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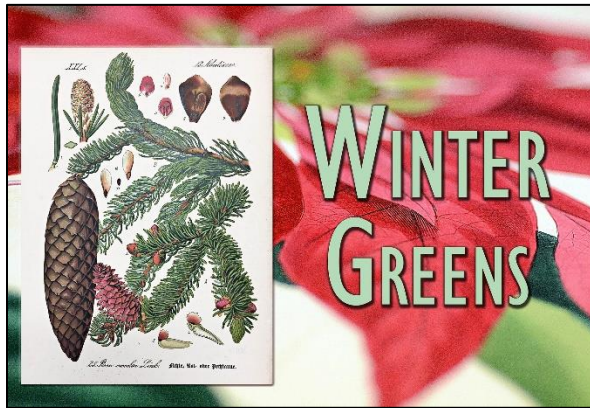
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Lloyd Library opens Holiday Exhibition December 1!

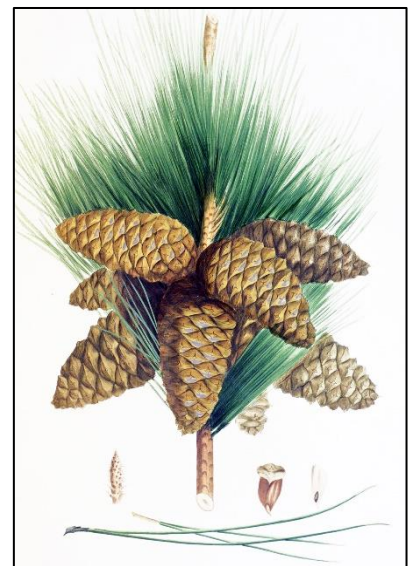


Winter Greens: Seasonal Illustrations from the Lloyd Library

When: December 1- March 17
Where: Lloyd Library & Museum
917 Plum Street, Cincinnati

Since ancient times evergreens have been revered symbols of the holiday season. Mistletoes are celebrated for their life-giving powers, and holly boughs bring good luck. Evergreens are the plants that brighten the short days of a long winter and give us hope that spring will eventually arrive. From pines and yews, to rhododendrons and magnolias, explore the wealth of images from the Lloyd Library collection dating back to the early 1800s.

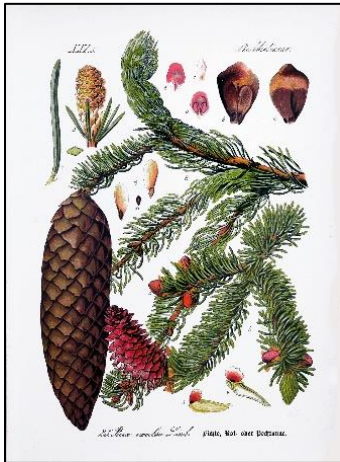
Winter Greens features early American and European books about forestry and trees, intricate botanical illustrations in bold colors and in detailed line drawings, and engaging stories about the books themselves. Prepare to be delighted and explore the science and folklore behind these celebrated plants.



Winter Greens Program Series Celebrates the Season

Complementing the *Winter Greens* exhibition, the Lloyd Library and Museum presents a series of programs, including the opening reception, a wreath-making workshop, and holiday open house.

Opening Reception



Friday, December 1, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Lloyd Library & Museum

Celebrate the opening of the Lloyd Library and Museum's latest exhibition, *Winter Greens*, featuring historic images of evergreens. View illustrations dating back to the early 1800s from the Lloyd's rare collections. Light refreshments.

Free and open to the public.

Wreath Making Workshop among Botanical Art



Wednesday, December 6, 6:00-8:00 p.m.
Lloyd Library & Museum

Usher in the holiday season by creating a unique wreath while surrounded by rare historic illustrations featured in the exhibition, *Winter Greens*, at Cincinnati's Lloyd Library. Session is led by artist Jeremy Johnson. Registration fee includes materials for your take home wreath. Light refreshments.

\$45 workshop fee includes supplies; limit 15. **Reservations required:** call (513)721-3707 or loydwreath.eventbrite.com.

Lloyd Library Holiday Open House



Saturday, December 16, 1:00-5:00 p.m.
Lloyd Library & Museum

Slip away from the hectic activities of the holidays with a stop at the Lloyd Library and Museum. Experience peace and calm when visiting one of Cincinnati's premier research libraries, explore its latest exhibition, *Winter Greens: Seasonal Illustrations from the Lloyd Library*, and warm up with hot chocolate and cookies.

Free and open to the public.

Stop by the Lloyd Shop and purchase unique holiday cards and gifts.

Holiday hours: Monday-Friday, from 8:30-4:00; Saturday, December 2 from 3-6 p.m. and December 16 from 9-5 p.m. Closed December 22 and 26.

The Lloyd Library and Museum is an independent research library. Its world-renowned collection of rare books, botanical drawings and manuscripts provides research materials and inspiration to scientists, historians, artists, gardeners, naturalists, and members of the natural health movement.

The Lloyd Library and Museum is free and open to the public. Located at 917 Plum Street in Cincinnati, Ohio. For more information or to schedule group tours, contact the Library at (513) 721-3707, email contact@lloydlibrary.org, or visit www.lloydlibrary.org.



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