

Little Island Landscape Guide

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Featured Trees & Evergreens

Our evergreens were specifically chosen for the colorful hues they unveil during the winter and the ones in The Play Ground also serve a practical purpose to protect you from the cold winter wind and the noise from the highway.



Pinus mugo 'Wintersonne'



Microbiota decussata



llex glabra 'Shamrock'



Cryptomeria japonica 'Yoshino'



Pinus cembra



Pinus mugo var. pumilio

Featured Plants

While the majority of our plants and trees lay dormant during the winter, you can still walk along our pathways to discover resilient and plants that thrive during this chilly season.



Hamamelis virginiana



Helleborus niger 'HGC Josef Lemper'



Jasminum nudiflorum



Hamamelis x Intermedia 'Swallow Hayes'

Featured Fruits: Berries

During this season, our landscape comes alive with a variety of berries, offering a nutrient-rich treat for various bird species on chilly days.



llex verticillata 'Red Sprite'



Juniperus virginiana 'Canaertii'



Rosa rugosa



Symphoricarpos x chenaulti 'Hancock'

Featured Plants: Ornamental Grasses

At Little Island during the winter season, the ornamental grasses create a spectacular display of movement to our gardens with feathery plumes swaying in the crisp winter air.



Miscanthus sinensis
'Gracillimus'



Miscanthus sinensis 'Morning Light'



Panicum virgatum 'Shenandoah'

Have questions about the landscape? Feel free to ask one of our gardeners in the park!