Anne Arundel Community College Printmaking Club Interpreting Nature on view September 6-October 29 There will be a reception on Saturday, September 10 from 2 to 4 p.m. **Howard & Mary McCoy Anna Harding Geoff Delanoy** Wake up...We need everybody Re-vision **Ghost Forest** On view through September 30 On view through September 3 **On view November 1-December 23** Outdoor sculpture exhibits. There will be a reception to meet There will be a reception to meet the the artist on Saturday, July 9 from artist on Saturday, November 12 from Redraw, grapevine, 2 to 4 p.m. 2 to 4 p.m. 9.5 x 12.5 x 5 feet Northern Map Turtle, colored pencil on *Untitled*, Archival Pigment Print 24" x 30" (framed) Anne McLaughlin, Naval Academy Jake Muirhead, *Little* Kathy Frank, Mouse Triptych, adkinsarboretum.org | 410-634-2847 Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Monday Thursday Friday Saturday Wednesday Re-Vision, outdoor sculpture exhibit by Howard and Mary McCoy, on view July2022 August2022 First Saturday through September 30 Guided Walk **Guided Walk** 10 a.m. *Wake up...We need everybody,* drawings 10 a.m. by Anna Harding, on view through September 3 ONLINE PLANT OF THE WEEK Art reception for PLANT OF THE WEEK Anna Harding **ORDERING** Coreopsis lanceolata lance-leaved coreopsis 2-4 p.m. ENDS for Fall Native Plant Sale **₽** PLANT OF THE WEEK 10 a.m.-noon PLANT OF THE WEEK Hibiscus moscheutos swamp rose mallow Fireflies! 7:30-9 p.m. Workshop noon-3 p.m. FALL NATIVE **BOOK** Rapturous Raptors PLANT **CLUB** 10 a.m.-noon SALE PLANT OF THE WEEK PLANT OF THE WEEK online ordering through August 11 **24** | 31 *Re-Vision*, outdoor sculpture exhibit by Howard and Mary McCoy, on view **Birding for Beginners** through September 30 Wild Foods PLANT OF THE WEEK 10-11:30 a.m. Forest Walk Wake up... We need everybody, drawings 1-2:30 p.m. PLANT OF THE WEEK by Anna Harding, on view through Asimina triloba paw paw September 3 Tuesday First Saturday Re-Vision, outdoor sculpture exhibit by Guided Walk 10 a.m. Howard and Mary McCoy, on view September2022 October2022 through September 30 Interpreting Nature, works by AACC Printmaking Club, on view September 6 through October 29 Fairyfest 11 a.m.-3 p.m. **Acorn Academy Nature Journaling** Nature Preschool Build a Wave 1-3 p.m. Hill Chair 10-11:15 a.m. Arboretum Introduction to **Bird Migration Walk Birding for Beginners** Inhabitants Big and 1-3 p.m. 8-10 a.m. Watercolor Animals of the PLANT OF THE WEEK Small Arboretum 1–2:30 p.m. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. S'mores and Stories ART RECEPTION *Arisaema triphyllum* Jack-in-the-pulpit 1-2:30 p.m. 2-3:30 p.m. Wild Connections 1-2:30 p.m. Club 2-4 p.m. 12 Acorn Academy Arboretum Introduction to Inhabitants Big and Nature Preschool SOTP Watercolor SOTP **Botanical Art Studio** 10-11:15 a.m. Small 10 a.m.–2 p.m. 'N WALKS PLANT OF THE WEEK 1-2:30 p.m. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Animals of the WALKS Fall Plants for Sun, Arboretum 1-2:30 p.m. PLANT OF THE WEEK Shade, Wet, Dry 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m Wild Connections Session Americana **Know Your Oaks! Birding for Beginners** 1-2:30 p.m. 1-2:30 p.m. concert 2-4 p.m. 1-2:30 p.m. 10-11:30 a.m. Acorn Academy Introduction Acorn Academy Climate Circle: Introduction to to Watercolor PLANT OF THE WEEK Nature Preschool Nature Preschool A Community of Color Pencil 10 a.m.-2 p.m. 10-11:15 a.m. Purpose 10-11:15 a.m. *Interpreting Nature*, works by 10 a.m.-1 p.m. **Birding for Beginners** Arboretum Inhabitants Tree Care in 2-4 p.m. Animals of the AACC Printmaking Club, Animals of the 10-11:30 a.m. Big and Small Human-Made Arboretum 1-2:30 p.m Arboretum 1-2:30 p.m. 1–2:30 p.m. Landscapes on view through October 29 Wild Foods Forest Floraging PLANT OF THE WEEK 1-2:30 p.m. Wild Connections Wild Connections 1-2:30 p.m. Liquidambar styraciflua **BEER GARDEN** 1-2:30 p.m. 1-2:30 p.m. 1-2:30 p.m. Book Club 2:45 p.m. Book Club 2:45 p.m. alking Tour 1:30–3 p.m **23** | 30 Walk 15 Arboretum Inhabitants **Birding for Beginners** Acorn Academy 10-10:45 a.m. Spiders, Oh My! 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Grounds open from sunrise to sunset. Best wishes for the new year! Ghost Forest, photographs by Geoff Delanoy, Wreath Decorating Watercolor Wreath Workshops 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. on view through December 23 PLANT OF THE WEEK 10 a.m.-noon & Hibiscus moscheutos swamp rosemallow 1–3 p.m.

