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ALBANY INSTITUTE TO HOST CHILDREN'S TERRARIUM WORKSHOPS WITH FORT ORANGE GARDEN CLUB

Sunday, March 23, 1PM-2PM and 2:30-3:30PM

ALBANY, NY – On Sunday, March 23, children ages 5-17 and their adult companions are invited to come to the Albany Institute of History & Art for a terrarium workshop presented by the Fort Orange Garden Club. (Children under 8 should be accompanied by an adult). Participants will make a terrarium scene with ferns and moss. All materials will be provided and participants are welcome to bring some favorite rocks and plastic figures to enhance their terrariums. These completed terrariums will be eligible for entry into the Fort Orange Garden Club Flower Show that will be held at the Albany Institute on May 21, 2014.

The first workshop is from 1PM-2PM and the second workshop is from 2:30PM-3:30PM. Albany Institute members are \$12 and members of the general public are \$15. Program cost includes museum admission. Space is limited and advanced registration is required. Register online at www.albanyinstitute.org or call Barbara Collins at (518) 463-4478, ext. 405.

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The Albany Institute of History & Art is located at 125 Washington Avenue, near the New York State Capitol. The museum is open Wednesday-Saturday 10AM-5PM, Thursdays until 8PM and Sunday Noon-5PM. On Tuesdays, the museum is open to registered groups only. The museum is closed on Mondays and major holidays. Admission is FREE for Albany Institute members; \$10/adults; \$8/seniors and students with ID; \$6/children 6-12; FREE/children under 6. Admission is free on Thursday nights (5PM-8PM). For more information, visit www.albanyinstitute.org or call (518) 463-4478.

The Albany Institute's distinguished collections and acclaimed exhibitions comprise the definitive expression of the cultural, historical, and artistic heritage of Albany and the upper Hudson Valley. From its world-renowned Hudson River School collection, to the famous Albany Mummies, to the wide range of lectures, outstanding educational and family programming, and special events, this distinctive and engaging institution provides visitors of all ages and interests with a splendid museum experience. One of America's oldest museums, the Albany Institute of History & Art was founded in 1791, during the presidency of George Washington, making it older than the Louvre, the Smithsonian, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

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