

# Singapore Botanic Gardens Heritage Festival

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# FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

	19 July Saturday	20 July Sunday	25 July Friday	26 July Saturday	27 July Sunday
HIGHLIGHTS	<u>EnlightEN @ Singapore Botanic Gardens</u> 19 July – 10 August   7.30pm – 10.00pm Daily				
	<u>Singapore Garden Festival Orchid Show</u> 19 – 27 July   8.30am – 7.00pm Daily				
	<u>Singapore Botanic Gardens Discovery Passport</u> 8.00am – 5.30pm Daily				
	<u>Ongoing Exhibitions</u>				
	<u>Tenant Promotions</u>				
PERFORMANCES	<u>Arts@SBG:</u> <u>NAC-ExxonMobil</u> <u>Concert in the</u> <u>Gardens presents</u> <u>Xinyao Lives On</u> 5.30pm – 7.00pm	<u>Arts@SBG:</u> <u>NAC-ExxonMobil</u> <u>Concert in the</u> <u>Gardens presents</u> <u>NovoBloco + Bloco</u> <u>Singapura</u> 5.30pm – 7.00pm	<u>Sunset Serenades</u> <u>with Resound</u> <u>Collective Wind</u> <u>Quintet</u> 6.30pm – 7.30pm <u>Groove at Gallop!</u> <u>with Jazz Association</u> <u>(Singapore)</u> 8.00pm – 9.00pm	<u>VIVA Fiesta:</u> <u>Cosmos ‘25</u> 6.00pm – 7.00pm	
MOVIE SCREENINGS	<u>Disney and Pixar's</u> <u>Elemental (2023)</u> 7.30pm – 9.00pm	<u>Fire of Love (2022)</u> 7.30pm – 9.00pm	<i>Tip: Click on a programme title to discover what each experience has in store!</i>	<u>The Wild Robot</u> <u>(2024)</u> 7.30pm – 9.00pm	<u>The Eagle Huntress</u> <u>(2016)</u> 7.30pm – 9.00pm
ONSITE PROGRAMMES	<u>In a Day’s Work:</u> <u>Heritage Core</u> <u>Horticulturist</u> 10.00am – 12.00pm	<u>In a Day’s Work:</u> <u>Orchid Specialist</u> 10.00am – 12.00pm		<u>In a Day’s Work:</u> <u>Plant Cultivator</u> 10.00am – 12.00pm	<u>In a Day’s Work:</u> <u>Arborist</u> 10.00am – 12.00pm
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GUIDED TOURS	<u>SBG</u> <u>Heritage Museum +</u> <u>CDL Green Gallery</u> 10.00am	<u>SBG</u> <u>Heritage Museum +</u> <u>CDL Green Gallery</u> 10.00am		<u>SBG</u> <u>Heritage Museum +</u> <u>CDL Green Gallery</u> 10.00am	<u>SBG</u> <u>Heritage Museum +</u> <u>CDL Green Gallery</u> 10.00am
	<u>Heritage Tour</u> 9.00am	<u>Heritage Tour</u> 9.00am		<u>Heritage Tour</u> 9.00am	<u>Heritage Tour</u> 9.00am
	<u>Learning Forest Tour</u> 9.00am	<u>Gallop Extension</u> <u>Tour</u> 9.00am		<u>Learning Forest Tour</u> 9.00am	<u>Gallop Extension</u> <u>Tour</u> 9.00am
	<u>National Orchid</u> <u>Garden Tour</u> 9.00am, 10.00am^, 11.00am, 4.00pm ^Mandarin guides available	<u>Rain Forest Tour</u> 9.00am, 10.00am* *Japanese and Mandarin guides available		<u>Healing Garden Tour</u> 10.00am^ ^Mandarin guides available	<u>Rain Forest Tour</u> 9.00am, 10.00am^ ^Mandarin guides available
	<u>Healing Garden Tour</u> 10.00am				
	<u>Race Against Time</u> <u>Tour</u> 10.00am	<u>Race Against Time</u> <u>Tour</u> 10.00am		<u>Race Against Time</u> <u>Tour</u> 10.00am	<u>Race Against Time</u> <u>Tour</u> 10.00am



# Free shuttle bus | 9am - 10pm (Weekends)

& 5pm - 10pm (25 July)

**A** Learning Forest Visitor Centre

**B** Botany Centre

**C** Nassim Visitor Centre

**D** Jacob Ballas Children's Garden

**E** Pick up/Drop off near Botanic Gardens MRT (Along Bukit Timah Road)

**F** Gallop Visitor's Centre



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# HIGHLIGHTS



## EnlighTEN @ Singapore Botanic Gardens

19 July – 10 August | 7.30pm – 10.00pm

Various locations around the Gardens

For over 160 years, the Singapore Botanic Gardens has been a sanctuary where nature, science, and culture converge. *EnlighTEN @ Singapore Botanic Gardens* invites you to journey through moments of history and growth gently revealed in light—stories of perseverance, discovery, and hope. Explore each location along the trail to experience the Gardens' enduring legacy, and step into a living heritage that continues to shape our shared future.

