

The Dirt

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ALL MASTER GARDENERS PLANNING TO MAKE THE TRIP TO THE GARDEN ADVENTURE NURSERY IN NIXA, MO FOLLOWING THE JULY 12TH MEETING NEED TO CONTACT PRESIDENT DAN WARD **ASAP**! AN ESTIMATE OF NUMBER PLANNING TO ATTEND IS NEEDED.

May 28 – 31, 2014 STATE MASTER GARDENER CONFERENCE





Reception

Four Carroll County Master Gardeners received recognition for Five Years of Service, Joy Flake, Karen Reeves, Anita Rissler and Michael Rissler. Three Carroll County Master

Gardeners received their Lifetime Membership of 15 years of service, Anita Engert, Mariellen Griffith and Doug Miller. Anita and Doug did not attend the conference. They will receive their Lifetime pin at a later time. Submitted by Mariellen Griffith



Dinner

2014 Master Gardener, Horticultural & Other Events of Interest



JULY

- 12 CCMG meeting 10 a.m. Freeman Heights Baptist Church Trip to Garden Adventure in Nixa, MO following the business meeting
- 15 Cow Appreciation Day go out and give a cow a hug
- 19 "Insects that Suck" Hobbs State Park Speaker Series FREE TO THE PUBLIC Three separate programs:



I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands; one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

July Birthdays

8th Línda Rogers

19th Línda Caldwell

24th Suzanne Koblyskí

26th Brenda Webb



- 28th Patrícía Messer
- 29th Karen Johnson
- 31st Joan Rutz
- 31st Línda Stuart

P - N - G PLANT NURTURE GROW "Leadership" A Program of County 76 Holiday Inn Airport Little Rock, AR 3201 Bankhead Drive October 6 & 7, 2014

This is still open to any member who wishes to attend and pay their own way. Nancy Plagge and Tammy McCance will represent CCMG.





Southern Region Master Gardener Conference 2014

October 21st through October 24th Baton Rouge Louisiana

Preparations for the 2014 Southern Region Conference <u>www.southernregionmgconf2014.com</u> are progressing well and excitement is building as conference registrations are beginning to come in!

To help promote the conference, we have put together a slide-video presentation and placed it on U Tube. In viewing the video I believe you will see we have put together and planning for a fun and educational event for all to enjoy. If you would, please pass the U Tube link on to your MG volunteers and gardening clientele throughout your great state. Here is the link to the SRMG Conference video. <u>http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Wj5bymY-_ng</u>.

Early Registration ends July 15th.





Iowa State University & University of Nebraska Extension Master Gardener Programs

> September 22 - 25, 2015 Mid-America Center Council Bluffs, IA

Search for Excellence Applications

Search for Excellence (SFE) is the recognition program of Extension Master Gardener (EMG) volunteer work throughout the United States, Canada and South Korea. SFE has seven categories in which EMGs can demonstrate their outstanding contributions to their communities. All SFE applications must show that significant learning took place, whether by the EMG or the general public with whom they were involved.

2015 SFE Application Template and Application Information

SFE Applications Dates

- 2015 Applications will be accepted for submission Sept 15, 2014 Jan 1, 2015
- For more information of the SFE Awards please contact Sharron Box @ <u>mailto:sharonbox2001@comcast.net?subject=IMGC%20SFE%202015</u>



Eureka Springs Heritage Garden



Lee Monger and Mariellen Griffith were the only two Master Gardeners who worked in the garden June 13th.

Submitted by Mariellen Griffith



Work days are planned for the **2**nd and **4**th Fridays of each month unless notified of a change. Mariellen Griffith

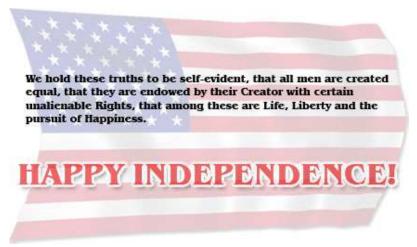


BERRYVILLE LIBRARY

June 2, 2014

Karen Reeve reported that "The plants are planted; the drip system is in place, now it's mulch time. We will try to spread the mulch Saturday, June 7th at 8:30 at the library."

Other work days will be scheduled as weather permits..



LITTLE LAKE EUREKA

June 9, 2014



Doug Miller, Linda Rogers, Brenda Webb and Karen Welch worked at Little Lake Eureka between rain drops today. We dug up existing lirope and placed it along the front for a nice border. We deadheaded poppies and also dug some up. We worked with the painters' palate. We identified some of the plants and placed our **new copper markers** on some of them for identification. We have more work to do but it sure looks nice. We had some people stop by and we answered many questions, *Submitted by Karen Welch*

June 11, 2014

Linda Rogers and I met at Little Lake Eureka. We continued with weeding and planting .We thinned out some beds of flowers. Our deer (metal) is growing his green vine and looks a lot better. Submitted by Karen Welch



FAIR GROUNDS

Weather permitting, a work day was planned Thursday, June 26th to place landscape timbers which Will Schell, Scott Thompson and Dan Ward had prepared at the saw mill June 23rd. Air conditioning is to be installed at the east end of the building; therefore, no work will be done in that area.

All meetings and activities announced in this newsletter are open to all eligible persons without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, gender, age, disability, marital or veteran status, or any other legally protected status. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (large print, audiotapes, etc.) should notify the County Extension Office (or other appropriate office) as soon as possible prior to the activity.

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