



# The Garden Post

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## A Message from Our President



*Ruth Ann Capper*



As we begin another growing season here in Ohio, I am looking forward to seeing how our gardens develop at the Garden Center. Once this cool weather passes, we will be looking at a great summer! I want to thank all who have taken part in our programs so far as it takes all working together to make a program successful. I am looking forward to seeing you at the **Downton Abbey Ice Cream Social** in June, **Tour of Gardens** in July, **Van's Camera Mini-program** in August, **Gone with the Wind Program and Luncheon** in September, the **Spaghetti Dinner** in October, and **Holly Pine Lane** in November. I know you can't come to all our events, but hope you will try to attend some of them and meet the wonderful women and men of Canton Garden Center.

### CANTON GARDEN CENTER PRESENTS

#### *"Downton Abbey Ice Cream Social"*

*at Canton Garden Center*

*Friday, June 26, 2015*

*Join us as we get "lost in time."*



**Noon: Shopping — Unique Vendors**

**1:00 pm: Program - Ernie Schott,  
Owner of Taggart's**

**Following Program:**

**"Build Your Own Sundae"**

**Taggart's Ice Cream & Toppings**

**"Best Hat Award" (Optional) "Best Attire Award"**

**Cost: \$10**

**Mail checks payable to Canton Garden Center to  
Annemarie Miller, 1379 Cheverton Ave, Louisville, OH 44641  
Deadline: June 19**

### CANTON GARDEN CENTER ANNOUNCES ITS ANNUAL

#### *"Tour of Gardens"*

*July 10, 11, and 12, 2015*

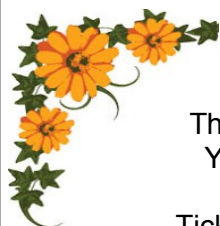
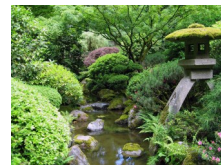
*10 am to 4 pm*

**Tour tickets will be available at our June  
Board Meeting, as well as at our Garden  
Center office through July 12.**

**Tickets are \$ 15 per person.**

**Each garden is unique and interesting. We will  
learn something from these homeowners. Master  
gardeners will be in the gardens to answer your  
questions. In addition, we are looking forward to  
having our members serve as hostesses. If you  
would like to be a hostess, please contact Nancy  
Quinn-Simon at 330.844.3534.**

**Event Co-Chairs:  
Carmie DeVito 330.497.0567  
Linda Lawrence 330.499.2959**



### TOUR OF GARDENS "KICK-OFF PATRON PARTY"

*Thursday, July 9, 2015*

*6:30 to 8:30 pm*

**The party will be held in the gardens of Jeffrey Kostich, Sr. (in the Meadowlands Allotment).  
You'll enjoy a lovely evening with delicious hors d'oeuvres, wine, and wonderful desserts.**

**Cost is \$50 which includes a Tour ticket.**

**Ticket will be available at the Garden Center or by contacting Jeanne Freitag at 330.478.0129.**

**For more details, contact Tour Chairs: Carmie DeVito 330.497.0567 or Linda Lawrence 330.499.2959**

## ARRANGERS' CUPBOARD & GIFT SHOP

*Located Upstairs at  
Canton Garden Center  
1615 Stadium Park Drive NW*

*The Shop carries a wide variety of  
floral supplies and unique gifts!*

*10 am to 2 pm  
Tuesday - Friday  
330.455.6172*



**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**  
*Hope to see you soon!!*



## ALLIANCE GARDEN CLUB PLANS CARNATION FESTIVAL FLOWER SHOW

*Saturday, August 8  
Carnation Mall in Alliance*

**Entries received: Friday, August 7 from 7 pm to 9 pm and  
Saturday, August 8 from 8:30 am to 11:00 am**

**Open to the public: August 8 from 1 to 5 pm**

Alliance Garden Club member MaryAnne Carper is Chair of the Carnation Festival Flower Show. This is not a standard flower show, but one for the ordinary gardener. Ribbons are awarded and those receiving blue ribbons are eligible for **Best in Class**. All Best in Class winning entries with the exception of the "Arrangement" and "English Box" categories are then judged for **Best in Show**. A **Special Arrangement Award** will be given for the best use of the scarlet carnation in honor of Levi Lamborn. Specimen classes include annuals, perennials, roses, hosta leaves, daylilies, bulb lilies, dahlia, gladiolus, and exotics.

