURDAY
- **5** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Walks with the Gardeners: The Floral Garden with Harnek Singh, 1PM
  - Artists and Curators Talk: Figuring the Flora, 2PM
- **12** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
- **13** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Family Nature Walk, 1PM
  - Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM
- **26** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
  - On Site Opera performs The Turn of the Screw, 7:30PM

#### SCAVENGERS & DECOMPOSERS WEEKEND
- **19** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Decomposition Central, 11AM–4PM
  - The Boneyard, 11AM–4PM
  - Decomposer Detectives Family Walk, NOON & 1PM
  - Wave Hill History Walks, 1PM
  - Volunteering: A Live-Bird Presentation, 2PM
  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
- **20** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Decomposition Central, 11AM–4PM
  - The Boneyard, 11AM–4PM
  - Decomposer Detectives Family Walk, NOON & 1PM
  - Secret Lives of Scavengers...A Trail-Camera Project, 2PM
  - Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM
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#### WINGS OVER WAVE HILL WEEKEND
- **9** e-Birding Workshop, 9:30AM–NOON
  - Edible Birdseed Ornaments Workshop, NOON–2PM
  - Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Asian Adventure Family Walk, 1PM
  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
- **10** Fall Birthing, 9:30AM
  - Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Family Nature Walk, 1PM
  - Owl Pellet Dissection Drop-In, 2–3:30PM
  - Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM
- **16** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
- **17** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
  - Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM
  - Concert: The Alonso Brothers, 2PM
- **23** Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
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  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
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  - Gallery Tour, 2PM
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#### Private Tour Options Available This Fall!
Wave Hill is the fall truly a spectacle for all the senses. Experience the cool, crisp and colorful wonders of Wave Hill firsthand with your private group tour. A hidden gem, Wave Hill is the perfect getaway for any size group, available seven days a week. Conveniently located a half-hour from midtown Manhattan, historic Wave Hill welcomes you this season. To inquire about private tours and to schedule your own customized experience, please contact Berk Tavner at 718.549.3200 x238 or email him at berk@wavehill.org today!
Wave Hill Programs

Garden & Nature

Walks & Talks
Walks are held light rain or shine; severe weather cancels.

Public Garden Highlights Walks
Seasonal garden highlights walks, led by Wave Hill Garden Guides, are offered at 1PM on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays and on Sundays at 2PM year-round. An additional walk is offered on Labor Day and Columbus Day, at 2PM.

Fall Birding
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 5
Willow
On a family-friendly walk with a Wave Hill Garden Guide. Discover the fascinating history of Wave Hill’s Herbert and Hyonja Abrons Woodland. Ages five and up welcome with an adult. NOON AND 1PM

Family Nature Walks
SUN, OCTOBER 6
Join naturalist and educator Gabriel Willow on a family-friendly walk through the gardens. Ages five and older welcome with an adult. 1PM

Wave Hill History Walks
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 19
Discover the fascinating history of Wave Hill’s architecture and landscape on a walk with a Wave Hill Garden Guide. Hear about the people who once called Wave Hill home, among them Mark Twain, Theodore Roosevelt, Bashford Dean and Arturo Toscanini. 1PM

Walks with the Gardeners:
The Flower Garden
SAT, OCTOBER 5
Tour the Flower Garden with the person who knows it best—Wave Hill Gardener Harneek Singh. In this new series, inspired by the fall 2019 publication of Nature into Art: The Gardens of Wave Hill, learn how he works with seasonal color schemes. 1PM

Decomposer Detectives Family Walk
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 19, 20
Grab a magnifying glass and join us as a Decomposer Detective! Learn all about the activities of organisms that help break down dead leaves, wood and other organic matter in Wave Hill’s Herbert and Hyonja Abrons Woodland. Ages five and up welcome with an adult. Scavengers and Decomposers Weekend event. NOON AND 1PM

Artist-Led Woodland Walk
SAT, NOVEMBER 2
Sharpen your senses in the woodland, connecting to the world’s rivers with generated@wavehill artist Behar Behbahani. 3PM

Fall Foliage Walk
WED, NOVEMBER 6
Senior Horticultural Interpreter Charles Day shares some of his favorite trees and shrubs in their vibrant fall finery. 1PM