### Light Installation Locations

1. Tanglin Gate
2. Swan Lake
3. Bandstand
4. Clock Tower @ Orchid Plaza
5. Palm Court



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# HIGHLIGHTS



## Singapore Garden Festival Orchid Show 2025

19 – 27 July | 8.30am – 7.00pm (Last entry at 6.00pm)

National Orchid Garden

Presented in partnership with the Orchid Society of South East Asia (OSSEA), the SGF Orchid Show blooms again in its second edition. Marvel at exquisite displays, alongside an orchid competition featuring both dedicated hobbyists and professional growers.

Satisfy your gardening needs at our MarketPlace featuring orchids, plants and lifestyle products on 19, 20, 26, 27 July 2025.

Fun-filled activities for everyone to enjoy! Find out more at <https://go.gov.sg/orchidshow2025>

Enjoy complimentary entry to National Orchid Garden for Singapore Residents\*

*\*Singapore citizens, permanent residents and those living in Singapore, including holders of employment pass, work permit, dependant's pass or student's pass. Proof of residency may be required for verification for entry to the National Orchid Garden.*

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# HIGHLIGHTS



## Singapore Botanic Gardens Discovery Passport

8.00am – 5.30pm

Various locations around the Gardens

Create a lasting keepsake of the Gardens through beautifully crafted self-embossing stamps available at stations along the Gardens' trails. Visitors can pick up a Discovery Passport at the Visitor Services Counters and collect commemorative embossed stamps featuring iconic landmarks such as the Bandstand, Learning Forest, and Swan Lake at 10 stations throughout the Gardens. Collect all 10 embossed stamps and received an exclusive Heritage Pin!

Each stamp tells a unique story, showcasing key moments, iconic landscapes, and cultural and heritage sites within the Gardens. This interactive experience lets visitors of all ages explore and learn while creating their own meaningful souvenir.

The Singapore Botanic Gardens Discovery Passport is available for free at the Visitor Services Counters located at the Bukit Timah, Gallop, Nassim, Tanglin, and Tyersall entrances.

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# PERFORMANCES

ARTS@SBG:  
NAC-EXXONMOBIL  
CONCERT IN THE GARDENS  
presents

19 July 2025  
5.30pm

## Xinyao Lives On



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## Arts@SBG: NAC-ExxonMobil Concert in the Gardens presents Xinyao Lives On

19 July, Saturday | 5.30pm – 7.00pm  
Shaw Foundation Symphony Stage

Join us for a heartwarming evening as Xinyao Lives On brings the spirit of homegrown music to life in the lush surrounds of the Singapore Botanic Gardens!

Be serenaded by the soulful voices of Li Fei Hui, Deng Shu Xian, Allan Moo, Tallin Ang, and the vibrant young talents of TCR Young Xinyao Singer as they perform iconic Xinyao classics alongside fresh takes on beloved Singaporean songs.

Whether these melodies are familiar companions from your past or new discoveries, this special night promises a moving journey through stories of youth, dreams, and belonging.

So pack your mats, gather your loved ones, and come enjoy the nostalgic charm of Xinyao under the open sky — hosted by FM 972's Cai Lilian.

This concert is part of the Arts@SBG: NAC-ExxonMobil Concert in the Gardens series. Singapore Botanic Gardens is part of the Arts & Culture Nodes Network, an initiative by the National Arts Council.

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# PERFORMANCES

ARTS@SBG:  
NAC-EXXONMOBIL  
CONCERT IN THE GARDENS  
presents

20 July 2025  
5.30pm

NovoBloco + Bloco Singapura



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## Arts@SBG: NAC-ExxonMobil Concert in the Gardens presents NovoBloco + Bloco Singapura

20 July, Sunday | 5.30pm – 7.00pm

Shaw Foundation Symphony Stage

Get ready for an electrifying night as NovoBloco ignites the Gardens with the vibrant rhythms of Afro-Brazilian music, reimagined with bold, contemporary energy. With powerful percussion, soaring melodies, and spirited dance, their performance captures the soul of Brazilian Carnival and brings it to life in the heart of Singapore.

Joining forces with Bloco Singapura, let the irresistible beats move you, the rhythm lift you, and the spirit of Brazil take over for an unforgettable night of celebration.

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# PERFORMANCES



## Sunset Serenades with Resound Collective Wind Quintet

25 July, Friday | 6.30pm – 7.30pm

Bandstand

Resound Collective Wind Quintet makes its debut at the iconic Bandstand in the Singapore Botanic Gardens, offering an enchanting evening amid lush greenery. Enjoy a captivating programme featuring specially arranged Singaporean favourites such as Bunga Sayang and Home, alongside classical gems including Debussy's Cake Walk and Ravel's Fairy Garden.

Pack a picnic mat and head down to the Bandstand for an unforgettable evening of music in the heart of the gardens.

### About the artists

Resound Collective Wind Quintet comprises members from re:Sound, a Singapore-based chamber orchestra and musicians' collective that promotes music for small orchestra and chamber ensembles. Members are conservatory-trained music majors, most of whom have attained post-graduate training around the world. They are among Singapore's most talented and dedicated musicians, who share the vision of enriching the classical music landscape by performing at the highest level.

