



The Chateaus of the du Ponts

Discover the story of an American family - the du Ponts. Their story celebrates two hundred years of history, spans three centuries, includes four estates and gardens, and recalls five generations.

Hagley Museum and Library

Start with a visit to the Hagley Museum and Library, where the du Pont story begins. Located on 235 acres along the banks of the Brandywine River in Wilmington, Delaware, Hagley is the site of the gunpowder works founded by E. I. du Pont in 1802. This prime example of early American industry includes restored mills, a workers' community, the ancestral home and gardens of the du Pont family and rotating exhibits.

Rt. 141
Wilmington, DE 19807
Phone: (302) 658-2400

hagley.org

Winterthur Museum, Garden and Library

Winterthur Museum, Garden and Library is a fine example of a great American country estate. Henry Francis du Pont (1880-1969), an avid antiques collector and horticulturist, was Winterthur's fifth owner. It was his love of American craftsmanship that led him to assemble one of the world's most complete collections of antiques and Americana in this 175-room mansion.

5105 Kennett Pike
Winterthur, DE 19735
Toll-Free: 800-448-3883

winterthur.org

Nemours Mansion and Gardens

Nemours Mansion and Gardens, America's Versailles in the Brandywine Valley. Alfred I. du Pont (1864-1935) employed the architectural firm of Carrere and Hastings to design this 1909 mansion. The 47,000 square foot house is decorated with rare rugs, antique tapestries, oil paintings, and decorative arts. Guest will enjoy a walk around the sculpture-filled, formal French gardens and a visit to the chauffeur's garage, where antique cars are displayed.

Alapocas Drive & Rt. 141
Wilmington, DE 19803
Toll-Free: 800-651-6912

nemoursmansion.org

Mt. Cuba Center

Concluded your tour of the DuPont estates with a trip to Mt. Cuba Center, a lovely 630 acre country estate for the study of Piedmont flora, with seasonal events such as the Wildflower Celebration! When you tour the Georgian treasure, don't miss the panoramic view of the valley.

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