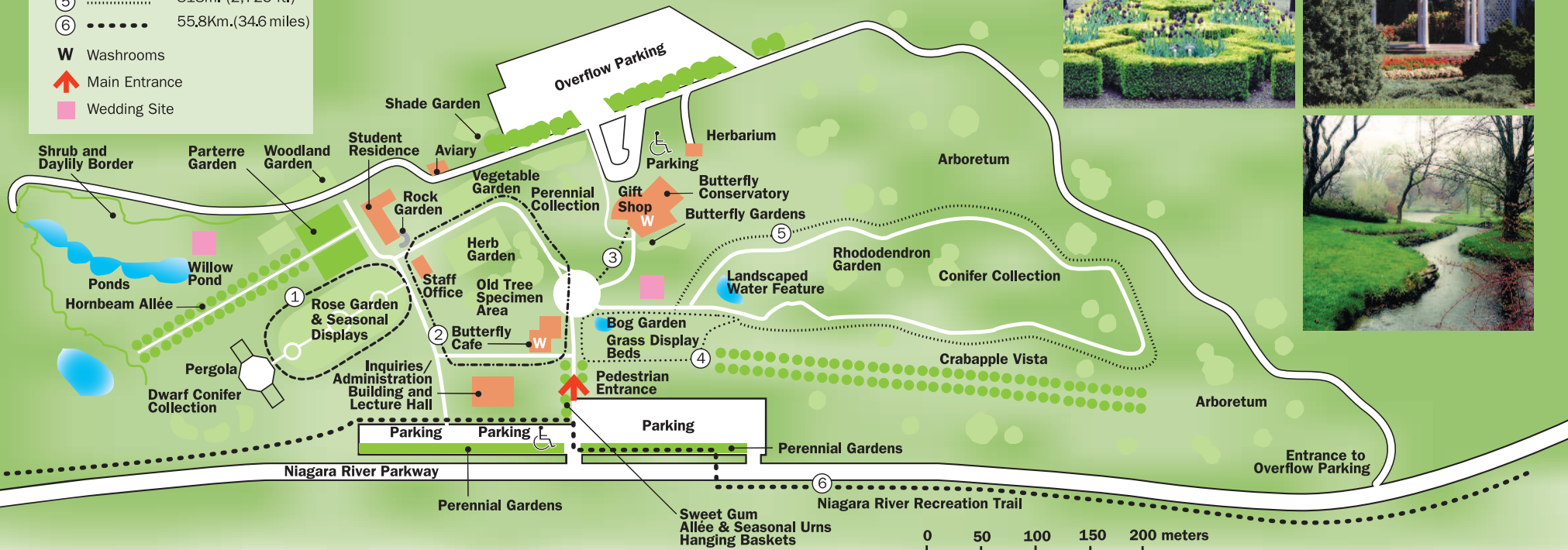


Pathways Distances

- ① - - - - - 230m. (765 ft.)
- ② - · - - - - 450m. (1,500 ft.)
- ③ · · · · · 76m. (250 ft.)
- ④ · · · · · 522m. (1,740 ft.)
- ⑤ · · · · · 818m. (2,725 ft.)
- ⑥ · · · · · 55.8Km.(34.6 miles)

- W** Washrooms
- ↑** Main Entrance
- Wedding Site



Botanical Garden Features

Originally carved out of poor farm land, today's 40 hectare (100 acre) Botanical Gardens are a thriving site for beautifully maintained gardens and award-winning feature landscapes. Visitors are greeted at the main entrance with an impressive and diverse perennial landscape, complemented by colourful seasonal urns and overflowing hanging baskets.

A key feature to the south end of the site is one of North America's largest and finest Victorian Rose Gardens, with over 2,400 roses,

highlighted by innovative themed seasonal displays. Close by is the one-of-a-kind Hornbeam Allée, that creates a grand view through the formal Parterre Gardens. A spectacular view also extends through the Rose Garden to the Crabapple Vista and Arboretum collections. The formal English Herb Garden is also one of North America's largest and should not be missed.

Visitors return time and time again to discover new ideas from the finely manicured Vegetable and Edible Plant Garden. Contrasting the immaculate formal landscape are the restful Woodland, Shade and Water Feature Gardens. Each season reveals new delights, particularly along the peaceful walk through the Arboretum, with its diverse and sculpted long grass areas and one of Canada's finest tree collections.

At the centre of the grounds is the Butterfly Conservatory, a tropical plant paradise filled with over 2,000 free-flying butterflies, waterfalls and native granite rock from the French River district on



the Canadian Shield. At the entrance to the Conservatory, the Butterfly Gift Shop features unique nature-themed gifts and offers first aid, wheelchairs, telephones, washrooms, and information. Ask at the Shop about special programs, horse-drawn carriage tours

and guided garden walks that are frequently available. For a light meal or snack, the licensed Butterfly Café is located near the entrance to the grounds. Staff and students at the Niagara Parks Botanical Gardens & School of Horticulture welcome you and hope you enjoy our gift to the world - the Botanical Gardens.

