

**Chanticleer, A Pleasure Garden, opens April 1<sup>st</sup> for 2015 season**

**Chanticleer is named one of the Top 10 Gardens Worth Traveling for**

WAYNE, PA – Garden Tourism is on the rise just in time for Chanticleer’s opening day. Gardeners and staff prepare for Wednesday, April 1<sup>st</sup> at 10:00am, when the garden opens to the public for its 22<sup>nd</sup> season. Visitors are invited to stroll the imaginative gardens Wednesday through Sunday 10:00am – 5:00pm until November 1<sup>st</sup>.

Chanticleer is once again named one of the ‘Top 10 North American Gardens Worth Traveling For’ by the Garden Tourism Awards. Visiting gardens is a large and growing sector of the tourism market. The award recognizes gardens that demonstrate limitless potential and provide a dynamic garden experience to visitors.

Chanticleer is one of more than 30 public gardens, arboreta, and historic landscapes in the Philadelphia region, known as America’s Garden Capital. When you visit one of them use #Americasgardencapital to share your garden experience.

**Tours**

Chanticleer offers 45-minute tours of the home and garden are offered at 11:00am every Friday and Saturday, April through October. Advance reservations are recommended. The \$15 per person fee includes general admission (\$10). Guided tours for groups are also available by reservation. They are offered Wednesdays through Fridays, last 90 minutes, and cost \$20.00 per person, including general admission. A \$200 deposit must accompany reservations; the balance is due on the day of the tour.

**Classes**

Join the Chanticleer gardening staff in classes that demonstrate how to create beauty and whimsy in your home garden. Classes are offered after hours at Chanticleer, in partnership with the Pennsylvania Horticulture Society. For the full list, please visit <https://www.pennhort.net/chanticleer>.

**About Chanticleer**

Chanticleer, a 35-acre pleasure garden known for its creativity and innovation, has generated attention nationally and internationally for garden style and execution. Chanticleer is open April 1-November 1, 2015, Wednesday through Sunday from 10am-5pm. For more information, please visit [www.chanticleergarden.org](http://www.chanticleergarden.org).



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