EVENTS

Shore Shakespeare—*Measure for Measure* Saturday and Sunday, September 3 & 4, 2–4 p.m. in the Pavilion

Fee: \$15 adults / \$5 ages 6–18 / ages 5 and under free With the morals of Vienna creeping ever lower, Duke Vincentio departs, leaving the self-righteous Angelo in change. Soon, young Claudio finds himself sentenced to death for impregnating his fiancée. A plea from his sister Isabella, a novitiate on the brink of taking her vows, may be his only hope. Isabella faces an impossible choice: saving her honor or her brother's life. All the while, the Duke hovers about in disguise—monitoring, manipulating, and plotting for unforgiving justice.

Falling between comedy and tragedy, Measure for Measure is a tale of morals, humanity, justice, and forgiveness that could happen at any time and in any place. Bring a picnic and a blanket or chair.



Session Americana Concert Sunday, September 11, 2-4 p.m.

Fee: \$25 adults (\$30 day of event) / \$5 ages 6–18 / ages 5 and under free.

Limit of 400 participants; advance registration is strongly recommended.

Session Americana are musicians' musicians—top-shelf players, singers, and writers who tour internationally, taking both their own songs and the American songbook on the road. Join their raucous yet intimate scene in this performance against a backdrop of meadow grasses, goldenrod, and black-eyed Susan. Local beer and food from Jimmy's Fat Rolls and Pete's PeteZa food trucks will be available for purchase.

The Great Fairy House Challenge

Create a fairy house to share at the fifth annual Fairyfest! Houses must have a maximum size of 2'x 2'x 2' and should

appear to be made entirely of natural components. Platforms or manmade support materials can be used for easier transport but must be hidden by natural components. Grasses, leaves, sticks, moss, pebbles, shells, bark, seed pods, flowers, miniature pumpkins, and pinecones are common materials. Non-native seeds should not be used.



Fairy houses must be dropped off at the Visitor's Center along with a completed registration form during operating hours between September 17 through 25. Gift bags and memberships will be awarded at Fairyfest in the categories of Golden Fairy, Most Magical, Simply Spellbinding, and Eternal Enchantment. Houses may be collected beginning October 8. All houses must be picked up by October 16. Visit adkinsarboretum.org to download a registration form.

Saturday, October 1, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Fee: \$10 per person (\$15 day of the event) / ages 2 and under free Limit of 400 participants; advance registration is strongly recommended.

Bring your wings for a day of magic! Follow a trail of fairy houses along enchanted forest paths, climb aboard the Neverland pirate ship, and join a meadow maypole dance. Natural materials will be on hand for a spellbinding takehome craft. Live entertainment, fortune-telling, and magical games are part of the fun. Unicorn rides with Snapdragon Stables and refreshments—including Blue Monkey Tacos will be available for an additional fee. Don't forget your camera for photos with the Fairy Queen!

