

SAN FRANCISCO BOTANICAL GARDEN

# magnificent **MAGNOLIAS**

**NOW IN BLOOM**

Mid-January  
through March

BE AMAZED BY ONE OF THE CITY'S GREAT SPECTACLES, AS VELVETY BUDS ON THE BRANCHES OF NEARLY 100 TOWERING MAGNOLIAS ERUPT INTO SAUCER-SIZED BLOSSOMS, OFFERING DRAMATIC COLOR AND FRAGRANT SCENTS.



Come view the most significant magnolia collection for conservation purposes outside China, where the majority of species originate.

- **Stroll at your leisure** with guidance from a free Magnolia Walk map and take in San Francisco Botanical Garden's prized specimens, including the cup-and-saucer *Magnolia campbellii*—the first of this species to bloom in the U.S. at SFBG in 1940; the 80 foot towering 'Strybing White'; the *M. dawsoniana*—a rare and endangered species from China; the *M. denudata*—the first magnolia introduced to the western world, dating back to the Tang Dynasty—618 AD; and the *M. amoena*—one of the last magnolias discovered in the wild.
- **FREE Magnolia Mobile App** features a dynamic, searchable map of the collection—see website for download instructions.
- **FREE Magnolia docent tours and hands-on interpretation stations** on most weekends.

Enjoy daytime and full moon walks, romantic Valentine's Day special events, as well as library resources and bookstore specials, celebrating this magnificent bloom!

### HOURS & LOCATION

Open Daily at 7:30am in Golden Gate Park. Closed one hour after last entry. Last entry changes seasonally: 4pm in Jan; 5pm Feb–2nd Sat in Mar; 6pm 2nd Sun in Mar–Sept.

Entrances on Ninth Ave. at Lincoln Way (Main Gate) & at MLK Jr. Drive off the Music Concourse (Friend [North] Gate).

Use Main Gate for early entry. Friend (North) Gate opens at 9am.

### ADMISSION

Members & SF residents (with proof of residency): FREE

Non-residents: \$8 general; \$6 youth 12–17 & seniors; \$2 children 5–11; FREE children 4 & under; \$17 families of 2 adults & children 18 & under

The Garden is free to all visitors daily 7:30–9am, and all day on the second Tuesday of every month, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day.

### PARKING

Limited free street parking is available in Golden Gate Park. Additional paid parking is located in the Music Concourse Garage. Bike racks are available outside each Garden entrance.

### ABOUT SAN FRANCISCO BOTANICAL GARDEN

In addition to winter's Magnolia bloom, the Garden is proud to feature a bounty of other seasonal highlights, including spring and summer's WILD Flower bloom; fall's Cloud Forest bloom; and Asian, Australian, Mediterranean, South African, New Zealand, and other unique global plant collections.



For more information,  
call 415.661.1316 or visit  
[SFBotanicalGarden.org](http://SFBotanicalGarden.org)

Images:

Front—*Magnolia campbellii*, Travis Lange;  
Back, left to right—*Magnolia campbellii* 'Darjelling',  
Saxon Holt, *Magnolia stellata*, Brendan Lange,  
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