Make the Most of Being a Member!

Your support is vital to the well-being and care of our magnificent landscape and living collections and sustains our programs in science, horticulture, and education. Enhance the experience of the Arboretum by taking advantage of our numerous membership and public program offerings. View the full calendar on our website arboretum.harvard.edu. For membership questions, please contact 617.384.5766 or membership@arnarb.harvard.edu.

Arbor Day Seedling

Participate in the Arboretum’s tradition of sharing notable woody plants with our members at the Sustaining ($100) level and above. This year’s selection, Hydrangea quercifolia ‘Ruby Slippers’, is an exceptional cultivar of oakleaf hydrangea. ‘Ruby Slippers’ offers four seasons of interest and can fit nearly anywhere in the residential landscape due to its compact form. Don’t miss this wonderful opportunity to plant a “shrub of a different color” along the “yellow brick road” of your garden. To receive a seedling, RSVP to our invitation—sent to qualifying members in February—by March 16.

To take part, upgrade your membership by March 25 by contacting Membership Coordinator Wendy Krauss at 617.384.5766 or email wkrauss@arnarb.harvard.edu. Thank you for your support of the Arnold Arboretum!

The Sargent-Olmsted Society

The Sargent-Olmsted Society recognizes a community of plant, garden, and science enthusiasts who provide philanthropic support to the Arnold Arboretum at the highest level. Sargent-Olmsted Society members enjoy exclusive access to the Arnold Arboretum, its collections, and expert staff through select benefits including special programs and signature events.

Enjoy great perks all year round!

» Free or discounted admission to Arboretum classes and lectures
» Special admission or discounts at 300 gardens and arboreta worldwide via the American Horticultural Society’s Reciprocal Admission Program
» Discounts at participating nurseries and garden centers; visit our website for a complete list

This spring, we invite members of the Sargent-Olmsted Society to join Director William (Ned) Friedman and our arborists on May 5 for cocktails beneath the canopy of our Oak Collection, and learn how we care for our trees from roots to crown. Visit us online to learn more, or call 617.384.5043.

Learn more at arboretum.harvard.edu/membership