

# A DAY TRIP FOR **NATURE ENTHUSIASTS**

## MORNING **MEMORIES**

Take NJ Transit from Penn Station to New Brunswick or rent a zip car for the day!

#### Stop & Smell the Flowers

Spend the morning at Rutgers Gardens and immerse yourself in the beauty of nature.

Admire the incredible display of colorful annuals, tropical, herbs, and vegetables in the Donald B. Lacey Display Garden or take a tranquil stroll through the Bamboo Grove. Plus, visit the Art Rudolph Sun and Shade Garden for home garden inspiration.

# AFTERNOON ADVENTURES

Keep the adventure going!

#### Fuel Up

Head out to a nearby **farmers market** or u-pick farm to stock up for lunch. **Von Thun's Country Farm Market** and **Giamarese Farm & Orchards** are both great options for berry and veggie picking, plus visit their farm markets for extra goodies!

Hot tip! If you're visiting on a Friday, **Cook's Market** at Rutgers Gardens is the perfect spot for fresh, local produce, gluten free desserts, honey, granola, grass-fed meat, and more.

#### **Parks & Picnics**

Can't wait to dig into your goodies? Head to a park and enjoy a lunchtime picnic!

Johnson Park, Roosevelt Park, Alvin P. Williams Memorial Park, and William Warren Park are all great options with picnic groves, sports fields, and walking/hiking trails if you're looking for a fun activity after lunch.

## EVENING EXCURSIONS

Round out your adventure with dinner and a view.

#### Dinner

For a causal feel, check out **Dave's Hot Dogs** – make sure to try their award-winning chili!

Craving Italian? Bella Napoli Pizzeria has build your own pizzas, pasta and baked dishes, seafood, and more!

#### **Sunset Views**

End the day with a sunset walk along the water at Raritan Bay Waterfront Park.

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