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## Groove at Gallop! with Jazz Association (Singapore)

25 July, Friday | 8.00pm – 9.00pm

Gallop Lawn, Gallop Extension

Let the rhythm lift your spirits at Groove at Gallop!—an uplifting evening of soulful jazz under the stars with musicians from the Jazz Association (Singapore).

Led by Assistant Executive Director and Deputy Music Director Chok Kerong on piano, the ensemble for this performance features the smooth vocals of Sneha Menon, saxophonist Timothy Leow, bassist Ben Poh, and drummer Tristan Seow. Together, they will present fresh, jazz-infused interpretations of beloved classics such as *Getaran Jiwa*, *Bunga Sayang*, and *Bengawan Solo*.

Pre-order Pangium’s first picnic basket - [Heritage Harmony basket](#) - a soulful medley of Straits-inspired dishes and charming selection of kuehs that is perfect for 2 to share under the evening sky.

Bring your loved ones, and soak in the good vibes. With lush greenery all around and timeless melodies in the air, this free outdoor concert is your invitation to unwind, connect, and celebrate the rich cultural tapestry we all share.

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# PERFORMANCES



## VIVA Fiesta: Cosmos '25

26 July, Saturday | 6.00pm – 7.00pm

Shaw Foundation Symphony Stage

Join us for an unforgettable evening at VIVA Fiesta: Cosmos '25, VIVA's annual hallmark concert, held at the Shaw Foundation Symphony Stage, Singapore Botanic Gardens, on 26 July 2025 (Saturday), 6 – 7pm.

Fringe activities will start at 4:30pm at Palm Valley, before the concert. Admission is free and open to the public.

The evening will feature performances by accomplished singers, alongside talented young musicians from St Joseph's Institution.

The VIVA Foundation for Children with Cancer is dedicated to saving more children's lives by advancing research, medical care, and education in childhood cancer. Through this concert, we aim to raise awareness of our mission and work in support of children with cancer.

Come and be part of a magical evening filled with music, joy, and hope. We look forward to seeing you there!

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# MOVIE SCREENINGS



## Disney and Pixar's Elemental (2023)

19 July, Saturday | 7.30pm – 9pm

Eco-Lake Lawn

In a city where fire, water, land, and air residents live together, a fiery young woman and a go-with-the-flow guy discover something elemental: how much they actually have in common.

This is an eco-friendly experience powered entirely by the sun! The projectors and equipment are run on solar-charged batteries, making this a truly sustainable event. To minimize noise pollution and energy use, there are no external speakers at the event site — simply connect to the audio via the [Cineway](#) app on your phone.

No registration needed. Bring your headphones to connect to the [Cineway](#) app and immerse yourself in the film without disturbing the flora and fauna around you. See you there!

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# MOVIE SCREENINGS



## **Fire of Love (2022)**

20 July, Sunday | 7.30pm – 9pm

Eco-Lake Lawn

Katia and Maurice Krafft loved two things — each other and volcanoes. For two decades, the daring French volcanologist couple roamed the planet, chasing eruptions and documenting their discoveries. Ultimately, they lost their lives in a 1991 volcanic explosion, leaving a legacy that forever enriched our knowledge of the natural world.

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## The Wild Robot (2024)

26 July, Saturday | 7.30pm – 9pm

Eco-Lake Lawn

After a shipwreck, an intelligent robot called Roz is stranded on an uninhabited island. To survive the harsh environment, Roz bonds with the island's animals and cares for an orphaned baby goose.

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# MOVIE SCREENINGS



## **The Eagle Huntress (2016)**

27 July, Sunday | 7.30pm – 9pm

Eco-Lake Lawn

The Eagle Huntress follows Aisholopan, a 13-year-old girl, as she trains to become the first female in twelve generations of her Kazakh family to become an eagle hunter, and rises to the pinnacle of a tradition that has been handed down from father to son for centuries.

Set against the breathtaking expanse of the Mongolian steppe, The Eagle Huntress features some of the most awe-inspiring cinematography ever captured in a documentary, giving this intimate tale of a young girl's quest the dramatic force of an epic narrative film.

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES

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*Map of the Gardens*

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES



## **In a Day's Work: Heritage Core Horticulturist**

19 July, Saturday | 10.00am – 12.00pm

Visitor Services Counter @ Tanglin Gate

Step into the shoes of the team that maintains one of the most historically significant areas of the Singapore Botanic Gardens—the Heritage Core. Follow the path of a horticulturist and learn how expert care is applied to landscapes shaped by over 160 years of botanical and cultural legacy.

Beginning at Tanglin Visitor Centre, this experience takes you through key landmarks including Holttum Hall, the iconic Bandstand, and Swan Lake. Discover how plant selection, pruning methods, and landscape presentation are tailored to meet the demands of maintaining a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

The session concludes with a briefing on horticultural planning and challenges unique to heritage landscapes—giving you a practical, behind-the-scenes understanding of what it means to care for living history.

*Suitable for ages 15 and above.*

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## **In a Day's Work: Orchid Specialist**

20 July, Sunday | 10.00am – 12.00pm

Clock Tower @ Orchid Plaza

Experience a day in the life of the team that curates and cares for the National Orchid Garden's world-renowned displays. As an orchid specialist for a day, you will work alongside experts who design, maintain, and manage this celebrated collection.