Beer Garden

Saturday, October 22, 2-4 p.m.

Fee: \$25 adults (\$30 day of event) / \$5 ages 6–18 / ages 5 and under free

Limit of 400 participants; advance registration is strongly recommended.

Since their first performance in 2014, local favorites **Dell Foxx Company** have developed a repertoire that ranges from Alabama Shakes to Grand Funk Railroad to Florence and the Machine. Groove to the band as you grab a hula hoop, play corn hole, or take a walk. Beer from Ten Eyck and Bull & Goat breweries and food from Blue Monkey Tacos and So Coast Street Eats will be available for purchase.



Plein Air Adkins

Saturday, November 5, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Fee: Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members Explore the Arboretum's forest, meadows, and wetland and observe as plein air artists paint in the morning. In the afternoon, they'll exhibit and sell their work while all enjoy music by Fine Times. Blue Monkey Tacos will be available for purchase beginning at 11 am. This event is open to any artist who wishes to participate. Artist registration is \$10—register online or the day of the event.

Holiday Open House Saturday, December 3, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, December 4, noon-4 p.m. Free admission both days

This weekend only, receive a 20% discount on all gift shop items and a 10% discount on gift memberships. With our unique selection of books, jewelry, Solemate socks, toys, art, and more, you'll find something for everyone on your list! While you're here, relax with coffee, tea, and cookies made by Arboretum staff and volunteers.

YOUTH PROGRAMS

Rapturous Raptors (ages 8–12)

Saturdays, August 20 & 27, 10 a.m.-noon Fee: \$10 per class members / \$15 per class non-members All kids love raptors. Which hawks, falcons, and owls can be found at the Arboretum and on the Eastern Shore? Join birder **Jim Wilson** to find out and to learn how raptors capture prey, care for their young, and more.

Fireflies!

Saturday, August 20, 7:30–9 p.m.

Fee: \$8 members / \$10 non-members / ages 5 and under free Stay up late for a magical summer evening with the Arboretum's fireflies. Learn fun firefly facts from naturalist **Jenny Houghton**, take a guided walk to look for creatures that come out at dusk, and settle in for lemonade and snacks as we watch the show. Advance registration required.

S'mores and Stories (all ages) Saturday, October 8, 2-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$8 members / \$10 non-members / ages 5 and under free Meet naturalist **Katey Nelson** near the Arboretum's wigwams for a seasonal craft and hands-on activity. Then gather around the fire for a story, hot chocolate, and s'mores. Advance registration appreciated.

Spiders, Oh My! (grades 2–5) Sunday, October 23, 2-3:30 p.m. Fee: \$10 members / \$12 non-members

What has big eyes, a furry body, and fangs? EEK! It's a spider! What animal makes silk stronger than steel wire and eats 75 pounds of insects a year? WOW! It's a spider! Join us in discovering the hidden talents of the misunderstood spider. We will hunt for the various webs these amazing engineers create during a walk around the Arboretum and learn how each beautiful design is used to catch prey. Games and crafts will highlight the important roles spiders play in our ecosystem. We hope to change your EEKS to WOW!

Children's Tea in the Trees Sunday, November 13, 1:30–3 p.m. Fee: \$15 adults / \$10 ages 3–18

Bring your child or grandchild to the Arboretum for a golden fall afternoon! Following a nature walk, we'll return for a fancy tea party with vintage teacups and treats to share. Nursery rhymes and a craft are part of the fun. Advance registration required.

Acorn Academy Nature Preschool (ages 3–5) Tuesdays, September 20-November 8, 10-11:15 a.m. Fee: \$100 members / \$125 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Thanks to a generous grant from the PNC Foundation, fees are waived for Caroline County residents. Advance registration required. Possums, squirrels, and owls—oh, my! Welcome fall with your preschooler at the Arboretum. Classes include nature walks, stories, songs, snacks, and an art project to take home. An instant play group for caregivers and tots alike, the nature preschool helps children learn socialization skills while they explore the wonders of the great outdoors.

HOMESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Animals of the Arboretum (ages 6–8) Tuesdays, September 20-November 8, 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$110 members / \$135 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Budding scientists will explore the Arboretum's wetland, forest, stream, and meadow habitats to study native animals of Maryland. From squirrels to skinks, foxes to finches, this eight-week program will use a hands-on approach to develop key scientific skills, including observation, experimentation, and documentation. Advance registration required.

Wild Connections (ages 9–12)

Tuesdays, September 20-November 8, 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$110 members / \$135 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Homeschoolers will explore the complex interrelationships between wild animals, the plants they depend on for food and shelter, and humans. Each week will spotlight a unique environmental connection, from the relationship between acorn yields, white-footed mice, and Lyme disease to how frogs are affected by acid rain. Advance registration required.



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FALL NATIVE PLANT SALE



Fall is the best time to plant—our extensive selection of landscape-ready native trees, shrubs, perennials, ferns, vines, and grasses will add beauty, habitat, and diversity to your garden. To ensure the best-quality plants, sales will be conducted entirely online and fulfilled by a timed pickup. Discounts for members.

Online ordering: July 21–August 11 Pickup dates: September 9–10, 13–17 Non Profit Org **US Postage** Mail Movers

STEWARDSHIP

River-Friendly Yards

Friday, August 5, 10-11 a.m. Fee: Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members A river-friendly yard restores the natural environment to benefit water quality, native species, and our local ecosystem. In this **ShoreRivers** workshop with **Darran Tilghman**, you'll learn practices, tips, and resources to make positive change in your own backyard.

Birding for Beginners

Wednesdays, August 31-October 5, 10-11:30 a.m. Fee: \$65 members / \$80 non-members

Want to learn more about the birds that you see every day? Focusing on size, shape, behavior, and song, birder Jim Wilson will provide the basics of identifying common birds at the Arboretum and around your house.

Know Your Oaks!

Tuesday, September 13, 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members

Did you know there are 21 species of oak in Maryland? Join educators **Jim Bogden** and **Aaron Turner** to learn to identify the species that grow at the Arboretum and look for them along the forest paths.

Tree Care in Human-Made Landscapes

Saturday, September 24, 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members Join **Terry Bohner** and **Garrett Dickel** of Bartlett Tree in Stevensville for an interactive discussion on the issues that tree experts see daily, including soil, tree placement, planting issues, insects, diseases, and so much more.

Fall Plants for Sun, Shade, Wet, Dry Thursday, October 13, 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$15 members / \$20 non-members Join the Arboretum's science advisor, Sylvan Kaufman, for an outdoors tour of the plants in the woods and gardens. Learn which native plants make good garden plants for fall flowers, fruits, and color.

Thanks to generous support from Jennifer Stanley, the Arboretum will present ongoing programming that addresses global warming and actions individuals can take. Climate Circle: A Community of Purpose is the first program in this initiative.

Climate Circle: A Community of Purpose Third Wednesdays, October 19-May 17, 2-4 p.m.

Fee: Free, advance registration required Are you hungry for a deeper dialogue about the climate crisis and building a community around solutions? Facilitated by Coreen Weilminster, this series will create a community of purpose where people feel comfortable expressing themselves authentically. Participants will meet monthly to trailblaze future communities of purpose, cocreating a structured support network for organizing and activating community-level solutions.

Arboretum Inhabitants Big and Small Thursdays, September 22-October 13, 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$40 members / \$50 non-members From industrious beavers to voracious voles, native wildlife plays a vital role in local ecosystems. Join naturalist Jenny Houghton to learn about the animals that call the Arboretum home and their unique relationships with native plants.

HEALTH & WELLNESS

Tuesdays, October 25-November 15, 10-10:45 a.m. This program is free.

Get your groove on with Master Naturalist Karen Gianninoto! Walk15 is a low-impact cardio workout that combines walking in place and easy dance steps to upbeat music. Considering staying after class for a stroll at 11 a.m.

