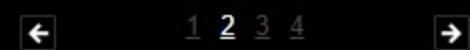




## Visit Lynden

Open 10 am-5 pm  
Closed Thursdays

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## Welcome

*In accordance with the order from the county, Lynden is currently closed to the public.*

- We are rolling out virtual materials to be used while staying at home. We are posting these materials on a new, mobile-friendly platform; when we reopen, we will adapt this tool to enhance your visits to Lynden. You can access these materials, including virtual tours and family activities, at [lynden.tours](#).
- For additional updates on Lynden and COVID-19, please [click here](#).
- For a list of resources for artists during the COVID-19 outbreak, [click here](#).

The Lynden Sculpture Garden offers a unique experience of art in nature through its collection of more than 50 monumental sculptures sited across 40 acres of park, lake and woodland.

**Please note: we do not have paths at Lynden. We strongly advise suitable footwear.**

The former home of Harry and Peg Bradley opened to the public in May 2010. The Lynden house and grounds were purchased by the Bradleys in 1927. They retained the Chicago landscape architects William Langford and Theodore Moreau to transform the flat farmland, with its small farmhouse and barn, into an English country garden. The lake and rustic bridge spanning the water were designed to match Harry Bradley's memories of the municipal grounds in Kansas City where he swam as a boy. In 1962, Peg Bradley—already an experienced art collector—began collecting the contemporary monumental sculptures that secured Lynden's international reputation. She collected actively until her death in 1978, often inviting artists to Lynden to site their works. The collection includes sculptures by Alexander Archipenko, Henry Moore, Barbara Hepworth, Clement Meadmore, Marta Pan, Tony Smith, Mark di Suvero and many others.

The Lynden Sculpture Garden is committed to promoting the enjoyment, understanding, and appreciation of art, sculpture and the environment through the exhibition of art and sculpture, educational experiences and connections with the community. Educational programming focuses on the intersection of art and nature, providing hands-on experiences that integrate Lynden's collection of monumental outdoor sculpture with the natural ecology of the site. Prior to opening to the public, the house and a portion of the grounds were transformed using sustainable building and landscaping practices.

Download a [Brief History](#) of Lynden Sculpture Garden.



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## Upcoming Events

[Rescheduled - 2nd Annual Lynden Community Iron Pour](#)  
May 23, 2020 - 11:00am - 6:00pm

[NEA Big Read: Advice from the Lights by Stephanie Burt](#)  
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[The Freedom in the Constraint: A Workshop with TC Colbert](#)  
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May 24, 2020 - 12:00pm - 3:00pm

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May 30, 2020 - 12:00pm - 4:00pm

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[Here Comes Clement Meadmore](#)

Monday, January 7, 2019  
Urban Milwaukee

[Cecelia Condit ponders extinction in video table at Lynden Sculpture Garden](#)

Monday, March 27, 2017  
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[Art City: Using objects to explore, reimagine a slave's world](#)

Wednesday, August 10, 2016  
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[A cabinet of curiosities in a cabin](#)

Friday, July 29, 2016  
Wisconsin Gazette