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Highfield Hall & Gardens to add workshop for exhibit at the Holidays at Highfield

The Winter Wonderland Village Workshop

October 17, 2020

(Falmouth, Massachusetts): Highfield Hall & Gardens is pleased to announce a workshop for the *Winter Woodland Village*, a new exhibit during the Holidays at Highfield 2020

Highfield Hall & Gardens will add this new workshop to its Fall programming to encourage participation in the upcoming **WINTER WONDERLAND VILLAGE**.

Highfield Hall & Gardens in Falmouth has been a destination for those seeking fairies and whimsical miniature fairy houses for several years. The current climate of social distancing and pandemic concerns effected every person visiting Cape Cod this year. By offering an outdoor exhibition Highfield served thousands of visitors looking to engage in healthy and creative activities. We wish to continue to offer the public an outdoor, holiday themed experience, where families and individuals can be in nature, safely distanced in fresh air, exploring art and partaking in festive activities this holiday season.

Thus, the *Winter Wonderland Village* is in the works and we have several people signed up to display their *woodland* scene. Folks are encouraged to create their scene using natural elements, and feature representations of woodland creatures, gnomes, tiny worlds, in a holiday theme if one wishes. Vignettes may encompass a church, school, general store any item one would image to be included in a *woodland village*.

We ask that participants come to this workshop with a creative theme in mind, and Anna Holmes will work with each participant to help bring their vision to fruition. Items to be supplied; wood base (12"x24" platform), snow, glue, tools to assist, signs and consultation from our resident expert in all things floral, Anna Holmes.

Participants in the workshop are encouraged to participate in the *Village*, but is not mandatory. *Winter Wonderland Village* opens to the public on November 27th and remains open until December 13th 2020.

Winter Wonderland Workshop
October 17, 2020
10:00 am – 12:00 pm
\$30 members | \$40 non-members
Space is limited, so please register early!

If you are interested to learn more about the workshop please contact Tara Burke, Co-Executive Director at Highfield Hall & Gardens. She can be reached at tburke@highfieldhall.org, or 508-495-1878, ext. 306.

Registration required visit www.highfieldhallandgardens.org

Gallery Hours:

Highfield Hall will follow health safety protocols by restricting the number of people in the gallery at one time.

Holiday Hours subject to change
November 27 – November 29 | 12 pm – 6 pm
December 3 – 6 | 12 pm – 6 pm
December 10 – 13 | 12 pm – 6 pm

About Highfield Hall & Gardens

The house is a rare surviving example of transitional Stick Style architecture, containing beautiful gardens located in the heart of Falmouth, Massachusetts. It is a unique combination of a historic house, expansive gardens and trails, and a vibrant cultural center. Built in 1878 as the summer home for Boston's Beebe family, the house sits on 5.5 pristine acres surrounded by nearly 400 acres of conservation land and public walking trails. Highfield Hall & Gardens is not your typical historic estate. It is an example of a historic building saved by grassroots community organizing. An effort of tenacity and vision that continues as new research on the

structure and its story of the people who lived here add to the building's significance. It offers world-class music, international art exhibitions, culinary classes, family programs, and year-round special events. For more information, visit highfieldhallandgardens.org.

Mission

Highfield Hall & Gardens' mission is to honor the beauty and historic significance of the house and grounds by providing high-quality artistic, cultural, and educational programs for the enrichment of our community and visitors of all ages.