



**DALLAS ARBORETUM  
AND BOTANICAL GARDEN**

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**Dallas Arboretum Offers Special \$1 Admission for August Dollar Days,  
Presented by Reliant**

***An Additional \$1 for Admittance to the Rory Meyers Children's Adventure Garden***

**Dallas, Texas (August 2017)** - The drawn out sun-drenched days of summer bring in August Dollar Days, presented by Reliant. Named "One of the World's 15 Most Breathtaking Gardens" by Architectural Digest, the garden is offering \$1 general garden admission, \$5 for parking, and \$1 admission into the Rory Meyers Children's Adventure Garden for the month of August. Summer programming for the Children's Adventure Garden features Splashdown Science Summer with solar weekdays and water weekends that correlate with STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics).

The many beds are bursting with ageratum, impatiens, lobelias, petunias, cleome, begonias, salvia, marigolds and zinnias during the summer. As it heats up, caladiums, lantana, pride of Barbados, variegated tapioca, elephant ears and coleus are added to the gardens.

"Summer is always a great time for families to enjoy the outdoors, particularly at one of the most beautiful gardens in the world," said Elizabeth Killinger, president, Reliant.

"We're glad to partner with the Dallas Arboretum on Dollar Days to give visitors a glimpse of nature at a very affordable price."

Dollar Days food includes \$1 sodas, juice and frozen pops, \$2 root beer floats and hotdogs, and \$4 brownie sundaes. Mark Wolf, Dallas Arboretum board chairman, said, "We look forward to record attendance this August, thanks to our partnership with Reliant to present August Dollar Days. For only \$2 per person, everyone can come enjoy the beautiful gardens and experience the nationally acclaimed Children's Adventure Garden at such an affordable price."

August Dollar Day tickets are available for purchase only at the gate. Parking is available for a discounted \$5 per vehicle. For more information on August Dollar Days and other daily activities, call 214.515.6500 or visit [www.dallasarboretum.org](http://www.dallasarboretum.org). For a full list of summer programming for the Children's Adventure Garden, visit <http://www.dallasarboretum.org/named-gardens-features/the-rory-meyers-childrens-adventure-garden/childrens-garden-activities>.

**About the Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Garden:**

The Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Garden is located on the southeastern shore of White Rock Lake at 8525 Garland Road, Dallas, Texas 75218. The Dallas Arboretum is also the home of the internationally acclaimed Rory Meyers Children's Adventure Garden. The Arboretum is open daily from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. *The Dallas Morning News* is the principal partner of the Dallas Arboretum. The Arboretum is supported, in part, by funds from the Dallas Park and Recreation Department. WFAA is an official media sponsor for the Dallas Arboretum. For more information, call 214.515.6500 or visit [www.dallasarboretum.org](http://www.dallasarboretum.org).

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