Immerse yourself in refreshing live orchid pots, acquiring practical skills in display care, plant health, and species selection. Learn about Singapore's Orchid Diplomacy Programme and the vital role orchids play as national ambassadors.

The session concludes in the Sembcorp Cool House, where you will engage in pruning, orchid tying, weeding, and pest management —offering firsthand insight into the daily work that sustains this exceptional collection.

*For adults only.*

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES



## **In a Day's Work: Plant Cultivator**

26 July, Saturday | 10.00am – 12.00pm

Visitor Services Counter @ Bukit Timah Gate

Discover the secret behind the Singapore Botanic Gardens—where the magic of nurturing young plants begins. At the Plant Resource Centre, each specimen receives specialised care and careful monitoring to ensure its health and vitality.

Join us for an exclusive tour to explore essential processes such as propagation, seedling handling, seed processing, planting, and the crucial acclimatisation stage where plants gradually adapt to outdoor conditions before entering the garden beds.

This rare behind-the-scenes experience reveals the expertise and dedication involved in cultivating the diverse, resilient plants that bring the Gardens to life.

*Suitable for ages 10 and above. Children aged 14 years and below must be accompanied by an adult participant.*

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES



## **In a Day's Work: Arborist**

27 July, Sunday | 10.00am – 12.00pm

Visitor Services Counter @ Bukit Timah Gate

Join our passionate arborists for an enlightening session uncovering the secrets of professional tree care at the Singapore Botanic Gardens. Discover advanced monitoring techniques, including tree inspection, mapping, accessioning, and labelling.

Experience a live demonstration of a tree inspection and the skilful art of tree climbing. Learn how specialised maintenance practices preserve these living treasures for future generations.

Whether you are a nature enthusiast or simply curious about arboriculture, this is a rare opportunity to gain practical insight from the dedicated team who care for the Gardens' iconic trees.

*Suitable for ages 10 and above. Children aged 14 years and below must be accompanied by an adult participant.*

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES



## **DNA Unlocked: A Plant-Based Discovery for Adults**

19, 26 July, Saturdays | 10.00am – 12.00pm

Ridley Hall @ Botany Centre

This interactive workshop offers an engaging introduction to key biological concepts, including the structure and function of DNA, plant genomes, and the role of nuclei. Participants will carry out plant cell staining and observe their samples under a microscope—gaining a direct view into the microscopic structures that underpin plant life.

The session also includes a guided tour of a working laboratory, where participants will learn how scientists at the Singapore Botanic Gardens study plant genomes to advance botanical research. The experience culminates in a hands-on DNA extraction activity using fruit and household materials, offering a tangible look at the genetic material shared by all living organisms.

Ideal for adults with a general interest in biology, this workshop provides meaningful insight into the science of life in an accessible, hands-on format.

*For adults only.*

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES



## **DNA Unlocked: A Plant-Based Discovery for Young Explorers**

20, 27 July, Sundays | 10.00am – 12.00pm

Ridley Hall @ Botany Centre

This hands-on workshop offers an exciting introduction to the fascinating world of DNA—the building blocks of life. Participants will discover what DNA is, why it matters, and how it plays a vital role in shaping every living thing, from plants and animals to people.

The session features a guided DNA extraction activity using fruit and simple materials commonly found at home. Step by step, participants will get to see the normally invisible strands of genetic material appear before their eyes, sparking curiosity and wonder.

Along the way, they'll learn basic scientific concepts in a fun, accessible way—encouraging them to ask questions, think critically, and see science as something they can explore with their own hands. A perfect first step into the world of biology, this workshop promises both learning and play in equal measure.

