Alfred B. Maclay Gardens State Park

A MASTERPIECE OF FLORAL ARCHITECTURE AND RICH HISTORY

2025 PARK FACTS

VISITATION	ECONOMIC IMPACT	LOCAL JOBS SUPPORTED
133,251	$17,164,492	240

The gardens feature a picturesque brick walkway, secret garden, reflection pool, walled garden and hundreds of camellias and azaleas. These beautiful ornamental gardens were first planted in 1923 by Alfred B. and Louise Maclay after they purchased the property for their winter home in Tallahassee.

Lake Hall provides opportunities for swimming, fishing, canoeing and kayaking. Boats without gas-powered motors are allowed. Pavilions and grills along the lakeshore provide the perfect setting for a picnic.

For walking enthusiasts, two short nature trails meander through the woods overlooking the lake. Hikers, bicyclists, and equestrians can enjoy six miles of shared-use trails and five miles of designated biking trails winding through the woods surrounding Lake Overstreet, located on park property adjoining the gardens.

Peak blooming season is from January 1 through April 30, with the floral peak in mid-to-late March.

Plan your visit

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FY 2024-25 Statewide Economic Data

- **175 Florida State Parks and Trails**

(164 Parks / 11 Trails) comprising nearly 800,000 acres

- **$3.6 billion direct economic impact**
- **$234 million in sales tax revenue**
- **49,910 jobs supported**
- **Over 28 million visitors served**

Friends of MACLAY GARDENS Inc.

The Friends of Maclay Gardens, Inc. is a non-profit citizen's support organization for Maclay Gardens State Park. It is a volunteer community group dedicated to the protection and preservation of the historic Maclay House and Gardens, and the surrounding park lands. Community support helps build a strong constituency for this unique resource and raise funds for restoration, preservation and capital projects.

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