Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park

ONE OF THE NATION’S MOST SIGNIFICANT SCULPTURE AND BOTANIC EXPERIENCES

Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park opened to the public in April 1995. One of the nation’s most significant sculpture and botanic experiences, Meijer Gardens includes Michigan’s largest tropical conservatory; five indoor theme gardens; outdoor gardens, nature trails and boardwalk; sculpture galleries and permanent sculpture collection; library; café; gift shop; classrooms; and meeting rooms. Both indoors and outdoors, the 158-acre main campus is barrier free and handicap accessible.

Ranked in the top 100 most-visited art museums worldwide by Art Newspaper, the leading publication in global art news, the sculpture program features more than 200 works in the permanent collection sited both indoors and outdoors.

For Members of the Friends of the Snite Museum
$65

Non-Members
$75

Please reserve by Wednesday, September 26.
**ITINERARY**
**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5**

7:30 AM  Board Cardinal Bus, Dorr Road Parking Lot  
(lot entrance off Dorr Road, south of WNDU-TV on Rt 933)

7:45 AM  Depart Notre Dame campus

10:00 AM  Arrive Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park

10:15 AM  Docent tour of ArtPrize

11:00 AM  Lunch in cafeteria  
(Voucher provided, choose your own lunch)

12:15 PM  Group 1 - Tram ride tour of gardens  
(return to building)  
Group 2 - Tour indoor gardens

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Group 2 - Tram ride tour of gardens

2:30 PM  Time on your own  
(for touring Sculpture Park, Japanese Gardens, etc.)

4:00 PM  Board Cardinal Bus

4:15 PM  Depart Meijer Gardens  
(Light snack en route home)

6:30 PM  Arrive Notre Dame campus

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**PROCESS AND PRESENCE:**  
**CONTEMPORARY DISABILITY SCULPTURE**  
**SPECIAL EXHIBITION**

Meijer Gardens is once again a venue for **ArtPrize Ten**. ArtPrize is an open, independently organized international art competition decided by public vote and expert jury. It’s unorthodox, highly disruptive and undeniably intriguing to the art world and public alike.

Through the finest examples of three-dimensional practice (sculpture, ceramics, performance, installation and video art), this ArtPrize exhibition emphasizes the relationship between disability and the fundamental human experiences of change and embodiment. This innovative project is organized jointly by DisArt, a Grand Rapids-based arts and culture organization promoting full participation of disabled people in the arts, and Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park.

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**CHRYSANTHEMUMS AND MORE!**  
**SPECIAL EXHIBITION**

Chrysanthemums and More! is the largest of its kind in Michigan, featuring expansive chrysanthemum displays, fall foliage and family-friendly activities. Indoors, the Seasonal Display Greenhouse features a cascading chrysanthemum-covered wall as the main focal point. Presentations of chrysanthemum spheres, large disbuds and beds of colorful planting complement this display in the nearby Victorian Greenhouse. Expansive, outdoor beds of lush chrysanthemums are arranged in large sweeps of scarlet, purple, orange and gold.

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_Eve_ by Auguste Rodin  
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