SUPER SQUASH SCAVENGER HUNT!

**KEY**
- Trail Sign Map Points
- Trail Start
- Main Trail (Bark, 1-Way)
- Trail Route
- Gravel Trail
- Route (Pavement, 2-Way)
- Steep (Bark)
- Service Road (Closed)
- Stepping Stones
- Stairs
- Bench
- Restrooms
- First Aid Kit
- AED
- Parking
- Water Bottle Fill Station
- Trail Closed / Wrong Way

**RESIDENCE**
How many different types of squash do you see? __32__

**GLEN**
List all the places you found squash: Closed trail, Stone bench, on a log

**ORCHID WOODS**
How many red squash are hidden on this trail? __7__

**Moss Garden**
How many squash are in the tree roots? __26__

**TRESTLE BRIDGE**
How many green squash do you see? __9__

**SHEEP SHEDS**
What types of squash are hidden here?
Patty Pan

**GUESS THE SIZE OF OUR GIANT PUMPKINS**
Make your best guess and you could win prizes from the Bloedel Shop!
Enter online at: bloedelreserve.org/squash-hunt/

**PLEASE REMEMBER**
- Stay on trails and lawns, and follow all signage.
- Don’t walk on moss or in the Sand & Stone Garden.
- Don’t pick up, sit on, or climb on squash.
CONNECTICUT FIELD PUMPKIN
These pumpkins can grow to be up to 20 inches in diameter and are the classic choice for Halloween pumpkin carving. They also make excellent pumpkin pie!
What will you carve into a pumpkin this year?

KAMO KAMO
An heirloom from the Maori People of New Zealand. With their rich, nutty flavor, these squash are traditionally picked young and then boiled, fried, or baked.
Count how many you find!

PATTISON STRIE MELANGE
This type of “pattypan” squash gets its name from the French word pâtisson, which is a type of cake made in a scalloped mold. These squash can be eaten when picked young or used as decorations because of their unique color and texture.

LUNCH LADY SQUASH
This gourd is often used for fall decoration, due to its thick rind, bright colors, and warted surface. Though the name suggests otherwise, this gourd is actually inedible!
Use three words to describe this gourd:

RED KURI SQUASH
This thin-skinned squash has a sweet nutty flavor, similar to a chestnut, and can be cooked a number of different ways. Try Vegetarian Squash Soup:
foodandwine.com/recipes/red-kuri-squash-soup

DELCICATA SQUASH
This winter squash is excellent for cooking because of its delicate rind, making it great in a variety of dishes from a quick snack to a hearty fall soup. Try this vegetarian pasta recipe: familystylefood.com/rigatoni-and-roasted-delicata-squash

HUBBARD TRUE GREEN IMPROVED
This squash is also known as the “green pumpkin squash” for its unique shape. It comes from vines that can grow as long as 15 feet!
Where did you see these squash at the Reserve?

MONSTER SMASH PUMPKIN
These gentle giants can grow to be 300 pounds, and during peak growing season, they can grow as much as 50 pounds in a single day. These monsters also contain up to 800 seeds!

PASTELLA SQUASH
In addition to the fruits, this squash’s shoots, leaves and flowers are all edible! Try this recipe for Fried Squash Blossoms: williams-sonoma.com/recipes/-fried-stuffed-zucchini-flowers-fiori-di-zucca-fritti/

WINTER LUXURY PIE PUMPKIN
Just like the name suggests, these pumpkins are excellent for pie-making. Try this Fresh Pumpkin Pie recipe: allrecipes.com/recipe/13711/home-made-fresh-pumpkin-pie/
What is your favorite kind of pie?

Looking for answers to our Squash Hunt questions?
You’ll find them online at: bloedelreserve.org/squash-hunt/

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