

Welcome to spring! Flowers are blooming, and we at the Lloyd are in on it too. Our upcoming flower-themed events include a guided nature hike at Buttercup Valley Nature Preserve and a flower arranging workshop. We're also excited to share the announcement of our newest Fellow and Artist-in-Residence, who will bring fascinating projects to fruition at the Lloyd.

How Flowers Support our Health is Sold Out



The April 3 program *How Flowers Support our Health* with Mark Blumenthal has sold out. Although we expect a full house, this event does have a <u>waitlist</u>. Visit our <u>YouTube channel</u> to view past programs anytime, anywhere. Check out the nature hike with Greg Torres below, and stay tuned for more about an upcoming program on building your herbal library!

Walking with Wildflowers at Buttercup Valley

When: Saturday, April 13, 10-11:30 a.m. Where: Meet at Parker Woods Montessori School, 4370 Beech Hill Ave, Cincinnati, OH

Running along Hamilton Avenue in Cincinnati's



Northside neighborhood lies a forest that has been left undeveloped since the pioneer days. Buttercup Valley Nature Preserve is home to numerous 100' tall trees that are nearly 200 years old, sheltering an exquisite plant community of wildflowers. Join naturalist and horticulturist Greg Torres for this guided hike to learn more about this these unique flowers living in a very special forest.

No tickets or reservations required. Free and open to the public. Meet at Parker Woods Montessori School, 4370 Beech Hill Ave, Cincinnati, OH 45223.

Flower Arranging Workshop

When: Saturday, April 20, 1-2 p.m.

Where: Lloyd Library

Make your own bouquet in a ceramic vase in this colorful workshop! Nola Lee, owner of Petri's Floral in Bellevue, leads us through the art of bouquet building and flower arranging. The floral offerings have been directly inspired by botanical illustrations in the Lloyd's



collection. Only a few spaces left for this workshop! Registration required. \$50 workshop fee, \$45 for Members with discount code.

Register for the Workshop

Announcing New Fellow and Artist-in-Residence





The Lloyd is excited to announce 2024's Curtis Gates Lloyd Fellow, Lauren Cannady, and Artist-in-Residence, Madeleine Hordinski. Cannady will conduct research for a book exploring early attempts to bring order to the natural world, and Hordinski will expound upon the historical context of Ohio's state

native fruit, the pawpaw, through a photo exhibition. These projects will bring wider awareness and original perspectives to areas of both local and global focus, and span centuries up through the present day. To learn more about this year's recipients and their projects, click <u>here</u>.

View the Flora Mania exhibition, open through April 26.

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