



RULES AND REGULATIONS

Please help us preserve the arboretum's serene atmosphere and maintain its unique and beautiful collections by observing the following rules and regulations.

Alcohol and Drugs

Alcohol and illegal drugs are not permitted.

Ball/Frisbee Playing

Ball and Frisbee playing are prohibited.

Carry out Trash

Visitors must carry out their own trash or garbage.

Children

Children under the age of 13 must be supervised by an adult.

Dogs

Dogs must be on a leash not to exceed 6 feet in length. Dog waste must be picked up and carried out or disposed of in the receptacles in the parking lots. Please do not allow dogs to urinate or walk on the plantings.

Drones

Drones are not permitted in the arboretum.

Fireworks

Fireworks, rockets, firecrackers or any explosives are strictly prohibited.

Food & Beverages

Grilling and picnicking are not allowed in the arboretum.

Groups

Group visits are limited to 25 or fewer people. In light of our limited parking facilities, no bus/large van parking is allowed. An application for a Group Visit must be submitted and approved at least 2 weeks prior to the Visit. Contact us at info@laurelwoodarboretum.org for more information.

Motorized Vehicles

All motorized vehicles, including ATVs and snowmobiles, are strictly prohibited.

Photography

Registration is required for wedding photography and other professional photography shoots. For further information, please visit www.laurelwoodarboretum.org.

Private and Sponsored Events

The policy of Friends of Laurelwood Arboretum, as adopted by the Board of Directors, is not to allow any private events in the arboretum, including birthday, anniversary and other celebrations, memorial services, and religious observances, with the exception of wedding ceremonies and photo shoots where the unique plantings and landscapes in the arboretum provide beautiful backdrops and will be featured in the photos.

From time to time, Friends of Laurelwood Arboretum may invite individuals or groups to participate in events, programs and classes sponsored or run by the Friends organization. However, events sponsored or run by individuals or groups other than the Friends organization are not permitted on the grounds of the arboretum.

Protecting the Plantings

Collecting or picking any plants, fruits, seeds or moving plant labels is strictly prohibited. Anyone found removing plants, trees or other township property from the arboretum will be reported to the police.

Sculpture Trail

Do not walk through gardens. Stay on the paths and lawns. Do not touch or climb on the sculptures.

Smoking

Smoking is not permitted. This includes the use of electronic cigarettes.

Swimming, Wading, Skating and Fishing

Swimming, wading, skating and fishing are prohibited.

Weddings

Wedding ceremonies are limited to 25 or fewer guests. Registration is required. For further information, please visit www.laurelwoodarboretum.org.

Wildlife

Do not feed or disturb the fish or wildlife. It is a violation of New Jersey State law.

The above Rules and Regulations conform to Code 129-20 of the Township of Wayne and will be enforced by the Police Department. Security surveillance cameras are in place throughout the arboretum to ensure compliance with these rules and regulations.



**Thank you for understanding,
and enjoy your visit.**