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Birds and the Winter Garden Walk
MON, NOVEMBER 11
NYC Audubon Birding Guide and Naturalist Ted Winston and Wave Hill’s Senior Horticultural Interpreter Charles Day combine their expertise on a fall walk to identify plants and habitats that provide food and shelter for birds during the long, chilly months. Wings over Wave Hill Weekend event. 11AM

Wings over Wave Hill Weekend
SAT, SUN, MON NOVEMBER 9, 10, 11
This Veteran’s Day weekend, spend a day or two—or three—enjoying a plethora of activities devoted to birds both big and small. With plenty to engage both adults and families, enjoy hands-on workshops, art-making, walks and our popular, annual, falconry demonstration with free-flying birds of prey.

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MON, NOVEMBER 11, 11AM

Falconry Presentation:
Skyhunters in Flight
MON, NOVEMBER 11
Back by popular demand, master falconer Brian Bradley and his beautiful and beloved raptors are here for a live–bird presentation! Watch hawks, falcons and owls sharpen their hunting skills during an exciting outdoor flight demonstration. Hear about the ancient sport of falconry and see live raptors from around the world. Ages eight and older welcome with an adult. 1PM

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Wellness
Autumnal Equinox Sun Salutations
SUN, SEPTEMBER 22 Celebrate the sun with Sara Hart from Hart Lens. This energizing outdoor class consists of 108 salutations to the sun, a sacred number and symbolic tradition. 10AM–NOON

Workshops & Demos
Registration required for workshops, except for drop-in-programs.

Ephemera Preserved in Encaustic
SUN, SEPTEMBER 15 Explore the ancient technique of encaustic painting with exhibiting artist Cecile Cheng. Using hot beeswax infused with pigment, combine natural materials and your own personal curios to create a sentimental scrapbook or artistic time capsule. $55. 10AM–1PM

Early Autumn Hues in Watercolor
THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 26, OCTOBER 3, 10, 17 Create watercolor renderings of Wave Hill’s evergreens and late-blooming perennials, with artist Winnie Huang. $245. 10AM–1PM

The Idea of Beauty in Photography
TUESDAYS, OCTOBER 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Join photographer Benjamin Sweit in exploring beauty in photography. $245. 10AM–1PM

Lessons from Wave Hill: Right Plant, Right Place—Identifying and Embracing Microclimates
FRI, NOVEMBER 1 In a new series inspired by the fall 2019 publication of Nature into Art: The Gardens of Wave Hill, Senior Horticultural Interpreter Charles Day demonstrates how minor changes can make a big difference. Then, move outside to meet Wave Hill Gardener Susannah Strazzera and learn how to work with every garden climate. $55. 10AM–1PM

Youth Art Workshop: Art from Nature—Engineering Drawing Tools
SUNDAYS, OCTOBER 6, 13, 20, 27 Bronx artist Rosamaria Fiore and Wave Hill educators guide youth as they explore the garden’s woodlands, learning valuable engineering principles and art techniques, and then produce a collaborative artwork. Ages 8-12. Drop-in program. Series fee: $75. 10AM–1PM

Partially funded through the Bronx Council on the Arts

Forthcoming Book Celebrates The Artistry of Wave Hill’s Gardens
Devoted to classical craftsmanship, coupled with a daring and innovative design spirit, for more than 50 years Wave Hill has practiced a way of gardening that is timely and exciting. We are very pleased that the first book devoted to this remarkable garden—indeed, American gardening was reinvented at Wave Hill by renowned gardener Marco Polo Stufano—will be available for purchase this fall in The Shop, as well as on Amazon and at other booksellers.

Sunroom Project Space
Fall Installations Opening: SUN, SEPTEMBER 15, 2-4PM Emily Oliveira 
Duy Hoang 
SEPTEMBER 15—OCTOBER 26 Meet the Artists: SAT, SEPTEMBER 28, 2PM Emily Oliveira’s installation uses textile pieces, sculpture and video to create a devotional space for a decolonized, queer utopia. 1,000 years in the future. In his research-based practice, Duy Hoang experiments with materials. In the Sun Perch, he creates an interactive, constantly evolving sculptural installation. The artist leads a Family Art Project on October 12, 13.

