

UWC GARDEN GROUP ~ 2023-2024

Coordinators: Pat Williams, Betz Hanley, Diane Farr, Pam Knaub, Lucy Auger, Marilyn Furry, Mary McLaughlin, Jane Stanton, Amber Axeman

PROGRAM: “Potluck at Pam’s” ~ Please bring a dish to share and 32 members may attend!

Date and Time: Tuesday 12 2023 September at NOON

Place: Pam Knaub’s – 109 Bubb Rd., Centre Hall, PA 16828

PROGRAM: “Longwood Gardens!” One day bus trip ~ details to be sent soon.

Date: 11 October 2023 (Mary McLaughlin in charge) The trip to Longwood Garden is planned for Wednesday, October 11th. We will meet at the Fullington Bus terminal for a 7AM departure. Snacks will be provided. We expect to arrive by 10:45 in time for an 11AM guided tour which takes about an hour. Lunch at the on-site cafe is to follow on your own dollar. We will then be free to wander the garden and the gift shop at leisure prior to a 3:30 departure. Snacks will again be provided. Arrival is expected to be at 7:15. Price per head is \$100, which includes the cost of transportation, tip for driver and a ticket to the garden. This is based on 40 people joining us. I must have the price in full as well as an emergency contact for you by September 15th at the very latest. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO MARY McLAUGHLIN! I hope you can join us.

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PROGRAM: “Healing Garden” ~ Pam Hubbard, speaker ~ *Pam relates that, “Some 17 years ago, I created a new garden at my home in which to retreat from a stressful job. I call it my Serenity Garden. It is a healing garden. I’ve found its intrinsic value has increased over the years. My talk provides a new look at healing gardens through the lens of the stressful times we live in today. My program will speak to: What is a healing garden? Why are healing gardens valid today? How do they heal us? Where can you find them? How do you create one?”* (Lucy Auger in charge)

Date and Time: Tuesday 14 November 2023, lunch at 11:30 a.m. ~ Olde New York ~ program at 1:30 p.m.

Place: Life Link ~ 32 can be accommodated.

PROGRAM: “Holiday Decorating” ~ Alan Baney of Avant Garden will choose a special arrangement for us to make! (Betz Hanley in charge) Cost: \$20

Date and Time: Wednesday December 13 2023 ~ 1:30 p.m. (note change of day!)

Place: Life Link ~ bring a sheet for under the table/easy cleanup! Also, please bring your favorite holiday cookies/snacks to share!) Life Link ~ 32 can be accommodated.

PROGRAM: “Bill Betz and Bonzai Bonanza!” Bill will give history, show how to choose a tree and care for it, plus have samples for sale.

Date and Time: Wednesday March 13 (note change of day!) 2024 at 1:30 p.m. Lunch TBA

Place: Life Link (32 can be accommodated)

PROGRAM: “Inspired Designs” ~ by Keith Philips, owner (Amber Axeman/Kay Kustanbauter in charge) cost: \$50

Program: Inspired Designs by Keith Phelps in Mifflinburg, well known throughout the Central Pa. area for his features on WNEP tv’s Home and Backyard weekly television program is going to help us create a high quality permanent umbrella of artificial flowers that can be hung on a door or elsewhere throughout Spring and Summer.

Place: Mifflinburg

Date and Time: 9 April 2024 ~ optional lunch 11:30 a.m. place to be determined

Place: 24 can be accommodated.

PROGRAM: “Campus Tree Tour” by Prof. Emeritus Kim Steiner! (Rose Marboe in charge)

Date and time: Tuesday 14 May 2024 ~ meet at HUB entrance 1:30 p.m.

Place: possible lunch at Café Laura or HUB eateries TBA

PROGRAM: “Linda Keisling and her Home Garden Tour” ~ 218 N. Springwood Place (Linda lives off route 550 in Grays Woods. Parking available in driveway and around cul de sac. Seating inside walled garden and screened gazebo.

Date and Time: Tuesday 11 June 2024 at 1:30 p.m. (Pam Knaub in charge) lunch at Ways Fruit Farm and will need count by 1 June!

Program: “Pamela Zimmerman and her Home Garden Tour” ~ 131 Wild Rose Way (in Stearns Crossing neighborhood). Need to confirm interest at April meeting.

Date and Time: Tuesday 16 July 1:30 p.m.

Possible lunch at Olde New York