Arboretum Stroll

Tuesdays, October 25-November 15, 11 a.m.-noon Free as part of the Healthy Parks, Healthy People initiative Join an Arboretum docent for a stroll each Tuesday! Walk at your own pace while enjoying conversation, beautiful vistas, and plenty of fresh air.

Nutrition for Our Brains and Hearts Thursdays, November 3, 10, & 17, 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee for the series: \$30 members / \$45 non-members Join Julianna Pax to learn how our digestive system captures nutrients from the foods we eat to nourish and fuel our bodies. She will also share tips for making simple foods that will put you on the path to better living and explore why what we eat is so vital to our health.

GUIDED WALKS

First Saturday Walks

July 2, August 6, September 3, October 1, November 5, December 3, 10 a.m.

Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members Explore the Arboretum's rich and unique native plant habitats, including mature and young native forests, meadows, a wetland, rain and pollinator gardens, the Native Plant Nursery, and the children's teaching garden. Tours with a docent naturalist begin at the Visitor's Center and last about an hour.

Bird Migration Walk

Saturday, September 10, 8–10 a.m. Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members Look for birds in the Arboretum's forest and meadows with Wayne Bell, a passionate birder, former director of Washington College's Center for Environment and Society, and enthusiast of all things ecological.

Wild Foods Forest Walk

Sundays, July 24 and September 18, 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$20 members / \$25 non-members per program Join nutritional therapy practitioner Shane Brill for a guided walk to explore historical foodways and future food resources, learn about cooking techniques to optimize nutrition and reduce toxins in common foods, and discover how a permaculture approach supports ecological stewardship, food security, and human health and vitality.

Nature's Interconnections: Fall Color, Fruits, **Buds, & Bark**

Sunday, October 23, 1-2:30 p.m.

Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members Learn to identify trees and shrubs by their fall fruits, bark, or buds on a stroll through the forest with Master Naturalist Margan Glover. All ages are welcome.

Woodland Architecture Sunday, December 11, 1-2:30 p.m.

Free for members / free with \$5 admission for non-members Appreciate the shifting seasons with **Margan Glover** as we admire the newly revealed "bones" of the woodland, meadows, and wetlands. All ages are welcome.

Soup 'n Walks

\$25 members / \$30 non-members Following a guided walk with a docent naturalist, you'll return to the Visitor's Center for a delicious and nutritious lunch along with a brief talk about nutrition. Copies of recipes are provided. All gift

adkinsarboretum.org for the full schedule and menus. Sunny Meadows—Saturday, September 17, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dazzling Fall Color—Saturday, October 15, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Autumn Harvest—Saturday, November 19, 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

shop purchases are 20% off on Soup 'n Walk days. Visit

ARTS & CRAFTING

Cyanotype Workshop

Saturday, July 16, noon-3 p.m. Fee: \$45 members / \$60 non-members A technique from early days of photography, cyanotype

uses the sun to develop a natural emulsion into a vivid blue image. Join artist-in-residence **Liz Donadio** to learn about native plant species and to make your own cyanotype and lumen prints from collected specimens. Rain date: Saturday, July 23.

Nature Journaling: Autumn Leaves and Berries

Sundays, September 4, October 2, November 6, 1–3 p.m. Fee (includes all materials): \$70 members / \$85 non-members Learn to create a personal interpretation of what you see, know, and think about nature. Join artist and Master Naturalist **Diane Dubois Mullaly** for a talk, a demo, and a walk to explore and journal about the autumn leaves and berries. All levels of art skill are welcome.

Floraging

Wednesday, September 21, 1-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$15 members / \$20 non-members per class Learn how floral designer and Chesapeake Blooms co-founder Samantha McCall creates stunning and environmentally friendly floral designs. The program will emphasize sustainable practices, using branches, twigs, and chicken wire as armatures and floraging for unusual natural elements.