Arts at the Garden
Wave Workshop and Sun Ear 2019 with Emily Oliveira (left) and Duy Hoang (right) in Oliveira’s epiphany with Curator of Visual Arts Eden Long Lynch this past February.

Nature into Art: The Gardens of Wave Hill releases in September by Timber Press. Author Thomas Christopher gives attention to the each distinct garden space, along the way sharing insights on design and gardening methods. Photographs by Ngoc Minh Ngo—a new exhibition of her work is also up in Wave Hill House this fall—render the gardens in perfect light, capturing the combinations of colors, textures and forms that make Wave Hill so magical in each season.

Don’t miss any of the events planned for this fall to celebrate the publication. On Sunday, October 6, join us for a lively, moderated conversation. Louis Bauer and Marco Polo Stufano join the author and the photographer to talk about making the book—and making a garden. And this fall we launch two new series, Walks with the Gardeners, starting October 5, and Lessons from Wave Hill, which starts November 1. Read more about first events in these series elsewhere in this newsletter and online at wavehill.org

Arts at the Garden
Glyndor Gallery
Figuring the Garden
THROUGH DECEMBER 1 The paintings, drawings, sculpture and outdoor installation in this show use floral imagery symbolically to explore representations of identity. Artists and Curators Talks: SAT, OCTOBER 5, 1PM

Wave Hill House
Ngoc Minh Ngo Playsong
SEPTEMBER 15—DECEMBER 22 Wave Hill House presents photographs by renowned garden photographer Ngoc Minh Ngo, whose work is featured in Nature into Art: The Gardens of Wave Hill, a new publication by Timber Press. Framed photographs will be for sale through The Shop.

Performing Arts
2019–2020 Season Opens in October
The new, seven-concert season opens in late October with performances by On Site Opera, and concludes next May.

The Turn of the Screw
FRI, OCTOBER 25, 26, 27 To launch the 2019–2020 concert season Wave Hill partners with On Site Opera to bring a site-specific production of Benjamin Britten’s The Turn of the Screw to life on the grounds. The Café is open early for light refreshments preceding the Thursday, Friday and Saturday performances. Performances may well be sold out; please check availability.

Cuban Classics: The Alonso Brothers
SUN, NOVEMBER 17 Verboso pianists and Cuban brothers Oray Alonso and Orlando Alonso return to perform a program scored expressly for two pianos. Their program brings to life Cuba’s rich musical heritage, with mambo, cha cha, salsa, bolero, son, danzón, congo and more.

Concerts begin at 2PM and last approximately one hour without intermission. Tickets: Adults: $28 (includes admission to the grounds). Wave Hill Members save 10%. $12 children ages 8-18, unless otherwise noted. Order tickets online at wavehill.org or onsite at the Perkins Visitor Center. To learn more, call 718.549.3200 x251.
Family Art Project
SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS, 10AM–1PM
Make nature-inspired creations at these hands-on workshops, incorporating a range of techniques with natural and upcycled materials.

Herds, Schools and Beys
SAT, SUN, SEPTEMBER 7, 8
Explore the ways animals work together in flocks, herds and schools. Create animal puppets, then join a group storytelling to help your puppets find their packs.

Brilliance of Seeds and Weeds Papercraft
SAT, SUN, SEPTEMBER 14, 15
Create paper pulp from used paper, taking a stand against deforestation. Then write stories on your paper based on your seed and weed embellishments.

To Be a River
SAT, SUN, SEPTEMBER 21, 22
Join the stream for a workshop with exhibiting artist Bahar Behbahani, creating water monoprints and weaving a flow of poetry to celebrate the rivers we are.

Forest Stories
SAT, SUN, SEPTEMBER 28, 29
From understory to emergent layer, the forest holds many stories. Create your own using storytelling device to explore the unique stories each forest layer tells.

Cephalopod Prints
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 5, 6
For International Cephalopod Day create your own wearable octopus arms and squid tentacles, using creative printing techniques for your many limbs.

