

2019 Spring Wildflower Gala



Guest Information Guide 2019 Spring Wildflower Gala “Polishing the Gem”

Bowman’s Hill Wildflower Preserve
Saturday, April 27, 2019

From all of us at Bowman’s Hill Wildflower Preserve, we are thrilled that you will be joining us for the 2019 Spring Wildflower Gala, whose theme this year is *Polishing the Gem*. An enchanted evening awaits you as you support our beautiful living museum. Proceeds from this year’s Gala will help enable us to diversify our native plant collection. Now that you have purchased your tickets, we would like to share the schedule of events for this spectacular evening.



Event Location

1635 River Road, New Hope, PA
215.862.2924

Attire

Wear your black tie best or favorite cocktail dress, paired with muck boots, and enjoy this gorgeous evening in comfort. If necessary, space heaters will be used in the tents during cocktail hour and dinner. You may, however, want to consider bringing a sweater or wrap for optimum comfort.

Before the Event

Make sure to preview the list of auction items on our website prior to the event at the following link:

[2019 Auction Items](#)

The Gala Committee has acquired unique items for you to bid on for both our live and silent auctions, donated by generous Preserve supporters. Popular items include vacations in Florida and Mexico, a party at the Preserve for 25, and one-of-a-kind art pieces. Make sure to gather your friends and plan your bids for all of our wonderful items that can be shared!

Event Timing

5:00 pm In order to enjoy the event completely, please arrive on time. The bar will be open and feature our signature cocktail, Spring Infusion. During the cocktail hour, you may ride the trolley to the Visitor’s Center to embark on a wildflower walk enhanced by the Preserve’s expert naturalists, gather in the Pavilion to enjoy hors d’oeuvres and cocktails with friends or start bidding on your must-have Silent Auction items.

7:00 pm Dinner is served in the main tent and will include a gourmet meal prepared by Max Hansen Caterer, our Live Auction, and a spirited “Raise Your Paddle” opportunity to support the Preserve. On your way into the tent, make sure to take in the artistic masterpiece created by Bucks County’s celebrated event designer, Rusty Thomas.



8:45 pm The Silent Auction will close at this time. There will be several announcements leading up to the closing, so there will be plenty of opportunities to make sure you have the highest bid.

8:30 - 10:00 pm Soak up the evening and dance the night away with friends. You’ll be glad you wore your muck boots because this crowd knows how to boogie!

Additional Information

Please make sure to visit the Preserve’s website for updated information, a full list of featured auction items and recognition of our Sponsors, without whom this event would not be possible.

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