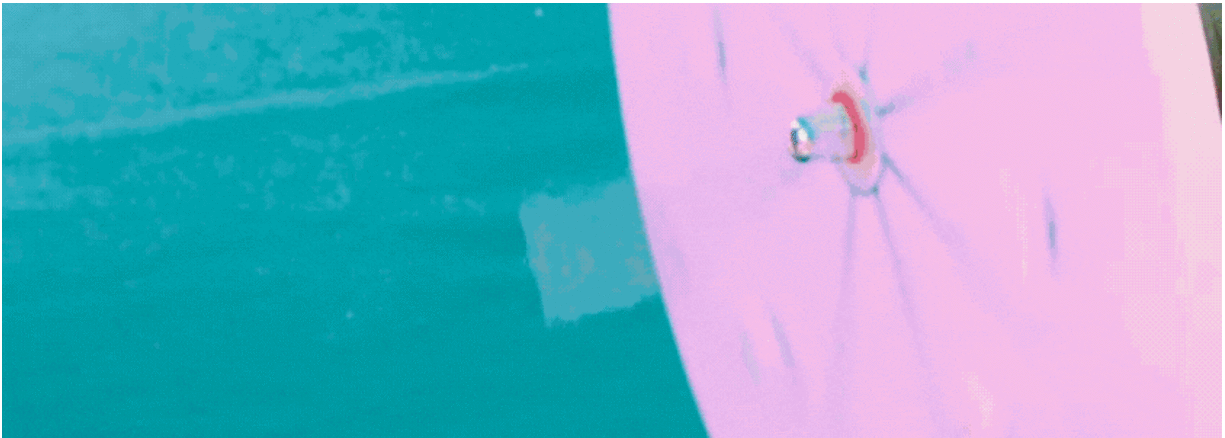




Biodiversity Days Event Spotlight



Explore the wonders of nature at UBC Botanical Garden's Family Nature Walk! Enjoy a self-guided forest adventure with fun games, crafts, and activities at educational stations—ending with a thrilling walk through the treetops on the GreenHeart TreeWalk. This 2 hour, kid-friendly event teaches the importance of plants, soil, and pollinators while connecting with community leaders and the environment. Each children's ticket includes one Kids Nature Kit—an exciting, family-favourite element of this event (valued at \$30).

Saturday, May 17th 2025

UBC Botanical Garden, 6408 SW Marine Dr, Vancouver BC.

We strive to keep our programming accessible to all families. If the admission cost is a barrier, please contact us at garden.programs@ubc.ca

[Learn more](#)

Where Change Begins – A Day to

Imagine, Connect, and Act on Climate



Join us for a transformative day of learning, discussion, and bold action on the harsh reality of climate change.

Featuring a keynote presentation by climate fiction author, Lisa Brideau, catered lunch and a tour of UBC Botanical Garden, this event is intended to engage and empower a diversity of climate-concerned citizens and community leaders. The day's proceedings will be documented by a visual artist, and conclude with a collaborative, action-oriented session.

When: 8:45 am to 4:45 pm, May 22, 2025

Where: UBC Botanical Garden Reception Centre

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Media Spotlight: Cultivara Tree Climbing Tours



As mentioned on [CityNews](#), Cultivara Tree Tours safely guides you into the canopy for an

unforgettable adventure. As you ascend, feel the gentle sway of the tree, take in sweeping views, and experience the forest from a rarely seen perspective. Book your private adventure today!

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May in the Garden



Twenty years ago, when the first native bunch grasses were introduced to the site we now call the Garry Oak Meadow Garden, we envisioned a self-sustaining, flower-filled meadow, rubbing shoulders with Garry oaks, arbutus, roses and other native shrubs. And thanks to the hard-working curators and horticulturalists who have shepherded the process since those early days, that is essentially what was created.

[Read More](#)

Your Dream Wedding Begins in the Garden

Weddings at our Beautiful Gardens

Image by Nick Chau

Host your wedding at UBC Botanical Garden or Nitobe Memorial Garden, stunning outdoor venues with lush greenery and flexible event spaces perfect for your special day. For a more intimate atmosphere, Nitobe Memorial Garden offers a unique and peaceful setting inspired by traditional Japanese design. Whether you're planning a grand celebration or a quiet elopement, our gardens provide a romantic, natural backdrop for weddings of all sizes—beautiful, memorable, and uniquely yours.

Limited 2025 wedding dates left—book now or reserve for 2026 to secure your venue. Please email garden.bookings@ubc.ca to inquire.

[Learn More](#)

Celebrate Mom with Thoughtful and Local Gifts



This Mother's Day, show your love with something unique—and Canadian!

Visit the Shop in the Garden for hand-selected gifts that celebrate nature and support local growers:

1. Dried floral arrangements for lasting beauty
2. Rare evergreen and deciduous shrubs
3. Curated Japanese maples, personally selected by our Garden Curator, Douglas Justice
4. Chimacum Woods Rhododendrons, now in stock and perfect for Pacific Northwest gardens

Shop in the Garden Open Tue - Sun from 10am - 4:30pm

Events and activities



THE DŌJIN JAPANESE ARTS SOCIETY 同仁文化会

MAY 23 - 25, 2025

EXPERIENCE KŌDŌ: The Way of Japanese Incense

At the University of British Columbia

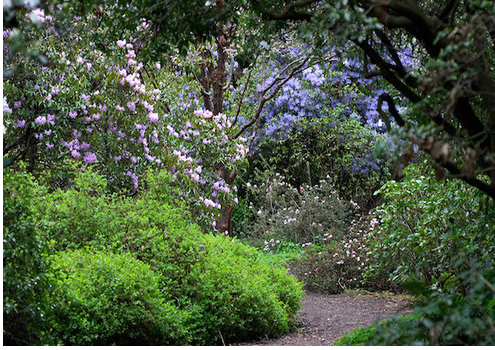
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