



General Photography Guidelines at The Whiteside Garden

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- Do not enter flower beds, plant displays, or mulched areas. Remain on the pathways and grassy turf at all times.
 - Do not disturb or remove plants, plant labels, or containers.
 - Do not change or remove any plant labels or signs.
 - Do not block entrances, pathways, or garden areas.
 - Drone photography is not allowed on the grounds.
 - The Whiteside Garden reserves the right to restrict access to certain areas.
 - Remember that the garden is a public place where visitors are welcome in all public areas and that regular business continues during normal operating hours.
 - No commercial use is allowed and no compensation may be received for plant or garden images.
 - Students are welcome to use the plants and gardens of The Whiteside Garden as a backdrop for videography/photography/research projects. Please fill out a form at <https://www.dhnature.org/research>
 - Large groups over ten are not permitted. (Please see photography permit for professional photography use)
 - No props, furniture, luggage, or clothing changes are permitted. (Please see photography permit for professional photography use)



Professional Photography Guidelines at The Whiteside Garden

Professional Photographers must obtain a permit and a reservation if they wish to use The Whiteside Garden for photography/videography. A photography permit is required for Professional Photography that involves:

- Props, furniture, or similar
- Tripod, lighting or similar camera equipment
- Clothing changes
- Groups of more than 10 individuals
- Photography that will last for an extended time (30 minutes or more)
- Photography related to weddings, wedding engagements, family portraits, senior pictures, or similar.

Additional Guidelines:

- Professional photography permits cost \$25 for 1 hour or \$40 for 2 hours.
- To apply for a photography permit, please visit: www.dhnature.org/wgrentals or email dhfoundation@dhnature.org. Please list multiple dates and times of preference for your permit reservation. A Douglas-Hart Foundation staff member will confirm your reservation within five business days.
- Please follow all general photography guidelines listed on the previous page.
- Permit reservations are rain or shine, no refunds. However, permits may be moved to different days in the event of inclement weather.
- Groups may not exceed 25 persons.
- Permit dates are flexible and can be booked on days the garden is not typically open to the public.
- By obtaining a permit you are ensuring no other programs or events will be booked during your time.