Evening Socials

New England Botanic Garden at Tower Hill is one of the region’s premier locations for your private event, offering a serene backdrop of gardens, woodlands, meadows, and mountain views that will leave your guests inspired and in awe of their surroundings. Whether it is a bridal or a baby shower, birthday, retirement, or cocktail party, whatever the occasion may be, the Garden provides a picturesque environment that your guests will talk about for years to come.

Each season offers a different garden experience. Spring brings beautiful bulbs including daffodils, tulips, and more. Summer gardens feature dramatic, colorful displays of annuals and perennials. In autumn, views of fall foliage are unmatched in the region, and winter at the Garden offers an escape from the cold as guests explore our subtropical conservatories.
The Details

Several event spaces are available depending on the needs of your event. All pricing includes use of a variety of table sizes, conference-style chairs, and admission for all your guests.

Rental Times
6–11pm (10pm for weekday evenings)

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*Conservatories are available from approximately Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day on select Monday –Thursday evenings. Please note that the conservatories are not air conditioned.

Payment
A non-refundable 50% deposit of your rental fee is required at the time of contract-signing in order to guarantee arrangements with New England Botanic Garden. The remaining 50%, plus taxes and a bar security deposit of $250 (if hosting 100+ people with a bar), is due 30 days prior to your event date.

Membership
A membership to New England Botanic Garden at the “Friend” level is included in the rental rate. Learn more at nebg.org/choose-membership-level.

Audio-Visual Equipment
Wireless internet access is available. A limited supply of audio/visual equipment is available for rent when ordered in advance. If available, this includes: LCD projector ($200), laptop ($100), Bose speaker with microphone ($200), additional microphone ($25).

Décor
You are welcome to bring in decorations to customize your space. We ask that you not bring balloons, confetti, or glitter, and that any flames are enclosed in glass (such as votive holders or hurricane glass). Décor must be free-standing and not affix to walls, ceilings, or plants. The Garden’s plants and flowers are not able to be moved into or out of event spaces, so feel free to bring in your own arrangements. Ask your Event Specialist for a complete list of décor specifics.

Chairs
While our house conference-style chairs are included in your rental price, our white garden chairs and fruitwood Chiavari chairs with white cushions are available for an upgraded price. Chair prices are as follows: $100 for up to 25 chairs, $200 for 26-50, $300 for 51-80, $400 for 81-120.
Food & Beverage

New England Botanic Garden maintains an exclusive partnership with Peppers Artful Events for evening catering. Peppers’ teams in culinaryART, cakeART, ART&design, and ARTbar thoughtfully collaborate to cater and create complete events. Peppers provides all linens, silverware, dishes, and glassware for the tables. Alternate caterers and self-catering are not permitted.

Catering
Northborough, MA
(508) 393-6844
eventinquiry@peppersartfulevents.com

New England Botanic Garden’s liquor license is managed by ARTbar, a division of Peppers Artful Events. Whether you choose an open bar or cash bar, the representatives from ARTbar will coordinate with you directly on your beer, wine, and cocktail choices. ARTbar provides all glassware and supplies for bar operation. Outside alcohol is not permitted.

ARTbar Bartending
Northborough, MA
(508) 393-6844
ARTbar@peppersartfulevents.com
Event Locations

**Limonaia**
The Limonaia is a conservatory (or greenhouse) designed to house collections of non-hardy plants such as citrus, palms, agave, camellias, orchids, and more during the colder months. The Limonaia is surrounded by beautiful views of our Winter Garden on one side and The Court on the other. Its curved beams and contemporary architecture fit perfectly with popular décor trends.

**Orangerie**
The Orangerie, like the Limonaia, is a conservatory (or greenhouse) designed to house collections of non-hardy plants such as citrus, palms, agave, camellias, orchids, and more during the colder months. It is a modern interpretation of an eighteenth-century-style greenhouse. With its glass ceiling and stunning architecture, this space will give you that “wow” factor you’re looking for!

**Great Hall**
The Great Hall’s stone fireplace and outdoor terrace offer panoramic views of Wachusett Reservoir and Mount Wachusett.

**Reservoir Room**
A bright, open space, this room has copper ceiling details and a wall of windows leading out to a terrace with beautiful views of Wachusett Reservoir.

