WASHINGTON PARK ARBORETUM

AUGUST HIGHLIGHTS

1. **GRAHAM VISITORS CENTER**
   - Flower Containers
     - Plant list inside or on-line

2. **Harnessia Glory Bauer**
   - *Clerodendrum trichotomum*
     - Small deciduous tree
     - Fragrant white flowers emerge from scarlet calyces
     - Metallic blue fruit

3. **Eucryphia glutinosa**
   - Large Chilean semi-evergreen shrub
   - Honey-scented 2" white flowers

4. **WOODLAND GARDEN**
   - Chaste Tree
     - *Vitex agnus castus*
     - ‘Silver Spire’
     - Small deciduous tree
     - Lavender or white flower spikes
     - Fine textured, grayish foliage

5. **Oakleaf Hydrangea**
   - *Hydrangea quercifolia*
     - Spreading deciduous shrub
     - Oak leaf shaped foliage
     - Conical white flowers

6. **Mountain Ash/Whitebeam**
   - *Sorbus spp.*
     - Deciduous trees
     - Red, orange, pink or white fruit

7. **Bupleurum fruticosum**
   - Grey-green foliage
   - Pale umbel flowers

8. **Hydrangea spp. & cvs.**
   - Wide leaved deciduous shrub
   - Mophead, lacecap or conical flowerheads

9. **Rose of Sharon hybrid**
   - *Hibiscus x ‘Lohengrin’*
     - Deciduous shrub
     - Large single white, red eye flower

10. **Crabapple**
    - *Malus* spp.
     - Pretty green to red crabapples

11. **Hollyleaf Sweetspire**
    - *Itea ilicifolia*
     - Evergreen large shrub
     - Long, pendent white flowers

12. **Southern Magnolia**
    - *Magnolia grandiflora*
     - Evergreen tree
     - Big white fragrant flowers
     - Big shiny leaves have bronze indumentum

13. **Oaks**
    - *Quercus* spp.
     - Lovely shade tree

14. **FOSTER ISLAND TRAIL**
    - Cool shoreline trail
    - Water-loving plants and animals
The Arboretum is a hidden gem on the shores of Lake Washington. Jointly managed by UW and the City of Seattle, its 230 acres are a dynamic assortment of plants found nowhere else. The City owns the land and the University owns all of the trees and plant collections. In terms of care, maintenance and management, the City takes care of the park-like functions (trails, benches, garbage) and the UW Botanic Gardens takes care of the gardens, trees, and plant collections.

The Graham Visitors Center contains an information desk and a gift shop managed by the Arboretum Foundation. The Japanese Garden, located at the south end of the Arboretum has an entrance fee and is managed by the City of Seattle.

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You won’t find any fences or membership fees at the UW Botanic Gardens. The gardens at the Washington Park Arboretum, the Center for Urban Horticulture, and the Union Bay Natural Area are freely accessible to the public. We therefore depend on the support of individuals and organizations in order to continue to provide high-quality plant displays, information, and programs.

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