

# SPRING ALONG THE HUDSON

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FROM WATERBURY...

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STOP #1: GPS 945 N. Broadway, Yonkers. Just in case...

Continue on I-84 West into NY. Take Exit 20 for I-684 toward NY-22/White Plains/Pawling (39 miles.) Take I-684 south (11 mi.) Take Exit 5 toward NY-117. Follow the Saw Mill River Parkway S. to N. Broadway in Yonkers (25 mi.) Turn right on to Executive Boulevard (on a Yonkers exit sign.) Straight to stay on Executive Blvd. Left on N. Broadway. Untermyer is on the right. (You are heading north. Continue a few minutes past the park entrance to make a coffee or restroom run. Addresses below for Dunky D's and Starbuck's.)

About 80 miles. 1½ hours

## STOP #1: Untermyer Park & Gardens

945 N. Broadway, Yonkers, NY

FIRST: COFFEE /SNACK/ RESTROOMS

Both a just north of Untermyer Park on N. Broadway

Starbucks - 1086 N Broadway, Yonkers

Dunkin Donuts - 1034 N. Broadway, Yonkers



Untermyer Park Entrance just south of St. John's Hospital. Free. A 40+ acre walled Persian Garden built in 1912 with Hudson views.

### PARKING:

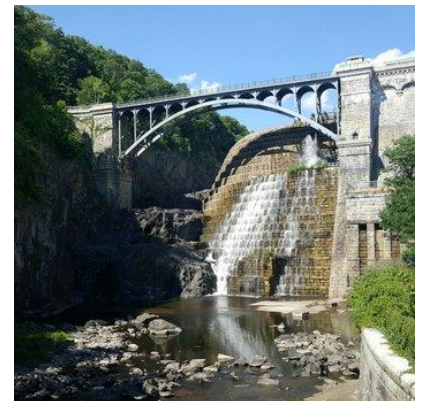
There are two small lots with spaces for about thirty cars next to the community center. (See the map.) In addition, there is street parking along North Broadway which is both metered (coin operated) and unmetered.

## STOP #2: CROTON DAM

LUNCH: PICNIC at Croton Gorge Park. Pick up a sub/whatever at one of these two delis close to the park.

### Franki's Sandwich and Grill

7 Old Post Rd S, Croton-On-Hudson, NY 10520



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## **Hudson River Deli & Market** (on the road to and near Croton River Park)

186 Grand St, Croton-On-Hudson, NY 10520 (The park is on Grand St.!)  
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GPS: 35 Yorktown Rd, Croton-On-Hudson, NY 10520.

Just in case...

Head north on N Broadway (0.5 mi.) Turn right onto Executive Blvd (0.9 mi.)  
Use the left 2 lanes to turn left onto Saw Mill River Pkwy N. (11.1 mi)  
Use the right 2 lanes to take the ramp to Taconic Parkway/Albany (0.7 mi)  
Merge onto Taconic State Parkway (10 mi.) Take exit 5 to merge onto NY-100  
N/NY-9A N. Follow NY-9A N. (5.7 mi.) Continue on U.S. 9N to Croton-on-Hudson.  
Take the NY-9A/NY-129 exit from U.S. 9 N. Turn right onto NY-9A N/Municipal Pl  
(351 ft.) Continue onto Municipal Pl. Turn left onto Maple St (0.8 mi.) Continue straight  
onto NY-129 E/Grand St. and keep following Grand Street/Ny-129 to the Croton Gorge  
Park. Turn right into the park.

"Sometimes called "the eighth wonder of the world," the 175-year old Croton Dam is second only to Egypt's great pyramids when it comes to hand-hewn stone structures. Visitors are awed by the water cascading over the spillway and the immensity of the construction."



## **STOP #3: Stonecrop Gardens**

GPS: 81 Stonecrop Lane, Cold Spring, New York 10516

\$10 adult, \$5 senior. Closes at 5:00 pm.

60 acres, front lawn Hudson views. Brick path. Glass conservatory with alpiners, tropicals, and succulents. Beautiful gardens. Ponds. Cliff rock gardens, English-style flower garden, woodland and water gardens. There are benches throughout to stop, relax, photograph, and just inhale the spring!

From Croton-on-Hudson:

26 miles

Leave Croton Gorge Park and turn right onto NY-129 (0.3) Slight right onto NY-129 E (2.5) Turn left onto Underhill Ave (0.8 mi.) Turn left onto the Taconic State Pkwy N ramp (0.3 mi.) Merge onto Taconic State Parkway.

From Taconic State Parkway, take Route 301/Cold Spring exit. Go 3.5 miles to Stonecrop's entrance on right. Sign reading "Stonecrop Gardens" marks driveway.

