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“Over the Rainbow” Fall Mum Show Opening at The Domes

Milwaukee, WI (Sept. 8, 2014) – Somewhere above a rainbow of mum plants, statues of characters from *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* will greet visitors at “Over the Rainbow,” the fall show at The Domes. The show runs from Saturday, Sept. 20 through Sunday, Nov. 9. The Domes, Milwaukee’s Living Landmark, is located at 524 S. Layton Blvd.

From a cornfield with the scarecrow to a forest with the tin woodman and cowardly lion, visitors will follow the yellow-brick road to the Emerald City. Along the way, visitors will encounter a foreboding woods with the wicked witch.

“Let your troubles melt like lemon drops high above the chimney tops’ and come see the magic we perform just for you in the Fall Show,” said Sandy Folaron, Director of The Domes. “This has been such a fun show to put together!”

The show is based on the novel by L. Frank Baum, with some elements from the Hollywood version of the story. The novel and movie are quite different in some aspects, so the show is a somewhat of a hybrid.

Fans of the chrysanthemum will find a wide selection of the popular plant. For the show, 6,750 cuttings were purchased. Two deliveries were timed, and black-out-cloth was used to force the plants into blooming—allowing for replacement of plants midway through the show.

Regular admission to The Domes for adults age 18 and over is \$7; Milwaukee County Seniors with ID, persons with disabilities, students of any age with ID, and youth age 6-17 are \$5. Children 5 and under are admitted for free.

For show details, call The Domes at (414) 257-5611 or visit the website at countyparks.com

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