



John James Audubon Center



# Nature's Glory

## DAY 1

### CHANTICLEER: A PLEASURE GARDEN

Spend the morning exploring Chanticleer: adequately named, a Pleasure Garden. Roam 48-acres of natural beauty: visit the ruin garden, pond garden, and Asian woods.

### LOCALLY-SOURCED LUNCH

Enjoy lunch at local restaurants featuring farm-to-table fare: Kennett Square is known as the Mushroom Capital of the World, producing over half of the nation's crop.

**Sweet Amelia's** and **Portabellos** are two favorites, sourcing their ingredients from local farms & markets.

### CHADDSFORD WINERY

Enjoy a tour and tasting at one of Pennsylvania's oldest and largest wineries.

### LONGWOOD GARDENS

Spend the evening at world-renowned Longwood Gardens: 1,077 acres of botanical bliss. Meander 20 outdoor gardens and surround yourself in flowering flora in the grand conservatory. Longwood boasts the most significant fountain collection in North America. The Main Fountain Garden's 1,719 jets soar as high as 175-feet by day, and glow by night to dance to themed musical performances. Break for dinner in the outdoor beer garden, and as the sun sets, marvel at a famed Illuminated Fountain Performance. A sweeping 17-acre expansion, **Longwood Reimagined: A New Garden Experience** debuts November 22, 2024.



Kennett Square



Longwood Gardens

## DAY 2

### **WINTERTHUR MUSEUM, GARDEN & LIBRARY**

The former 175-room estate of Henry Francis du Pont (1880–1969), Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library features the most significant collection of American artifacts, surrounded by 1,000 acres of rolling hills, streams, meadows and forests. His life's work, H.F. sourced plants from around the globe, carefully orchestrating a succession of blooms from late January to November.

### **JENKINS ARBORETUM & GARDENS**

One of Pennsylvania's major horticultural and environmental assets, Jenkins Arboretum nurtures 46 acres of nature, showcasing native trees, shrubs, rhododendrons, laurels ferns, wildflowers, and the brightest: azaleas. Vibrant pinks and purples paint the winding paths each spring.

### **MORRIS ARBORETUM & GARDENS**

Morris Arboretum, the official arboretum of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, is on the National Register of Historic Places. It has over 12,000 plants from North America, Europe, the Mediterranean, China, Japan, and Korea, with a focus on Asian temperate species. Some of them are among the largest of their kind in North America, while others are exceedingly rare.

### **AUTOGRAPH BRASSERIE**

Dine at a modern American brasserie that celebrates individuals from past and present, who left their signature on popular American culture.

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## DAY 3

### **JOHN JAMES AUDUBON CENTER**

Start the day at The John James Audubon Center at Mill Grove. The 18,000-square-foot museum and nature-based facility features 175 acres of landscape and outdoor trails. Enjoy interactive and family-friendly ways to explore the famed ornithologist, two galleries for art and conservation, birding exhibits, and interpretive demonstrations with live great horned owls and red-tailed hawks.

### **TROUBLES END BREWING COMPANY**

Enjoy lunch at Troubles End Brewing. In addition to the great food, a wide selection of House Beers, guest beers, wine & crafted cocktails are offered.

### **STONELEIGH: A NATURAL GARDEN**

Stoneleigh is a lush Natural Garden in Villanova. Visitors can enjoy 42 acres of garden beds, towering trees, and peaceful pathways. Open free of charge!

### **OTT'S EXOTIC PLANTS & MUM MOUNTAIN**

Finish up at Ott's Exotic Plants and Mum Mountain: all of the beauty of a botanical garden, with no admission fee. On mum mountain, there can be as many as ten thousand mums blooming during the fall season.