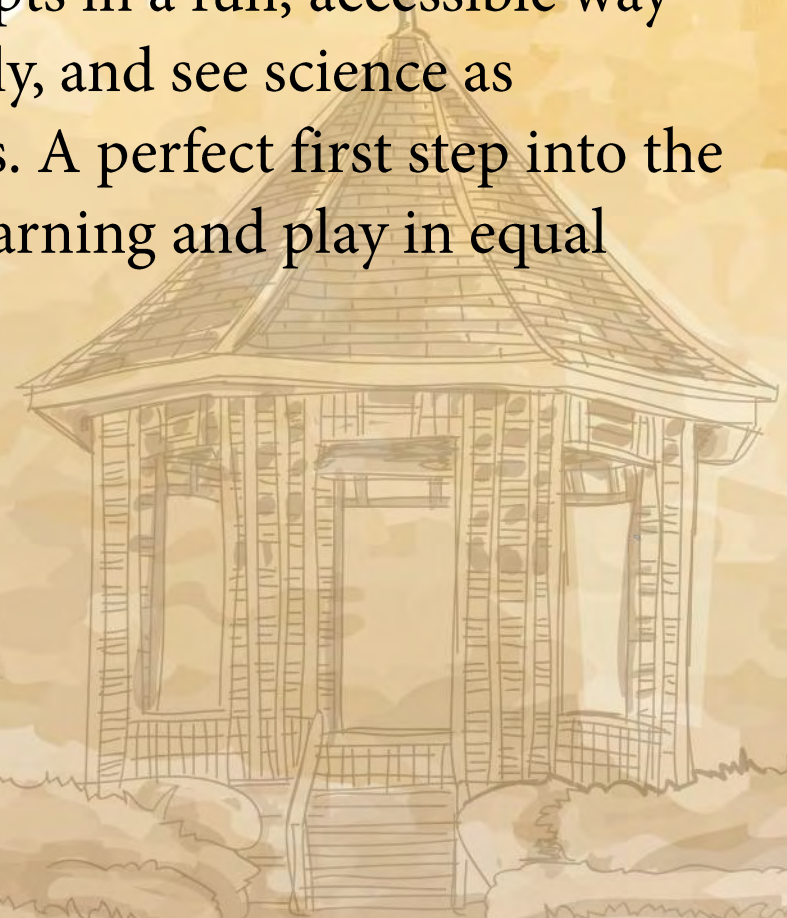
*Suitable for ages 8 – 12.*

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# ONSITE PROGRAMMES



## SBG Night Tour

19, 20, 26, 27 July | 8pm - 9pm |

Visitor Services Counter at Tanglin Gate @ SBG

Experience the enchanting beauty of the Singapore Botanic Gardens from a different perspective with our evening Heritage Trail!

The Singapore Botanic Gardens is credited as being the birthplace of Southeast Asia's rubber and orchid industries. As you stroll through the redeveloped Tanglin/Heritage Core, you'll be transported back in time to the days when horses trotted along the Gardens' winding paths, and concerts were held under the full moon in the absence of street lamps.

Our knowledgeable guides will take you on a journey through the Gardens' more than 160-year history, pointing out highlights such as the Bandstand, the famous \$5 Tembusu Tree, and the stunning orchid, *Papilionanthe* Miss Joaquim. If you're lucky, you may even spot some of the Gardens' nocturnal animals, like the Night Jar, Four-lined Tree Frog, and fruit bats!

Register at the links below!

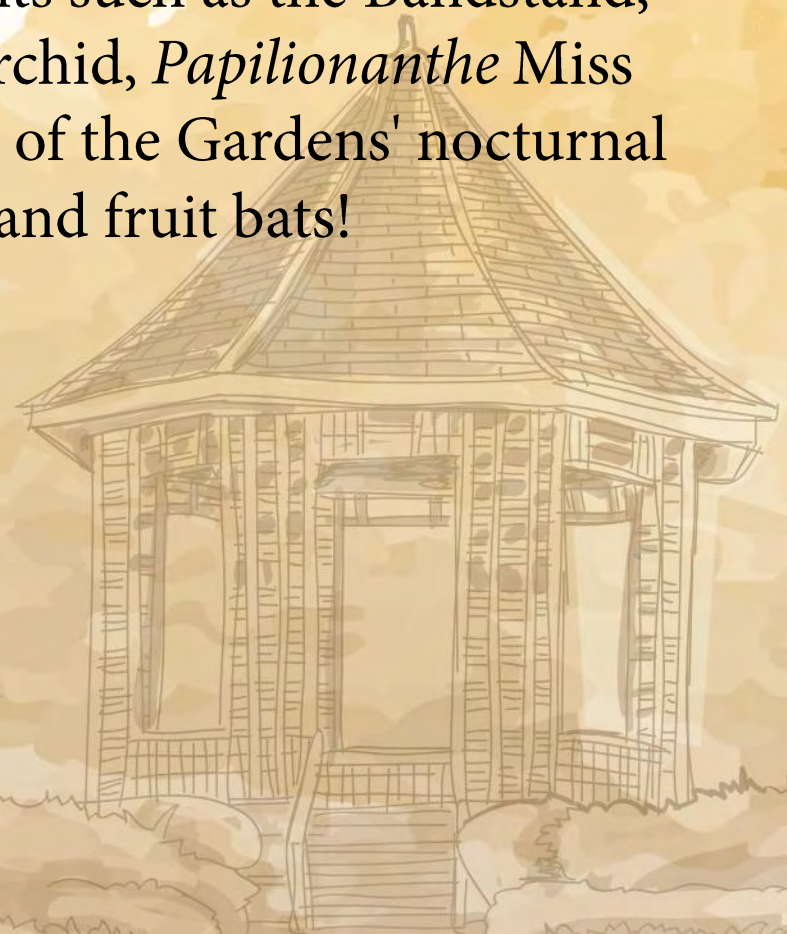
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# GUIDED TOURS



Join our volunteer guides as they take you on a journey to explore the ins and outs of the Singapore Botanic Gardens

All guided tours are free, so pick one and bring your family and friends for a fun and educational morning! Scroll down for more information.

*Registration required - please register at the respective links. Limited onsite slots available and operates on a first-come, first-served basis.*

*Note: Each tour is approximately one hour. No pets are allowed on these tours.*

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# GUIDED TOURS



## SBG Heritage Museum + CDL Green Gallery Exhibition Tour

19, 20, 26, 27 July | 10.00am |

Visitor Services Counter @ Tanglin Gate

Join us for a guided tour of the SBG Heritage Museum and the new exhibition at the CDL Green Gallery, 'Planting Memories – Singapore Botanic Gardens Through the Eyes of the Community'.

