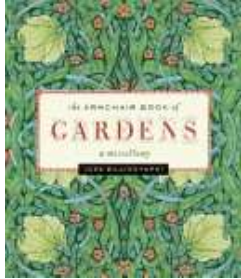


2011-2012 Program - Edgewater Garden Club
Program Committee

Meeting Date 2011-2012	Program and presenter	Hosts, other meeting info.
September 27, 2011	<p>Bulbs for Spring : selecting, preparing, planting for spring beauty, by Brent Roozen of Roozengaarde. Brent will show a powerpoint and talk about spring bulbs for planting this fall. Tulips, daffodils and some of the greenhouse operations at Roozengaarde will be included.</p> <p>Introduced by Delta Campbell</p>	*Sharon O'Brien Jane Worlund Kitty Bluhm
October 25, 2011	<p>“Clean Samish Video: Samish Watershed and how to help keep it clean” a 14-min video will be shown, with a discussion of some Samish Bay bacterial pollution and what we can do about it. A brief overview of the upcoming revisions of the Shorelines Management Plan for Skagit County. Emma Whitfield, Skagit County Conservation District. Emma has been a Samish Islander most of her life.</p> <p>Introduced by Janene Kenaston</p>	*Rutheia Wyckoff Bonnie McFarland Terri Greenwood
November 15, 2011	<p>Chinese Gardens</p> <p>Jan Whitner, a docent for the brand new Seattle Chinese Garden, has a presentation on what elements make up a Chinese garden, and some of the history of how they developed, focusing on the Seattle Chinese Garden. The slides are taken from Chinese gardens, as well as the Seattle garden. An invitation for a tour of the garden will be offered.</p> <p>Note: this meeting is the third Tues, instead of the usual fourth Tues. of the month, due to Thanksgiving.</p> <p>Introduced by Karen Hadman</p>	*Marilyn Gardner JoAnn Welling Bryn Kremling
November 30- Dec 3, 2011	<p>Wreath & Swag Fundraising Project</p> <p>Come and help in this “spirit-of-the-season” fund-raiser. We contribute toward the island fire department, Camp Kirby, and Friendship</p>	*Jacquie Stegner Gail Hopley Doris Rempel (snacks)

	<p>House.</p> <p>Instructions as needed by Gail, Jacquie.</p>	
<p>January 24, 2010</p>	<p>How We Garden: Jane Billingham's new book <i>The Armchair Book of Gardens</i> pairs photographs she has taken in gardens around the world with quotations to illustrate how people have worked in and enjoyed their gardens from ancient times to the present.</p>  <p>The author is a master gardener who lives in Anacortes....</p> <p>Books will be for sale at this meeting or at Watermark Books.</p> <p>The book is a work of art, from its endpapers to type face and color plates. This book makes you delight in paper and be thankful we still have books to hold in our hands and lovingly, slowly, turn the pages. Take that Kindle and Nook!</p> <p>Dip into pieces about gardens through the centuries and across cultures, captured in images, poetry and prose. This is a mixed border of a book, with a celebration of topiary here and a Persian garden party evoked there... Jane will help us dream of spring flowers in the middle of winter..</p> <p>Introduced by Anita Little.</p>	<p>*Linda Larson Jerry Sells Eileen Andersen Lois Yale</p>
<p>February 28 2012</p>	<p>Always Color: Bob Hart, owner of Hart's Nursery, has 50 yrs. experience in the nursery, florist, and landscape industry. He will talk about Rhododendrons and companion plants, such as Kalmia and Camelias, which blossom primarily in winter or very early spring.</p> <p>Introduced by Sandy Mersereau</p>	<p>*Fran Hansen Laurie Lundgren Sharon Beach Bonnie McFarland</p>
<p>March 27, 2012</p>	<p>Chickens in the Garden - Bea Randall takes a humorous look at our fine feathered friends and their value to our gardens.</p>	<p>*Anita Little Rutheia Wyckoff Delta Campbell</p>

	Introduced by Bobbie Day	
April 24, 2012 (Eileen)	<p>The Beauty of Peonies: Richard Tamura, Master Gardener, is an avid peony grower and a founding member of the Pacific Northwest Peony Society, will discuss Plant types, selection and planting tips, Propagation, and peony care.</p> <p>Introduced by Eileen Andersen</p>	*Cynthia Harrison Sandy Mersereau Janene Kenaston
May 22, 2012	<p>Annual Garden Club Pot-luck Luncheon, at 12 noon. Held at the Home of Kris & Roger Goodan.</p> <p>Agenda:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Luncheon first, 12-1 2. Meeting 1-1:30 p.m. Election of officers. Pay dues for next year (\$10). Other business. 3. 1:30-2:15 pm. Plant and Book exchange. Bring a "gently-used" garden book, and a plant start that someone could take home. All left-over items will be donated to a charitable group. <p>Hostess: Kris Goodan.</p>	<p>*Kris Goodan Pascale Michel Catherine Davis Jacquie Stegner Cynthia Harrison (Rutheia Wyckoff, if needed)</p> <p>Set-up 10:30 a.m. Cleanup afterwards.</p>

Hosts: You have signed up for the meeting listed. If you are unable to host then, please exchange duties with another month's host, and let the chief host (*) know who will take your place.