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Bok Tower Gardens Nominated as One of North America's Best Gardens

LAKE WALES, Fla. A panel of travel and horticultural experts nominated Bok Tower Gardens to compete in the annual 10Best Readers' Choice Poll presented by USA TODAY.

Twenty prestigious gardens and arboretums from across the continent are currently competing for the honor of being included in the top ten list. The national contest invites fans to vote once a day for their favorite garden and polls close on Monday, April 22 at noon. Winners are announced on May 3. Currently, Bok Tower Gardens is ranked number 8!

Fans of Bok Tower Gardens can vote each day now through April 22 at: <https://www.10best.com/awards/travel/best-botanical-garden-2019/>.

The top 10 leaderboard includes Missouri Botanical Garden, Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, Atlanta Botanical Garden, Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden, Vallarta Botanical Gardens, Chicago Botanic Garden, San Diego Botanic Garden, *Bok Tower Gardens*, Chanticleer Garden and Montreal Botanical Garden.



About Bok Tower Gardens:

Voted Florida's best garden, Bok Tower Gardens is a National Historic Landmark located 10 miles from LEGOLAND Florida, 55 miles southwest of Orlando and 60 miles east of Tampa near Lake Wales in Central Florida's rolling hills of citrus. Open every day of the year from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Visitor Center, Café and Gift Shop are open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is \$15 for adults (effective Oct. 1, 2018) and \$5 for ages 5-12. Members and children under 5 are admitted free. For more information contact Bok Tower Gardens, 1151 Tower Boulevard, Lake Wales FL 33853; 863-676-1408 or visit www.boktowergardens.org.