**Winter Garden**
Featured on front cover
Recommended Vendors

Photography

Addie Roberge Photography | Addie
Shrewsbury, MA (508) 410-9138 addie@addierobergephotography.com

Helloimjoe | Joe Gonzalez-Dufresne
Worcester, MA (508) 735-9542 hello@helloimjoe.com

Ewings Photography Studio | Erica Ewing
Bolton, MA (508) 471-7988 erica@the-ewings.com

Joe Dolen Photography | Joe
Leicester, MA (508) 864-3041 joedolen@gmail.com

Gina Brocker Photography | Gina
Boston, MA (617) 952-3220 gina@ginabrocker.com

Samantha Melanson Photography | Samantha
West Boylston, MA (978) 415-9808 samantha@samanthamelanson.com

Audrey Cutler Photography | Audrey
Sterling, MA (508) 769-3746 audrey@audreycutlerphotography.com

Teresa Johnson Photography | Teresa
(860) 904-0497 hello@teresajohnson.com

Videography

Ewings Photography Studio | Erica Ewing
Bolton, MA (508) 471-7988 erica@the-ewings.com

Mike DeMellia
Haverhill, MA (978) 476-9018 mike.demellia@gmail.com

Floral Design

The French Bouquet | Jeff French
Worcester, MA (508) 755-6464 jeff@frenchbouquetflorist.com

Fleur du Jour | Brenda Giambrocco
Leominster, MA (978) 534-4422 bgiambrocco28@gmail.com

Bell Brook Farm | Emily Day
West Brookfield, MA www.bellbrookfarm.com

Semper Virens Flowers | Mary B. Hayes
N. Chelmsford, MA (978) 758-9924 mbh@sempervirensflowers.com

Bluebird Bouquets | Haley Cormier
Somerville, MA (617) 682-0198 hello@bluebirdbouquets.com

Danielson Flowers | Debby Phelps
Shrewsbury, MA (508) 842-8992 weddings@danielsonflowers.com

Pine Ridge Farm
Boylston, MA (508) 864-8829 www.pineridgefarmboylston.com

Cakes & Desserts

CakeART | Peppers
Northborough, MA (508) 393-6844 cakeART@peppersartfulevents.com

The Queen’s Cups
Worcester, MA (508) 459-9600 info@thequeenscups.com

The Crafted Cookie Company
Worcester, MA www.thecraftedcookiecompany.com
DJ & Entertainment

Fine Tune Entertainment | Joe
Boston, MA | (857) 244-0707 | finetunedj@gmail.com

Make a Mark Events | Kevin
Worcester, MA | (508) 617-8280 | kevin@makeamarkevents.com

Jon Strader DJ | Jon
Worcester, MA | (617) 909-4700 | dj@jonstrader.com

Greg Bedard DJ | Greg
Auburn, MA | (508) 795-3311 | greg@djgregb.com

JAM Event DJs | Mark
Worcester, MA | (508) 667-8895 | info@jameventdjss.com

Beat Train Productions | Kara
Boston, MA | (617) 909-4700 | kara@beattrainproductions.com

Sound Choice Events | Peter
Natick, MA | (617) 909-4700 | info@SoundChoiceEvents.com

The Glitter Boys
Boston, MA

Live Music

Kathryn Skudera Haddad
Violinist
(774) 262-2219 | theviolinkat@gmail.com

Dorrie Nang
Harpist/Pianist
(860) 974-1450 | nangdorrie@gmail.com

The Trillium Trio
Flute, Violin, Cello
(508) 932-5082 | thetrilliumtrio@gmail.com

Intermezzo Players
Strings & more
(339) 368-2966 | bethannwelt@gmail.com

Gilded Harps
Harpist
(978) 443-0656 | felice@gildedharps.com

Blackstone Valley String Quartet | Sylvia
Strings & more
(508) 414-6711 | sdicrescentis@blackstonevalleyquartet.com

Accommodations

Homewood Suites | Tammy Burns
Berlin, MA | (978) 838-9940 | tammy.burns@hilton.com

Embassy Suites | Patrick Duggan
Marlborough, MA | (508) 263-7754 | patrick.duggan@pyramidglobal.com

Courtyard Boston Marlborough | Kim Kunce
Marlborough, MA | (508) 263-9141 | kimberly.kunce@marriott.com

Hampton Inn/Courtyard | Alexandra Bavosi
Worcester, MA | (774) 420-7135 | alexandra.bavosi@aimhosp.com

AC Hotel Worcester | Cyndy Branchaud
Worcester, MA | (774) 530-6616 | cyndy.branchaud@marriott.com

Transportation

Knight's Limousine
Shrewsbury, MA | (508) 839-6252 | info@knightslimo.com

Le Limo
Shrewsbury, MA | (508) 842-4790 | info@lelimo.com