Build a Wave Hill Chair

Saturday, October 8, 1–3 p.m. \$300 members / \$375 non-members Chanticleer Garden horticulturist and craftsman **Dan Benarcik** returns to lead a workshop in constructing the iconic and timeless Wave Hill chair. Bring a fully charged cordless drill; all other materials are provided. Constructed chairs retail for \$425.

Wreath Decorating Workshops

Tuesday, November 29, 10 a.m.-noon and 1-3 p.m. Fee: \$75 members / \$90 general public Craft a holiday wreath that is unique to you! We'll supply an evergreen wreath, bows, glue guns, wiring, a wealth of natural materials, and plenty of guidance. Holiday music and hot chocolate will add to the cheer. Advance registration required.

Holiday Greens Workshop

Saturday, December 3, 10 a.m.-noon Fee: \$75 members / \$95 non-members Join floral designer and Arboretum docent **Nancy Beatty** to create an elegant centerpiece to grace your holiday table.

BOTANICAL ART PROGRAMS Materials lists will be provided.

Botanical Art Studio

Friday, October 14, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

Fee: \$25 members / \$30 non-members This guarterly class is offered to encourage artists' ongoing commitment to their work and to provide connections with others who are exploring botanical art. There will be suggestions for moving forward with pieces in process, ideas for a project to work on between these classes, and more. Registration is limited to 10 to ensure that each artist receives quality individual coaching.

Introduction to Watercolor

Fridays, September 16, 23, & 30, October 7, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Fee: \$195 members / \$240 non-members Watercolor is a versatile and expressive medium, but it can be intimidating at first. This introductory class with **Kelly Sverduk** will focus on proper watercolor techniques: brush handling and control of water, mixing colors using a limited palette, and achieving gradients and a variety of textures with washes and layering.

Introduction to Color Pencil

Fridays, October 21 & 28, November 4, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Fee: \$105 members / \$125 non-members This workshop with **Lee D'Zmura** will introduce basic color pencil techniques. Sessions will include demonstrations of techniques and incorporate exercises that explore application and tonal effects on various surfaces. Hue, value, and intensity will also be discussed.

Tree of the Year: Persimmon Friday, October 29, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Fee: \$60 members / \$75 non-members Join **Kelly Sverduk** in getting to know the Adkins Tree of the Year through observation, sketching, and painting. Students will use graphite and pen to create a field sketch page featuring the fruit, leaves, and other features of this native tree. Watercolor washes will add a burst of fall color.

Illustrated Phenology Wheel

Fridays, November 18 & December 2, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Fee: \$90 members / \$115 non-members A circular calendar used to record observations of the natural world, a phenology wheel can focus on a particular area or chart the growth and habits of plants and animals through the year. Illustrate a sample wheel with Kelly **Sverduk** and then set up a fresh one to complete in the months ahead.

Watercolor Wreath

Wednesday, November 30, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$65 members / \$80 non-members

Paint a decorative wreath featuring some of the Arboretum's evergreens. The workshop will cover some watercolor basics, so it is suitable for both new and seasoned watercolor students.

TRIPS



Light: Installations by Bruce Munro at **Longwood Gardens**

Thursday, September 29, noon-10 p.m. *Fee: \$95 members / \$115 non-members*

British artist Bruce Munro is best known for immersive large-scale light installations inspired by his interest in shared human experiences. Ten years after his U.S. debut exhibit at Longwood, he returns to the Gardens with Light, an exhibition spanning indoor spaces and outdoor vistas. The day includes ample time to explore the grounds on your own.

The bus departs from Aurora Park Drive in Easton at noon, from the Route 50 westbound/Route 404 Park and Ride at 12:30 p.m., and from the 301/291 Park and Ride in Millington at 12:45 p.m. We will depart for home at 8 p.m. Feel free to bring water and treats for the bus ride.

Holiday Trip to the Mall Monday, December 5, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Fee: \$75 members / \$95 non-members Join us for a day at the Mall—The National Mall! You will have five hours to explore sites such as the National Gallery of Art, the U.S. Botanical Garden Conservatory and annual

holiday, the National Gallery Skating Rink, and more.

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