

Please note that all GHS events, activities, workshops and Ferguson Cottage garden clean are cancelled until further notice due to COVID-19.

Dear GHS Members,

During these unprecedented times, the Board is working to help our GHS community. This is indeed a challenging time for all of us.

We have restructured the GHS 2020 Program and have cancelled upcoming events as of March 14th until further notice. This included the cancellation of the Kokedama Workshop on March 29th and our Monthly General Meeting on March 30th. The Board is considering utilizing Zoom, an internet remote conferencing service that combines video conferencing, online meetings, chat, and mobile collaboration to communicate with our membership. This may be an option to hold our monthly meetings and workshops virtually over the internet. All existing GHS internet communications and GHS transactions on our website continue as normal. We will keep our members informed via email and phone calls as this virus condition impacts your 2020 Program.

We encourage all our members to fully comply with the government and health officials' recommendations and directives. Fortunately, we are at a time in the year when the snow has left and the spring flowers are clearly popping up. Quarantine is softened by cleaning up your garden, planning what to plant and where. Talking with and writing to your gardening network helps to keep us connected. This is a condition; i.e. this too shall pass.

In the meantime, stay home...wash your hands...maintain social distancing...stay safe. By working together as a community...we will get through this.

Thank you.

GHS Board Coronavirus Subcommittee

The GHS Open Garden Tours may be possible by August but we will keep abreast of the government and health organizations recommendations and keep our membership updated on this.

Correction Notice:

The winner of our November Garden Challenge

was Dorothy Donkers.



Save The Date...

Online Zoom Monthly Meeting... April 27th 7:00

pm

This may be an option in which we can hold our monthly meetings. Stay tuned for more information to be sent via email.

Indoor Activities That May Be

Of Interest To Our Members

These links may be of interest to our membership...things to do while we stay at home and stay safe.

Bird Song Opera: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IMXD4h5w8D8</u>

Terra Greenhouses Workshops:

https://terragreenhouses.us8.listmanage.com/track/click?u=5b994a7ca609d19fdd95ceeca&id=c22894dec8&e=8ca039d1a6

https://terragreenhouses.us8.listmanage.com/track/click?u=5b994a7ca609d19fdd95ceeca&id=18a1d58804&e=8ca039d1a6

https://terragreenhouses.us8.listmanage.com/track/click?u=5b994a7ca609d19fdd95ceeca&id=f8d3d0fde6&e=8ca039d1a6

https://terragreenhouses.us8.listmanage.com/track/click?u=5b994a7ca609d19fdd95ceeca&id=e2b3c88cd9&e=8ca039d1a6

Membership Has It's Benefits!!

The Galt Horticultural Society's membership is continuing to grow!

Encourage fellow gardeners, family and friends to become a part of a historical society.

Membership gives everyone the opportunity to make new friends, learn about horticulture and gardening, participate in workshops, venture off on

exciting bus tours, visit open gardens in the community, volunteer in ongoing projects such as the Ferguson Cottage Gardens and so much more!

Please visit our website at <u>www.galthort.com</u> to join!

Wear Your Galt Horticultural Society Logo Wear With Pride!



G HS Logo Wear

Get your own Galt Horticultural Society T-Shirt and/or Hoodie. This is a sample of the embroidered crest included on the item.

T-shirts: \$20.50 + tax. Unisex Hoodies: \$36.00 + tax.

For more information or to place an order, follow this link:

<u>GHS Logo Wear</u>