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# GUIDED TOURS



## Heritage Tour

19, 20, 26, 27 July | 9.00am |

Visitor Services Counter @ Tanglin Gate

For over 160 years, Singapore Botanic Gardens has been the birthplace of Southeast Asia's rubber and orchid industries. A walk through the Heritage Core of the Gardens will evoke memories of bygone days when ladies strolled through the Gardens with parasols and long skirts. Highlights of the tour include the Bandstand, various sculptures, Heritage Trees, the Main Gate, and Saraca Stream Walk.

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# GUIDED TOURS



## Learning Forest

19, 26 July | 9.00am |

Visitor Services Counter @ Tyersall Gate

The Learning Forest features a network of boardwalks and elevated walkways that allow visitors to explore habitats ranging from a freshwater forest wetland to a lowland rainforest. Visitors can learn about freshwater forest wetland ecosystems at the Keppel Discovery Wetlands and walk amongst a collection of some of the tallest tree species in Southeast Asia at the SPH Walk of Giants.

Register at the links below!

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# GUIDED TOURS



## National Orchid Garden Tour

19 July | 9.00am, 10.00am<sup>^</sup>, 11.00am, 4.00pm |

National Orchid Garden Ticketing Area

<sup>^</sup>Mandarin guides available

Explore the beauty and diversity of orchids with our volunteer guides in this tour of the National Orchid Garden.

Register at the links below!

[9.00am](#)

[10.00am](#)

[10.00am \(Mandarin\)](#)

[11.00am](#)

[4.00pm](#)

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# GUIDED TOURS



## Healing Garden Tour

19, 26 July | 10.00am^ |

Visitor Services Counter @ Nassim Gate

^Mandarin guides available

The Healing Garden showcases over 400 varieties of plants used for medicinal purposes. It is laid out thematically, relating to different parts of the body such as the head, respiratory, and reproductive systems. Spanning over 2.5 hectares, this garden is designed as a tranquil retreat, with a primary focus on medical plants traditionally used in Southeast Asia.

Register at the links below!

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# GUIDED TOURS



## Race Against Time - Science Behind a Botanic Garden Tour

19, 20, 26, 27 July | 10.00am |

Visitor Services Counter @ Tanglin Gate

This session introduces the research facilities at the Singapore Botanic Gardens, including the Library of Botany & Horticulture, the Micropropagation Laboratory, and the Herbarium. A highlight of this tour is a visit to the Herbarium, where physical records of reference plant materials are stored, some dating as far back as 1790. In addition, learn about our hybridisation programme for orchids, a process introduced back in 1930's by the then Director, R.E Holttum.

Register at the links below!

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# GUIDED TOURS



## Gallop Extension Tour

20, 27 July | 9.00am |

Visitor Services Counter @ Gallop Extension

Join us for a guided walk through the Gallop Extension of the Singapore Botanic Gardens. The tour begins at the Visitor Centre at Gallop and takes you through the OCBC Arboretum where you can view the dipterocarp collection. You will also experience the Mingxin Foundation Rambler's Ridge, Forest Discovery Centre @ OCBC Arboretum and the Botanical Art Gallery.

Register at the links below!

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# GUIDED TOURS



## Rain Forest Tour

20, 27 July | 9.00am, 10.00am # |

Visitor Services Counter @ Nassim Gate

#Mandarin and Japanese guides available

Discover the enchantment of our tropical rainforest with our volunteer guides during this tour.

Register at the links below!

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[20 July, 10.00am \(Mandarin\)](#)

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS

Visit the ongoing exhibitions at the Singapore Botanic Gardens and delve into the rich tapestry of heritage, culture, and environmental education.

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## SBG Heritage Museum

Daily | 9am – 6pm\* | **SBG Heritage Museum**

First opened in November 2013, the Heritage Museum featured interactive and multimedia exhibits and panels detailing the Garden's rich heritage since its inception in 1859. Over the last decade, there were several key milestones for the Gardens, including its inscription as a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 2015 and the completion of the Tyersall-Gallop Core of the Gardens in 2022. As we commemorate 60 years of greening, the Heritage Museum has also been refreshed and visitors to the museum can now find out more about the Garden's rich heritage and milestones with a particular focus on the accomplishments of the past decade through new installations and interactive exhibits.

*\*Closed on the last Monday of every month, except on public holidays. In such cases, the closure day will take place on the next working day.*

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## **Planting Memories – Singapore Botanic Gardens through the eyes of the Community**

Daily | 9am – 6pm | CDL Green Gallery\* and additional exhibits on display at People's Gallery exhibition spaces# at located near the Visitor Services Counters at Botany Centre, Nassim Gate, Tyersall Gate, and Gallop Gate and Bukit Timah Gate (MRT Station Exit A).

Discover how Singapore's green heart has touched countless lives across generations, in this exhibition celebrating the Gardens' 10th anniversary as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Through personal stories, cherished memories, and heartfelt wishes, experience how this beloved space has grown beyond its historic roots to become a living, breathing part of our shared heritage.

Visitors can also look forward to interactive displays that share about the Gardens' groundbreaking research and conservation work. These efforts aim to strengthen the connection between plants and people, ensuring the Gardens' continued relevance and purpose for Singapore.

