



The BRA Tour Committee and Broadmead's Transportation Committee have scheduled a trip to Winterthur Museum and Garden in Delaware on May 7. The cost of the trip is \$22.00/person. Winterthur was the home of Henry Francis duPont. He was a passionate collector throughout his life. He transformed his family home into a showplace for objects made and used for centuries, then opened it as a museum to share America's diverse stories with the public. The Garden is a

result of his artistic vision and is surrounded by nearly 1,000 acres of meadows, farmland, and waterways. The tour will begin with a tram ride through the gardens, ending at the museum. duPont was a collector of early American furniture and art. He purchased whole rooms from American houses and homes and reconstructed them in his home at Winterthur. As a part of the trip, there is a self-paced tour of part of the home. Also adjacent to the home is a museum with timely exhibits related to Winterthur's mission. There is also an impressive exhibit of soup tureens donated by the Campbell soup company. For those who want to explore the gardens, we will be there to experience them in bloom. The gardens are open to explore on your own.

The trip will leave Broadmead at 8:30am and return home around 4:30pm. ([details](#)). Lunch will be available at the Visitor Center cafeteria ([menu](#)).

Links to more information:

Winterthur website: <https://www.winterthur.org/>

Winterthur estate map: [Click here](#)

Self-paced Tour: <https://www.winterthur.org/self-paced-house-tour/>

Campbell Exhibit: <https://www.winterthur.org/campbell-collection-of-soup-tureens-2/>

Gardens: <https://www.winterthur.org/history-of-the-garden/>

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