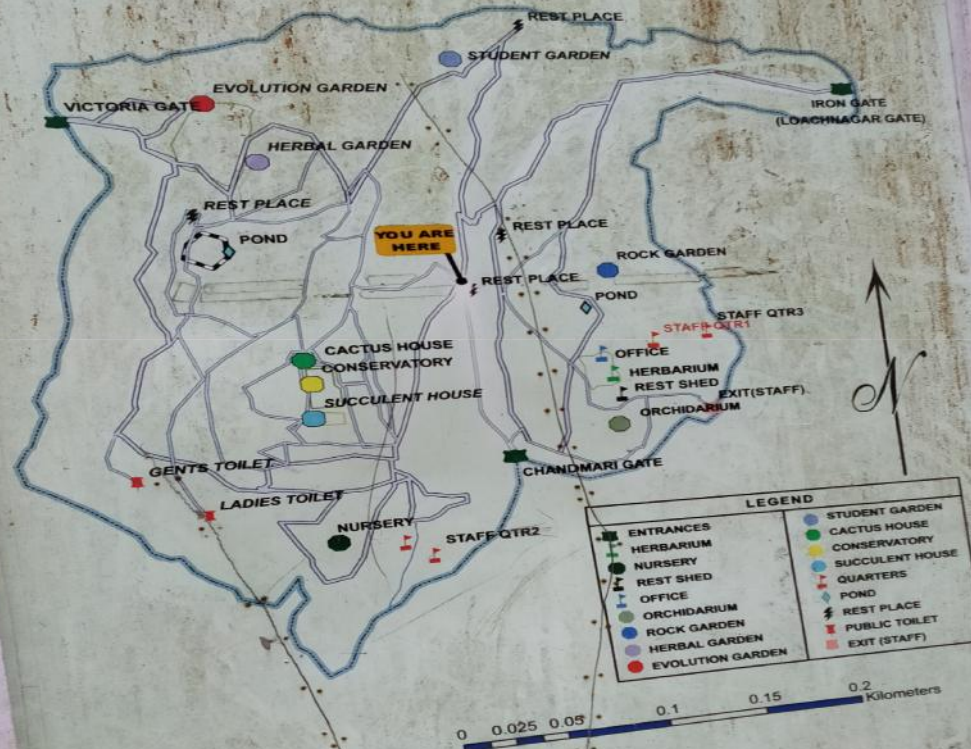


GPS GUIDE MAP OF LLOYD BOTANIC GARDEN

LAT - N 27°02.660' LON - E 88°15.770'



**Echinocactus
grusonii** Hild

Mammillaria



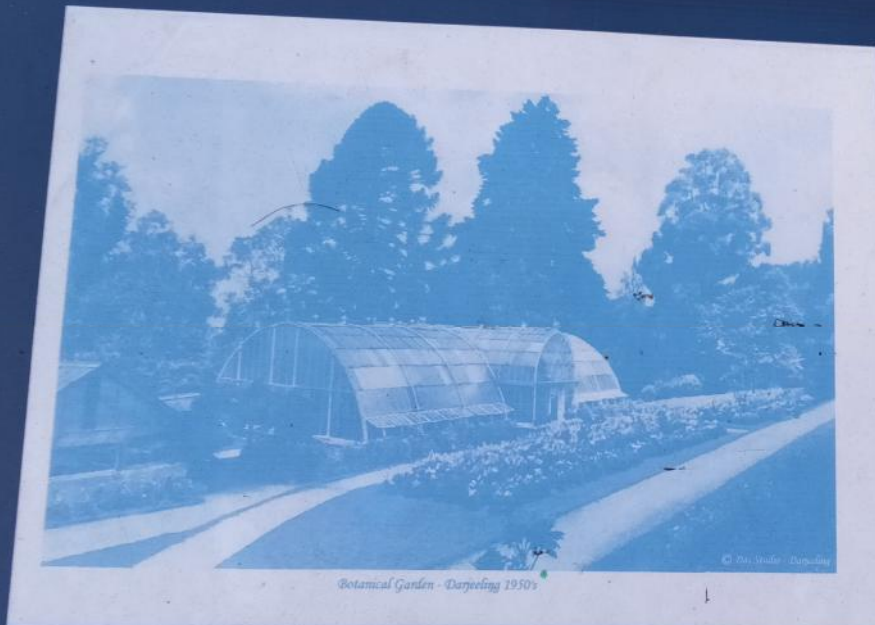
Ginkgo *biloba*, Linn

Family : Ginkgoaceae

Ginkgo biloba is the only surviving species of Ginkgoaceae family of gymnosperm which appeared about 20 million years ago and Darwin called the plant "living fossil". It is apparently found wild in China. It was introduced to Lloyd Botanic Garden at about 1944 A.D.



LLOYD BOTANIC GARDEN



LLOYDS BOTANIC GARDENS - 1950

The Lloyd Botanic Garden, Darjeeling was established in the year 1878. The beautiful piece of land was donated by Mr. William Lloyd, then resident of Darjeeling. It was established as a branch of Royal Botanic Garden, Calcutta by Dr. T. Anderson, then superintendent of RBG. The garden with an area of 40 acres is situated at an elevation of 6000ft. The indigenous plants in the garden represent more or less the characteristic flora of Sikkim Himalayas. The land was laid out as a delightful botanic garden under the guidance of late Sir George King.