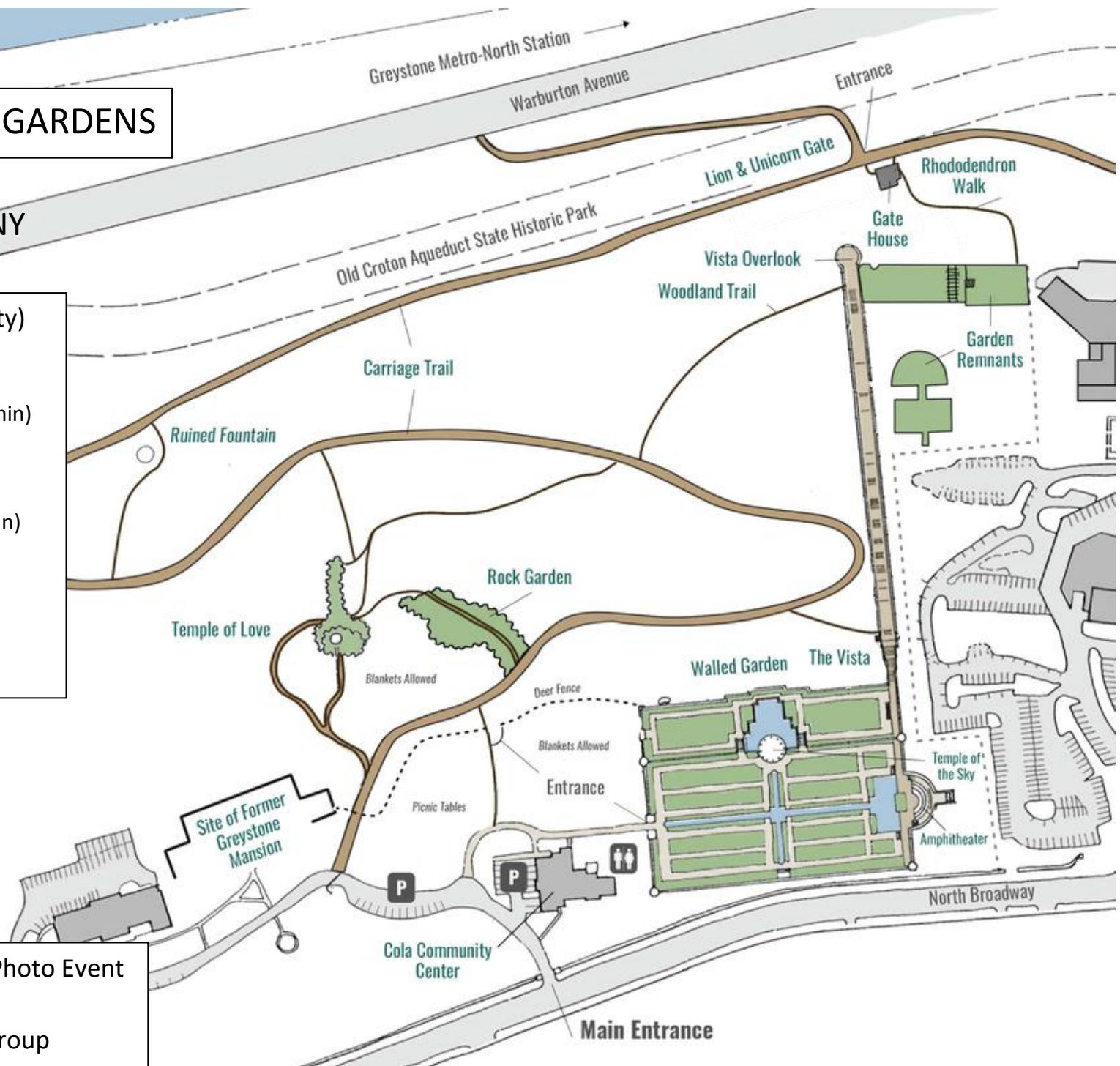
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# UNTERMYER PARK & GARDENS

