DURHAM GARDEN FORUM

An informal group, independent of Sarah P. Duke Gardens, the forum meets once a month to enrich its members’ gardening knowledge and skill. Sponsored in partnership with N.C. Cooperative Extension: Durham County Center.

TUESDAYS, 6:30-8 PM
LOCATION: DORIS DUKE CENTER
LECTURE FEE: $10 PER MEETING FOR NON-MEMBERS; FORUM MEMBERS FREE WITH ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP.
FOR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION, PLEASE EMAIL durhamgardenforum@gmail.com.

March 18
GROWING TOMATOES, with Charles Murphy, Durham County Extension master gardener

April 22
PLANTS AND PRESERVATION, with Rob Evans, plant ecologist with the North Carolina Dept. of Agriculture

May 20
SUSTAINABLE ROSES, with Kit Flynn, Durham County Extension master gardener

June 17
VERMICOMPOSTING, with Rhonda Sherman, NCSU Extension solid waste specialist

July 15
2014 GARDENERS’ FAIR:
ASK THE EXPERTS, with area experts and garden suppliers
EXTENSION GARDENER SERIES

THE MASTER GARDENERS’ EXTENSION GARDENER SERIES

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Thursday, March 13, 6:30-8 pm
URBAN TREES, with master gardener Gene Carlone

Thursday, May 1, 6:30-8 pm
BIRDS, BEES, BUTTERFLIES, with master gardener Faye McNaull

Thursday, May 15, 6:30-8 pm
GARDEN ROOM DEVELOPMENT, with Durham County Extension horticulturist Michelle Wallace

Thursday, June 12, 6:30-8 pm
HERB GARDENING, with master gardener Marti Warburton

Thursday, Aug. 21, 6:30-9PM
AUTUMN CONTAINER GARDEN DESIGN, with master gardener Leanna Murphy Dono

LOCATION: DORIS DUKE CENTER
FREE DROP-IN EVENT. NO PARKING FEES AFTER 5 PM.
REGISTRATION REQUESTED AT 919-668-1707.

Plant Information Booth: Having trouble with a plant, pest, or pathogen? The Master Gardener Volunteers will be in the Gardens each Wednesday morning in September and October to answer all your questions about plants, gardening, insect pests or disease. Please see a complete schedule and more information at durham.ces.ncsu.edu.
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PARTNERS

Sarah P. Duke Gardens is pleased to welcome the following horticulture partners. These groups are independent of the Gardens but welcome our members and visitors to join them in learning more about horticulture. No registration required.

N.C. COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE: DURHAM COUNTY CENTER
Please see lecture schedule on page 35.
The Durham County Extension Master Gardener Volunteers will be in the Gardens several days of the week to answer all your questions about plants, gardening, insect pests or disease. Please go to durham.ces.ncsu.edu for a complete schedule.

DURHAM PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB AT DUKE GARDENS
Meets on the 2nd Monday of each month, 6:30-8 pm. Please find more information on the club’s Facebook page by entering its name into Facebook’s search box.

TRIANGLE ORCHID SOCIETY
The Triangle Orchid Society conducts its monthly meeting at the Doris Duke Center on the 2nd Monday of each month. Please go to triangleorchidsociety.org for more information.

DURHAM BEEKEEPERS
Meets the 3rd Monday of each month, 6:30-9 pm, at the Doris Duke Center.

SARAH P. DUKE IKEBANA INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER #264
For information, contact Carol Krauser, chapter president, at 919-960-2946.

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Please see meeting schedule and topics on page 34.

YOUtopia
Sarah P. Duke Gardens is pleased to announce our participation in YOUtopia, a program that assists America’s public gardens in reducing their climate impact. Created by the American Public Gardens Association and ecoAmerica, this program communicates the goals and successes of partnering public gardens. Watch for additional information at Duke Gardens about the increased sustainability of our gardens.

LET’S MOVE!
is a comprehensive initiative launched by First Lady Michelle Obama. It is dedicated to solving the problem of obesity within a generation, so that children born today will grow up healthier and able to pursue their dreams. Working with parents, caregivers, schools, public officials and communities, Let’s Move! is about putting children on the path to a healthy future during their earliest months and years. Let’s Move! Museums & Gardens will focus on interactive exhibits, after-school and summer programming and food service that help young people to make healthy food choices and be physically active.