Temple University
Ambler Arboretum





Hello Friends,

The Ambler Arboretum presents Ambler in Bloom: Rooted in the Elements, and we invite you to be part of this interactive and powerful celebration.

On Saturday, October 3, 2026, step into the historic gardens for an interactive luncheon that explores the essential forces that sustain every landscape—roots, sun, water, and soil. As we view the gardens through these lenses, guests will enjoy botanical cocktails, live music and interactive experiences that blend nature with sensory exploration. It's not just a fundraiser— it's a living, breathing love letter to the plantings and stories that shape Ambler.

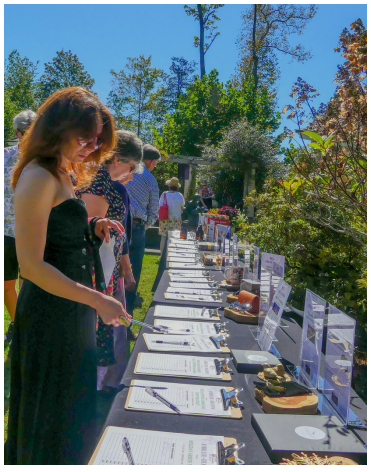


Sponsors and their guests begin the afternoon with a private tour offered a handcrafted cocktail, and an intimate guided walk through the Arboretum's collections. The celebration continues with an artistic garden luncheon featuring curated artisanal food truck stations inspired by the landscape itself. Guests will enjoy live music, roaming experiences, garden-inspired cocktails, interactive demonstrations, and a thoughtfully curated silent auction woven throughout the grounds.



Your contribution directly supports the Ambler Arboretum—a living laboratory that reflects Temple University Ambler's commitment to environmental stewardship, sustainability and wellness.

With gratitude,



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SPONSORSHIPS

On **Saturday, October 3, 2026**, celebrate **Amber in Bloom: Rooted in the Elements**.
Just as roots, water, soil and sunlight help our gardens grow, so does your support! All the levels featured below are essential—some in large amounts, others in smaller amounts. Without any of them, our plants and gardens could not thrive. All funds raised will benefit the Ambler Arboretum.

As a special prelude, sponsors and their guests are invited behind-the-scenes for an Arboretum Director-lead journey through the formal gardens, sharing the stories and horticultural vision that our donors help bring to life.

$5,000 - Roots $4,200 tax-deductible

A steadfast anchor to our growth, carrying nutrients and connecting resources.

- Recognition in Temple University's Conwell Circle
- (8) tickets to Ambler in Bloom with (1) private reserved tables for garden lunch
- Special thanks for your sponsorship live at the event
- Name listing and logo placement on event web page and signage

$2,500 - Sun $2,100 tax-deductible

The sun makes plant life possible.

- Recognition in Temple University's Conwell Circle
- (4) tickets to Ambler in Bloom
- Special thanks for your sponsorship live at the event
- Name listing and logo placement on event web page and signage

$1,000 - Water $800 tax-deductible

The most precious substance on Earth.

- Recognition in Temple University's Conwell Circle
- (2) tickets to Ambler in Bloom
- Special thanks for your sponsorship live at the event
- Name listing and logo placement on event web page and signage

$500 - Soil $300 tax-deductible

Soil provides our foundation.

- (2) tickets to Ambler in Bloom
- Special thanks for your sponsorship live at the event
- Name listing and logo placement on event web page and signage

$100 Individual Ticket no tax deduction

Deadline for Sponsorships SEPT. 11, 2026

pay online: ambler.temple.edu/bloom

Mail checks to: Ambler in Bloom, 580 Meetinghouse Rd, Ambler, PA 19002

If mailing checks, please include your full name and contact information.

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Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your request of Dec. 15, 2008, regarding your tax-exempt status.

Our records indicate that a determination letter was issued in August 1926, that recognized you as exempt from Federal income tax, and discloses that you are currently exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Our records also indicate you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in section(s) 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,

Cindy Westcott

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CERTIFICATE REGARDING TAX STATUS OF *Temple University*

The undersigned, *John S. DeLio* the *Assistant Controller* of *Temple University* and as such authorized to execute this certificate in the name of *Temple University*, hereby certifies that to the best of (his/her) knowledge, information and belief, the following facts are true, correct and complete.

(1) *Temple University* has received a ruling or determination letter(s) from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) stating that *Temple University* qualifies as an organization described in Section 501 (c)(3) and 509 (a) of the IRS Code identified in the attached IRS determination letter(s) dated 04/29/09. Also, *Temple University* is not a private foundation, because it is described in section(s) (170 (b)(1)(A)(ii)) of the Internal Revenue code.

(2) Notice of a change in the status of *Temple University* under the section or sections of the IRS Code has not been made to the public (such as by publication of the Internal Revenue Bulletin), and the IRS has not given notice to *Temple University* that it will be deleted from such status.

(3) *Temple University* has timely complied with all of its applicable deferral, state and local tax and information return filing requirements, including filing of its Form 990.

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Date: 1-12-2012

John S. DeLio
Assistant Controller