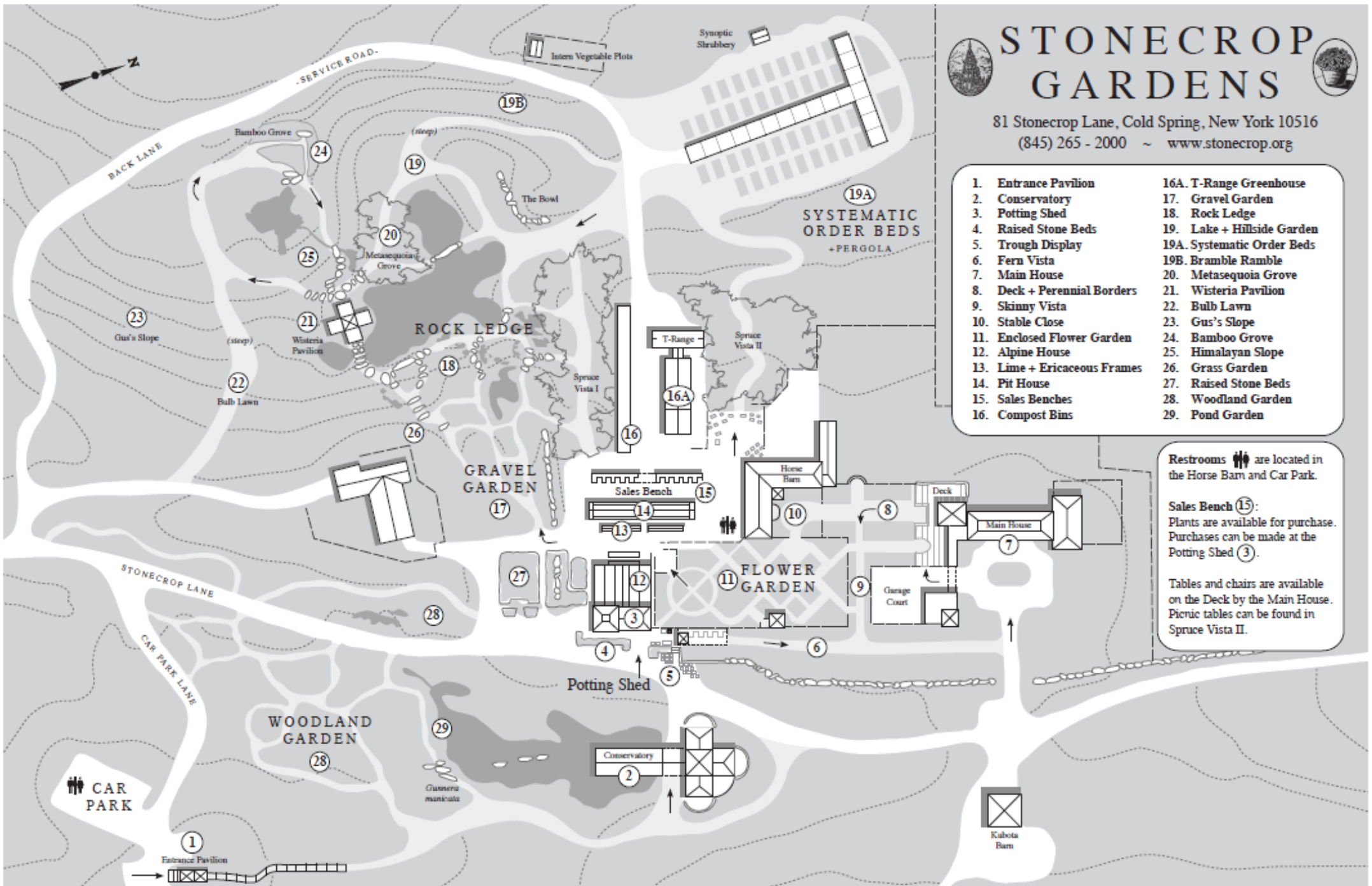
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## GENERAL TIMELINE (with flexibility)

- 8:30 Untermyer Park & Garden
- 10:30 Drive to Croton-on-Hudson (30 min)  
Pick up a picnic lunch.
- 11:30 Picnic and Croton Dam
- 1:00 Drive to Stonecrop Garden (30 min)
- 1:45 Stonecrop Garden
- 4:00 QUICK DINNER in area (TBA)
- Return home.



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# STONECROP GARDENS

81 Stonecrop Lane, Cold Spring, New York 10516  
 (845) 265 - 2000 ~ www.stonecrop.org

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Entrance Pavilion         | 16A. T-Range Greenhouse    |
| 2. Conservatory              | 17. Gravel Garden          |
| 3. Potting Shed              | 18. Rock Ledge             |
| 4. Raised Stone Beds         | 19. Lake + Hillside Garden |
| 5. Trough Display            | 19A. Systematic Order Beds |
| 6. Fern Vista                | 19B. Bramble Ramble        |
| 7. Main House                | 20. Metasequoia Grove      |
| 8. Deck + Perennial Borders  | 21. Wisteria Pavilion      |
| 9. Skinny Vista              | 22. Bulb Lawn              |
| 10. Stable Close             | 23. Gus's Slope            |
| 11. Enclosed Flower Garden   | 24. Bamboo Grove           |
| 12. Alpine House             | 25. Himalayan Slope        |
| 13. Lime + Ericaceous Frames | 26. Grass Garden           |
| 14. Pit House                | 27. Raised Stone Beds      |
| 15. Sales Benches            | 28. Woodland Garden        |
| 16. Compost Bins             | 29. Pond Garden            |

Restrooms are located in the Horse Barn and Car Park.

Sales Bench (15):  
 Plants are available for purchase. Purchases can be made at the Potting Shed (3).

Tables and chairs are available on the Deck by the Main House. Picnic tables can be found in Spruce Vista II.

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