



GUILFORD
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Dear Friends,

Welcome back and while you were gone, we've made some fabulous changes. In September, we will debut a brand NEW WEBSITE with online registration through PayPal. AND, we have a new original logo that we're sure you will like. We are also pleased to announce rates for students seeking horticulture or landscape credits.

The season kicks off with the annual "Wine & Cheese" Social Sunday, September 8, 2019 at the garden of Lois & Charlie Brummitt. Members and nonmembers are welcome. Bring an appetizer to share. Come enjoy the garden and chat with like-minded plant enthusiasts as we begin another wonderful season.

We have an exciting line-up for our 2019-2020 season; Monday evening lectures are listed below. Our 35th Annual Symposium, "All You Need to Know", will be held Saturday, March 7, 2020 at Paul J. Ciener Botanical Garden. We've invited nationally recognized speakers including:

- **Carol Reese**, Extension Horticulture Specialist from Jackson, TN who will discuss "Special Effects in the Landscape" and "Native Plants: Facts & Fallacies".
- "Le Quattro Stagioni...The Four Seasons" by **Pam Beck**, is about creating a harmonious landscape that is beautiful, sustainable and enjoyable throughout the year.
- **Shannon Currey** shares "Workhorses of the Garden: Grasses & Sedges", Grasses and sedges play many roles in our landscapes, from low-key groundcover to seasonal superstar. Space is limited for this exciting event so get your tickets early!

Secretary, Nanny Foster, will tell you of upcoming events and details through email unless otherwise specified. You can also follow us on Facebook, www.facebook.com/GuilfordHortSociety, or keep up with what's happening on our website www.guilfordhorticulturalsociety.org.

Pat Price continues as Treasurer & Symposium Registrar this season. Remember, you can sign up and pay online or fill out and detach the membership form on the second page and mail directly to Pat. Or, you can bring your dues to our first meeting. You may also include your Symposium fees now as well. If you pay your membership dues by the October meeting you will be included in a drawing for a \$50.00 gift certificate from Guilford Garden Center.

Monday night meetings will continue at the Greensboro Science Center at 7:15 p.m., the third Monday night of the month September through May WITH THE EXCEPTION of January, when we will meet on the second Monday night due to Martin Luther King holiday.

Our season will close with the fabulous annual picnic on Sunday, June 6, 2020 at the garden of Helen & Graham Ray. Bring a covered dish to share and enjoy strolling through this magnificent garden.

Thank you to all our members for your continued support and please invite your gardening friends to join us. We're all looking forward to seeing you once again.

Adrienne & your 2019-2020 Officers

President & Symposium Co-Chair -Adrienne Roethling (adrienne@pjcbg.org)

Vice President -Christina Larson (christina@guilfordgardencenter.com)

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2019-2020 Monthly Events and Speakers, Greensboro Science Center
4301 Lawndale Dr, Greensboro, NC 27455

September 8 – Wine & Cheese Social, 5:00 – 7:00pm at the garden of Lois & Charlie Brummitt
407 Elmwood Dr. Greensboro, NC 27403

September 16 – Adrienne Roethling, Director of Curation & Mission Delivery, Paul J. Ciener Botanical Garden
“A brief History of the GHS & Where we are Now” followed by “The LeFever Garden”

October 21 – Andy Cabe, Director, Riverbanks Botanical Garden “Andy’s Top 40 Hits”
& PLANT EXCHANGE

November 18 – Judy Fleming, Vice President-North Carolina Gourd Society, Vice President-American Gourd
Society, AGS Certified Judge "Gourds - From the Garden to the Kitchen and Craft Room"

January 13 – Dabney Sanders, Downtown Greenway Project Manager (Jan. 30 weather make-up)
“Downtown Greenway”

February 17 – Ken Bridle, Stewardship Director for the Piedmont Land Conservancy
“Tree Blindness: You Probably Got It”

****Saturday, March 7, 2020 Symposium**** at Paul J. Ciener Botanical Garden, Kernersville, NC

April 20 – Wendi Hartup, Storm Water Manager, Town of Kernersville
“No More Drug Addicted Carpet aka, The Lawn”

May 18 – Mary Magrinat, Healing Gardens Co-Chair, Cone Health Cancer Center
“Interactive Resources” & PLANT EXCHANGE

Sunday, June 7 –End of the Year Picnic, 5:00 – 7:00pm at the garden of Helen & Graham Ray
1100 Rustic Road, Greensboro, NC

MEMBERSHIPS include: First time members get a one-year Subscription to Seasons Magazine
15% discount at Guilford Garden Center for all members
Ask us about our Student Rates

Detach and mail or bring your dues to the first meeting
Please make checks payable to the **Guilford Horticultural Society**
P.O. Box 4162
Greensboro, NC 27404

Name/s _____ Phone _____
Address _____
Email Address _____

Amount for Membership/s \$25 individual, \$35 household family Total \$ _____ (A)

Registration for the March 7, 2020 Symposium @ \$50 for members & \$55 for non-members

Total \$ _____ (B)

Indicate lunch for Symposium _____ regular _____ veggie _____ gluten free

Total amount enclosed \$ _____ (A+B)