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*#The People's Gallery exhibition spaces are opened daily from 5am - 12mn.*

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## Botanical Art Worldwide 2025 Singapore

Daily | 9am – 6pm\* | Botanical Art Gallery [Gallop Extension]

In celebration of the theme of Crop Diversity and its significance in cultural and agricultural history, this exhibition is one of over 30 exhibitions happening simultaneously across the globe. It is co-organised by the Botanical Art Society (Singapore) and the Singapore Botanic Gardens (SBG) as part of the second Botanical Art Worldwide Project, in conjunction with the Worldwide Day of Botanical Art celebrated on May 18.

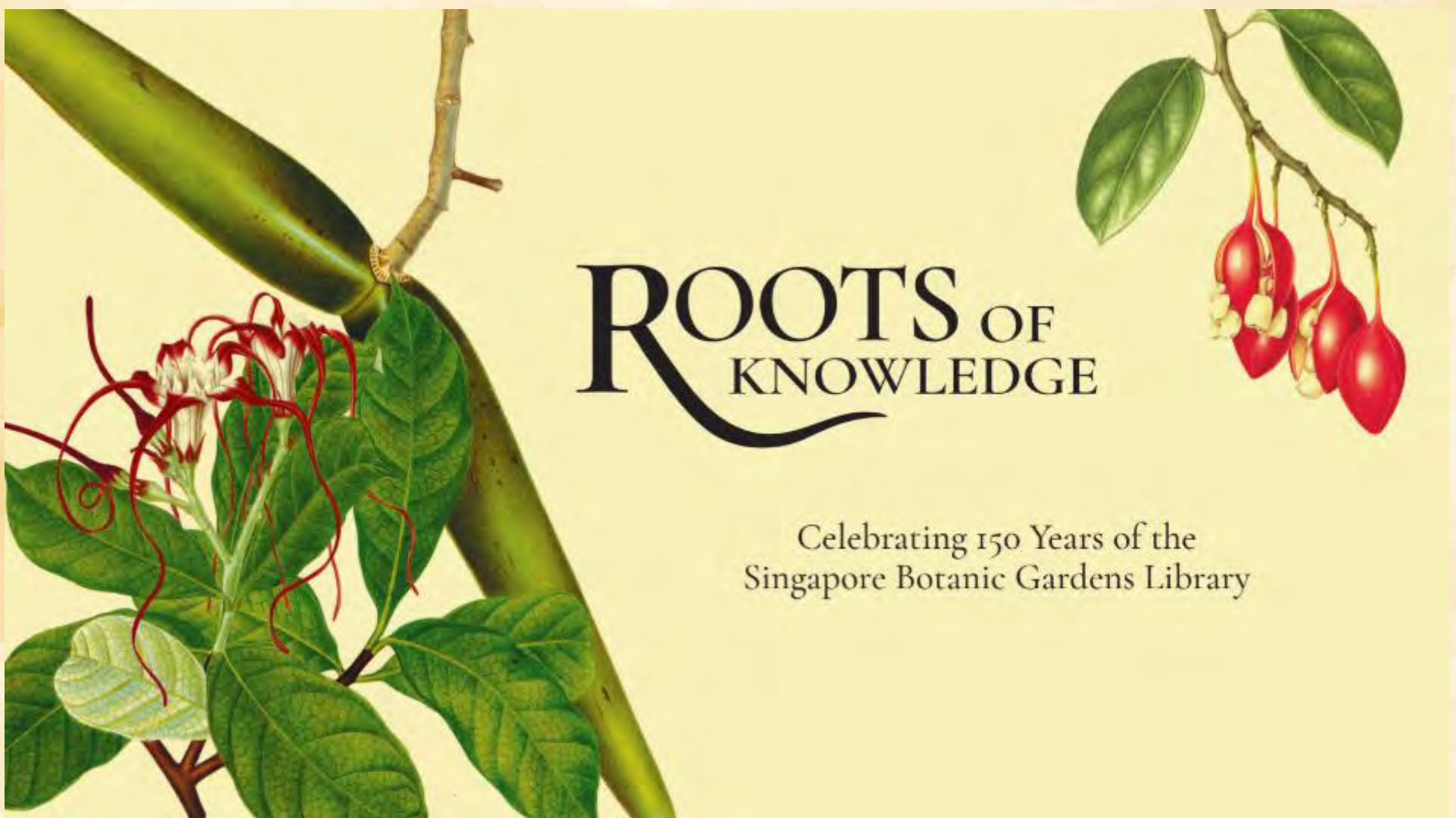
Members of the Botanical Art Society (Singapore) have submitted botanical artworks exploring Heritage Crops—traditional plant cultivars not used in modern, large-scale monocultural agriculture; Crop Wild Relatives—wild species that can enhance cultivated crops or are foraged wild plants; and Ancient Crops—plants cultivated for centuries in their original form. Each piece has been carefully selected by a panel of expert botanists and botanical artists based on scientific accuracy, artistic merit, technical mastery, and overall impact.