Contact MaryAnne for complete guidelines regarding the specimens and arrangements or for a flower show schedule.

MaryAnne Carper 330.206.9140

## AFTERNOON GARDEN CLUB

*Thank You ..... Afternoon Garden Club wishes to  
thank you for supporting its **Garden Art and Plant Sale**.  
The sale was a success thanks to your participation!*

*You're Invited ..... Mark your calendar to attend  
the Club's Flower Show, **Holiday Fun**, to be held at the  
Canton Garden Center on June 16, from 1:00 - 2:30 pm.*

*Save the Date ..... On September 20 the Club will  
dedicate a Blue Star Memorial Marker in Jackson Park.  
Details will be listed in the next Garden Post.*

Kathy Morgan, Afternoon Garden Club President



## COMMUNITY BEAUTIFICATION CONTEST



**Please nominate homes  
and businesses for our  
beautification recognition.**

*Deadline to Nominate: July 1*

*Judging: Week of July 20*

**Nomination Forms are available in the  
Arrangers' Cupboard Gift Shop.  
(Shop hours: Tues. - Fri. 10 am to 2 pm)**

**For more details, contact  
Nancy Quinn-Simon  
330.844.3534**

## BLUE STAR MARKER DEDICATIONS

### *Carrollton Garden Club & Suburban Garden Club*

**Carrollton and Suburban Garden Clubs** are pleased to announce the dedication of a Blue Star Marker on July 1, 2015, at 6 pm at Public Square in Carrollton. This dedication is the kick-off for Carrollton's Bicentennial Celebration on July 1 - 5. Many activities are being planned in our village and we extend an invitation to all garden members to attend our dedication program and to enjoy light refreshments on the lawn behind the historic McCook House across the street from where the marker will be located. Our village and county are rich in history. Following the dedication, there will be an unveiling of merchants' windows in downtown Carrollton and a Museum Open House at the Arts Building. Blue Star committee members from the two clubs are: Joyce & Earl Ferguson, JoAnn Coad, Linda Moreland, and Pat Roudebush.



### *New England Garden Club*

**New England Garden Club** would like to invite you to attend its Blue Star Memorial Marker Dedication on July 26 at 2:30 pm. The dedication will be held at the Veteran's Park located at the corner of First Street SE and Tremont in Massillon.  
Mark your calendar! Robin Forgan

## GREENTOWN GARDEN CLUB'S 70th ANNIVERSARY



*Back left to right:* Dorothy Pepper, Sue Gregory, Jane Briner, Joan Kinsley, Lois Nibert, Gail Riley  
*Front left to right:* Retta Welsh, Diana Neff, Mary Neumeyer, Vera Wise, Dolores Boston

The Club's 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration will be on Wednesday, June 10, at the Greentown Park off State Street.

There will be a Flower Show titled "70 Years of Days Gone By" and a display of "The Stylish House Play" that the Club has performed as a fundraiser for many years.

**Cookies and punch will be served from 1 - 4 pm.**

**Stop by to join in on the fun celebration!**

*Absent from picture: Theresa Davis, Pat Funderburk, Ruth Gross, Cullie Marks, Nancy Mohler*

### CHILDREN'S GARDEN COMMITTEE HAS GREAT NEWS TO SHARE

The Children's Garden Committee will again present exciting **Pergola Programs** for pre-school and primary grade children ages 3 - 8. Programs are on select Thursdays from 10 - 11 am. This year is extra special because the Children's Garden is 10 years old!

#### Pergola Program Dates

- June 4** "1, 2 . . . Let's Plant a Shoe"  
 Bring a pair of old shoes, 1 for the garden and 1 for you to take home.
- June 18** "Bugs! Bugs! Bugs!"  
 Ladybugs, pollinators and so much more!
- July 2** "Fairy Wings & Things"  
 Wear your fairy wings!
- July 16** "Planting a Pizza" Yummy! Yummy!
- July 30** "Birthday Bash!"  
 Celebrate our 10<sup>th</sup> birthday with us!

Registration forms are available in the Garden Center office and at [www.cantongardencenter.com](http://www.cantongardencenter.com).

Our **Garden Trails** feature 24 gardens, walkways, and green areas. Walk the trails and enjoy the beauty and wonder they offer. Wake up the child in you!



