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NORFOLK, VA—Grab your running shoes and let's get moving! Join Norfolk Botanical Garden (NBG) for the **2.016 Garden Fun Run** on January 1, 2016 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Kick off the New Year in a fun, healthy way. Run through 2.016 miles of spectacular light displays all in the most beautiful place in Hampton Roads. Last year, more than 600 runners and their families enjoyed the Dominion Garden of Lights annual light show extravaganza while starting off the New Year on the right foot - and the left!

Tickets are \$30.00 per Fun Run entry that includes a t-shirt and racing bib and \$10.00 for Kids' Dash participants (ages 3-10). Children ages 2 and under are free. Enjoy special entertainment, food, drinks and more! Tickets are available online only and are expected to sell out. Please register by December 15, 2015 to guarantee a spot in the race and an event T-shirt.

For more information please call 441-5830 ext. 319, email [cathy.fitzgerald@nbgs.org](mailto:cathy.fitzgerald@nbgs.org) or visit [www.norfolkbotanicalgarden.org](http://www.norfolkbotanicalgarden.org) for more information.

**This is an experience you don't want to miss!**

The synchronized show is back with the TREEmendous Dancing Trees. Watch in amazement as the trees dance to your favorite holiday music. Guests will also enjoy the traditional lighted displays strategically placed throughout the Garden for an all new experience. NBG is committed to the environment and has converted many light displays to LED. There are more LED lights this year than ever before!

The Dominion Garden of Lights at Norfolk Botanical Garden was a 2014 winner in the Best Public Lights Display category in the OBest Readers' Choice travel award contest sponsored by USA TODAY. The public voted the Dominion Garden of Lights the #8 best light show in the country!

**About Norfolk Botanical Garden**

Norfolk Botanical Garden represents an oasis of 52 themed gardens encompassing 175 beautiful acres. From stunning plant collections to *WOW- World of Wonders: A Children's Adventure Garden*, this diverse natural beauty can be explored by tram, boat, or walking tours. The Garden is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums, is recognized as a Virginia Historic Landmark, listed on the National Register of Historic Places, a Virginia Green attraction, and is managed by the Norfolk Botanical Garden Society supported by the City of Norfolk. Norfolk Botanical Garden is dedicated to enriching life by promoting the enjoyment of plants and the environment through beautiful gardens and education programs. Admission is \$11 for adults, \$10 for seniors and military, \$9 for ages 3-17, 2 and under are free. For more information, visit [www.norfolkbotanicalgarden.org](http://www.norfolkbotanicalgarden.org)

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