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## **Roots of Knowledge: Celebrating 150 Years of the Singapore Botanic Gardens Library**

Daily | 9am – 6pm\* | Botanical Art Gallery  
[Gallop Extension]

The year 2025 marks the 150th anniversary of the Library at the Singapore Botanic Gardens, one of Southeast Asia's oldest and most significant botanical libraries.

This special exhibition features rare books and historical records that date as far back as 1531. These collections support the Gardens' long-standing work in plant research, conservation, education, and public outreach.

Through carefully curated displays in the Botanical Art Gallery, discover the evolution of botanical art and documentation, and learn how these invaluable materials contributed to the Singapore Botanic Gardens becoming the first and only tropical botanic garden on the UNESCO's World Heritage List.

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## **Forest Discovery Centre @ OCBC Arboretum**

Daily | 9am – 6pm\* | Forest Discovery Centre @ OCBC Arboretum [Gallop Extension]

The Forest Discovery Centre @ OCBC Arboretum showcases the forest ecosystems in Singapore and highlights the importance of conserving them through a series of interpretive and interactive displays. Visitors can enjoy a bird's eye view of Singapore's diverse forests and learn about the Gardens' historical contributions to their preservation through a photographic installation featuring forest trees found in various local habitats.

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## **Ethnobotany and Diversity of Dipterocarps**

25 Jan – 27 Sep 2025 | 9am – 6pm\* | Level 2, Centre for Ethnobotany [Bukit Timah Gate]

Dipterocarps are a remarkable family of tropical hardwood trees known for their towering heights. These trees, found predominantly in Southeast Asia, are not only ecologically important but also serve as a traditional and economic resource. The family name Dipterocarpaceae derives from the Greek words “di” (two), “ptero” (wing), and “carpos” (fruit), referring to the distinctive two-winged fruits that many species develop. These fruits play a crucial role in seed dispersal, with some species relying on wind, while others are dispersed by gravity, water, or even animals like macaques and wild boars.

This exhibition invites you to explore the rich history, ecological importance, and versatile uses of dipterocarps. Join us to uncover the stories of these forest giants and their lasting impact on our environment and heritage.

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## Explore the Story of Plants and People

Daily | 9am – 6pm\* | Centre for Ethnobotany [Bukit Timah Gate]

The Centre for Ethnobotany explores the relationship between plants and people. Through interactive displays spanning two floors, visitors can learn how plants have shaped our cultures and world history.

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# ONGOING EXHIBITIONS



## Seed Bank Interpretive Gallery

Daily | 9am – 6pm\* | Singapore Botanic Gardens Seed Bank [Bukit Timah Gate]

The Singapore Botanic Gardens Seed Bank is a facility dedicated to conservation, research, and education within the Singapore Botanic Gardens. Its primary focus is on conserving Southeast Asian plant species by preserving their seeds and germplasm. The Seed Bank has an interpretive gallery that provides insights into its purpose and significance in plant conservation and research within Singapore and the region. Additionally, visitors can explore a seed dispersal garden, which showcases seed sculptures demonstrating various seed dispersal mechanisms.

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# TENANT PROMOTIONS

Indulge in festival-exclusive menus and promotions available throughout the Heritage Festival period\*! Scroll down for more information.

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# TENANT PROMOTIONS



## Bee's Knees at The Garage

20% off Taste of Singapore's Heritage Menu Items from Bee's Knees

## Gardens Shops

Get 15% OFF Selected Singapore Garden Festival Exclusive Merchandise

- Singapore Garden Festival Exclusive Tote Bag (U.P \$30.90)
- Singapore Garden Festival Exclusive Lunch Bag (U.P \$24.90)

Exclusively available at Gardens Shops at National Orchid Garden, Nassim Gate and Tanglin Gate.



## Heritage Harmony Basket by Pangium

*Available on 25 July only*

Enjoy an enchanting evening jazz by the Jazz Association Singapore at the Gallop Extension on 25 July with Pangium's first ever bespoke picnic basket. Come celebrate with us in nature, music and flavour!

Picnic baskets are available for pre-order from 25 June onwards. Pre-order here: [Upcoming Collaborations — Pangium](#)



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# TENANT PROMOTIONS

## iL Giardino at The Garage

Discover iL Giardino, a new Italian dining concept nestled in the Singapore Botanic Gardens, opening 9 July 2025 in the space formerly known as Au Balcon.

iL Giardino celebrates the harmonious marriage of traditional Italian recipes and nature-inspired surroundings, with a cicchetti-style of dining that offers a warm, convivial atmosphere over a table of sharing plates, offering a casual and rustic dining experience where every meal feels like coming home.

Celebrate the opening with 20% off all à la carte items at iL Giardino.



## Privé Botanic Gardens

Special Privé Botanic Gardens exclusive cocktail – Pandan Colada \$15+ (\$11+ during happy hour 4-8pm).

Beat the heat with a refreshing Pandan Colada at Privé Botanic Gardens! This tropical delight features pineapple juice, rum, coconut cream and of course (the star of the show) - pandan syrup, for a sweet and harmonious flavour explosion that will have you saying “shiok”!



## The Halia

Enjoy a complimentary drink from Halia Herbarium Collection when you order any of Halia's Signature Main dishes.



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# Singapore Botanic Gardens Heritage Festival

## From 19 to 27 July 2025

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