Carroll Rippel  
 Children's Garden Chair

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE UPCOMING GARDEN CENTER EVENTS



**August 15**

"Van's Camera" Mini Program  
 Cost: \$10

**September 25**

"Gone with the Wind"  
 Fall Luncheon and Style Show



**October 13**

"Auction"  
 Immediately following the Meeting  
 Please bring gently used items for the auction



**November 2**

"Swag Workshop"  
 Cost: \$10



**ALL EVENTS EXCEPT FOR THE FALL LUNCHEON WILL BE HELD AT THE CANTON GARDEN CENTER**

Annemarie Miller, Program Chair

### HOLLY PINE LANE

**Time is truly going fast....**we hope everyone is working on or thinking about Holly Pine Lane. Jackie and I and the Executive Committee have decided to include a **"Peoples' Choice Award"** at Holly Pine Lane this year. Hope this excites you to encourage your friends to attend and vote for their favorite tree!

If you know someone who has an interesting collection we can display in the back room, please let us know.

Marie Fecske  
 330-492-7559

Jackie Stahl  
 330-477-3676

### NEW STANDING RULE

The Executive Committee has voted to add a new Standing Rule to the Bylaws. Please add the following as Standing Rule #18 to the list on page 57 of the 2015 CGC Yearbook.

- 18. All receipts submitted to the Treasurer for payment must show only CGC business; personal purchases cannot be included on the receipt.**





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Canton, OH 44718-3517

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Arrangers' Cupboard  
Gift Shop & Office Hours

### Summer Hours

Tuesday thru Friday  
10 am - 2 pm

**Extended hours during  
Tour of Gardens Week**  
10 am - 4 pm

330.455.6172

[cantongardencenter@att.net](mailto:cantongardencenter@att.net)

## CGC CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 2	Natures' Natural Workshop	9:30 am
June 4	Children's Garden Pergola Program	10:00 am
June 9	Executive Committee Meeting	9:00 am
June 9	Board of Directors' Social	10:00 am
June 9	Board of Directors' Meeting	10:30 am
June 17	Meals on Wheels	9:30 am
June 18	Children's Garden Pergola Program	10:00 am
June 26	Mini Program: "Downton Abbey Ice Cream Social"	Noon
July 2	Children's Garden Pergola Program	10:00 am
July 7	Natures' Natural Workshop	9:30 am
July 9	Tour of Gardens Kickoff Patron Party	6:30 pm
July 10	Tour of Gardens	10:00 am
July 11	Tour of Gardens	to
July 12	Tour of Gardens	4:00 pm
July 14	Executive Committee Meeting	9:00 am
July 14	Board of Directors' Social	10:00 am
July 14	Board of Directors' Meeting	10:30 am
July 15	Meals on Wheels	9:30 am
July 16	Children's Garden Pergola Program	10:00 am
July 20	Beautification Judging Week	
Aug 6	Children's Garden Pergola Program	10:00 am
Aug 11	Executive Committee Meeting	9:00 am
Aug 11	Board of Directors' Social	10:00 am
Aug 11	Board of Directors' Meeting	10:30 am
Aug 15	Mini Program: "Van's Camera"	11:00 am
Aug 19	Meals on Wheels	9:30 am

### SAVE THE DATE

#### **HERB SOCIETY AT THE HOOVER HISTORICAL CENTER**

*Sunday, September 20  
Annual Garden Tea*



This event has moved from July to September!



## GARDEN CLUB OF OHIO NEWS

For Garden Club of Ohio members spring has been a very busy time with the State Convention, District Meetings, Flower Show School, and Garden Study School. Now, it's time to relax a little and enjoy the beauty that is abundant in our gardens and in nature everywhere.

As the newly appointed GCO District Director, I look forward to serving the Canton District members for the next two years. I am currently busy planning the Fall District Meeting in October. Listed below are dates of future GCO schools and events. Please mark your calendar:

**Environmental School:** June 29 - 30 at West Creek Reservation Chairman: Joyce Roth Contact her at 216.901.9000 or jmroth211@yahoo.com for more details.

**Landscape Design School:** July 29 - 31 at Canton Garden Center Chairman: Pat Smith Contact her at 330.875.9317 or playnlearn345@aol.com for more details.

**Fall District Meeting:** October 22 at First Christian Church 6900 Market Ave. North in North Canton

Shirley Rembert, Canton District Director  
330.875.4138 or srembert@neo.rr.com

GCO website: [www.gardenclubofohio.org](http://www.gardenclubofohio.org)



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**Next Deadline — August 20**

