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**Norfolk Botanical Garden – Extended Seasonal Hours**



**MORE TIME FOR FUN!**

*Announcement*

(Norfolk, VA) –It's spring and Norfolk Botanical Garden has sprung new seasonal hours! The Garden's new seasonal hours are 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. daily. That means there is more time to discover the Garden! The WOW Children's Garden officially turned on the fountains where guests can splash their way around the world from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. With the new extended hours, guests can stay active and ride their bikes throughout the Garden as part of Bike Nights from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. It's also a great time to tour and explore the Garden by tram or by boat. The Garden is truly a masterpiece with new wildlife emerging and flowers blooming daily.

For more information, visit [www.norfolkbotanicalgarden.org](http://www.norfolkbotanicalgarden.org)

**About Norfolk Botanical Garden**

Norfolk Botanical Garden represents an oasis of over 30 theme gardens encompassing 155 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 Association of Museums, is recognized as a Virginia Historic Landmark, listed on the National Register of Historic Places, and is managed by the Norfolk Botanical Garden Society in cooperation with 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 \$9 for Adults, \$8 for seniors and military, \$7 for ages 3-17, 2 and under are free.

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