Compost Herbaria
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 12, 13
With exhibiting artist Day Hoang, collect fallen flowers and leaves, paying special attention to the environment around you. Then create artwork informed by your unique observations, reimagining what a scientific document can be.

THE FAMILY ART PROJECT IS SUPPORTED BY THE BARKER WELFARE FOUNDATION; CLEVELAND H. DODGE FOUNDATION; THE HEARTST FOUNDATIONS; NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS; ROSE M. BAGDESEY RESIDUARY CHARITABLE TRUST; STAVROS NIAKROS FOUNDATION; AND SARAH AND GEORGE GUND.

Scavengers & Decomposers Weekend
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 19, 20

The Walking Snap
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 19, 20
Once a tree has lived its life, it becomes a log—or a snag, a standing dead tree. Outfit yourself as a snag and cover yourself with fungus, lichens and decomposers that you create. Then join a parade of walking snags! Scavengers and Decomposers Weekend event.

Preserving Past and Future Fossils
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 26, 27
Travel back to prehistoric times and explore ways in which animals and plants have evolved. Then, time-travel to the future to document changing environments, using clay and imprinting to bring awareness to how animals and plants are affected by climate change.

SAT, SUN, NOVEMBER 2, 3
No Family Art Project

Painting to Migratory Bird Songs
SAT, SUN, NOVEMBER 9, 10
With the music of migratory birds for inspiration, learn about the flocks that pass over Wave Hill each fall, creating pastel birds to add to our collective sky. Wings over Wave Hill Weekend event.

Three-Sisters Companion Planting
SAT, SUN, NOVEMBER 14, 17
Draw on the indigenous wisdom of companion planting by sampling crafts that use corn, winter squash and climbing beans. Imagine how this planting tradition can forge a new relationship with harvest time.

Si Se Puede
SAT, SUN, NOVEMBER 23, 24
Listen to stories of farmers and activists Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez and the United Farm Workers Union. Create a dream-farm-maze to meander through, inspired by innovations used today.

Symbiosis Scenes
SAT, SUN, NOVEMBER 30, DECEMBER 1
Symbiosis is everywhere in nature. Create a diorama to highlight your favorite plant or animal partnerships.

Hooray for decay! Get your hands dirty—literally— as you explore the process of decomposition at Wave Hill. Investigate the forest floor in the Herbert and Hynja Abrons Woodland, handle real-life scavengers and decomposers, visit the Boneyard, get composting info and even make wearable art inspired by decomposers. Something is rottin’ in Riverdale—and your neighborhood, too!

Family Art Project: The Walking Snap
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 19, 20, 10AM–1PM

The Boneyard
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 19, 20, 11AM–4PM
Learn about osteology with oddities expert and bone collector Lawrence Forcella, then team up to try to reassemble a skeleton!

Decomposer Detectives Family Walk
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 20, NOON AND 1PM
Vulture Culture: A Live Bird Presentation
SAT, SUN, OCTOBER 20, 2PM
Observe vultures and other scavenging birds of prey and hear about their adaptive, somewhat cringe-worthy behaviors with Brian Robinson of Robinson Wildlife Lectures.

Secret Lives of Scavengers... A Trail-Camera Project
SUN, OCTOBER 20, 2PM
Using dramatic images captured by motion-activated cameras, Dr. Ed McGowan, Director of Science and Trailside Museums and Zoo with the Palisades Interstate Park Commission, chronicles the expected and the unexpected wild animals that are drawn to the life-supporting protein of a dead deer.

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Autumn 2019
Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
Presentation, 2PM
Figuring the Pie, 1–3PM
Gallery Tour, 2PM
Avian Adventures Family Walk, 1PM
Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
e-Birding Workshop, 9:30AM–NOON
Bahar Behbahani, 3PM
Woodland Walk with exhibiting artist
No Family Art Project

On Site Opera performs
Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM

Wave Hill is closed
Garden Highlights Walk, 1PM

Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
Nature into Art: The Gardens of Wave Hill

Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM
Decomposition Central, 11AM–4PM
Family Nature Walk, 1PM
Owl Pellet Dissection Drop-In,
Family Art Project, 10AM–1PM
Garden Highlights Walk, 2PM
Tools, 10AM–NOON
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