



WELCOME SPRING '06!

A Garden Symposium

The Lure of Gardening: Find What Brings You Joy and Go There!

Saturday, March 25, 2006 – 8 am – 4 pm

Want a better garden this year? This day is for you! The NH Master Gardener Association and UNH Cooperative Extension present **Welcome Spring '06**, a day-long symposium. Open to both Master Gardeners and the public, the symposium offers topics for beginners and advanced gardeners.

Held at the Grappone Conference Center in Concord, NH, this full day includes a keynote address by C.L. Fornari who will speak on Garden Design Inspirations. Participants will also attend their choice of 3 sessions from a menu of 12 workshops presented by a variety of well-known speakers and gardening pundits. There will be ample time to view displays, purchase the latest books and garden items from MainStreet BookEnds of Warner, bid the now-famous Silent Auction and socialize between sessions.

Refreshments and a delicious Lunch Buffet are included.

!!!Advanced M.G. Certificate candidates---Earn 1 CEU for each session attended from "Welcome Spring 06!!!"

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*For those requiring an overnight stay, contact the Courtyard by Marriott directly.
Mention the NHMGA/UNH Welcome Spring Garden Symposium for a discounted rate.*

**Be sure to take advantage of our popular Silent Auction.
We'll also have NHMGA hats, aprons, totes and vests for sale.
Cash and checks only, please – no credit cards accepted.**

Space is limited. Register EARLY to get your choice of workshops.

Deadline: Saturday, March 18, 2006

Registration is NON-refundable after Saturday, March 18

Name _____

Address _____

Street

City

State

Zip

Phone _____ E-mail _____

Workshops – Choose/circle 1 per session & specify 2nd choices – see list on right-hand panel of brochure.

1st CHOICE

Session 1	A	B	C	D
Session 2	A	B	C	D
Session 3	A	B	C	D

2nd CHOICE

Session 1	A	B	C	D
Session 2	A	B	C	D
Session 3	A	B	C	D

To confirm your membership STATUS, contact registrar

Check one below: Make checks payable to **NHMGA**.

NHMGA Member \$38.00

Non Member \$48.00

Mail to: **Registrar**

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Welcome Spring '06!

Registration & Coffee 8:00-9:00

Keynote address:

Garden Design Inspiration 9:00-10:00

C. L. Fornari is a garden writer, speaker and all around "plant nut". This presentation celebrates inspiring gardens and design ideas, explaining how we can use concepts from other gardens in our own yards.

CHOICE OF ONE WORKSHOP PER SESSION

Session 1 10:30-11:45

A Proper Planting of Trees, Shrubs & Perennials
Mike Garrity, Co-owner of Gardenworks LLC, Landscape Designer

B Orchids are Easy
P K Dulong, President of the NH Orchid Society, NHMGA member and active Master Gardener

C Design 101
Claudia Everest, Owner of Northland Design & a graduate of Radcliffe Landscape Design Program

D Extending the Gardening Season
Otho Wells, Retired UNH Extension Vegetable Specialist

Session 2 1:00-2:15

A Native Trees & Shrubs
Cheryl Lowe, Former Horticulture Director of the New England Wild Flower Society

B For Meat or Medicine: A Look at Herbs and Their Uses
Dot Perkins, BS in Plant Biology, UNH Extension Program Coordinator, Merrimack County

C Great Lawns for Less Money
Sadie Puglisi, UNH Extension Educator, Merrimack County

D Insect Friends and Foes
Rachel Maccini, UNHCE Family, Home & Garden Education Center Coordinator

Session 3 2:45-4:00

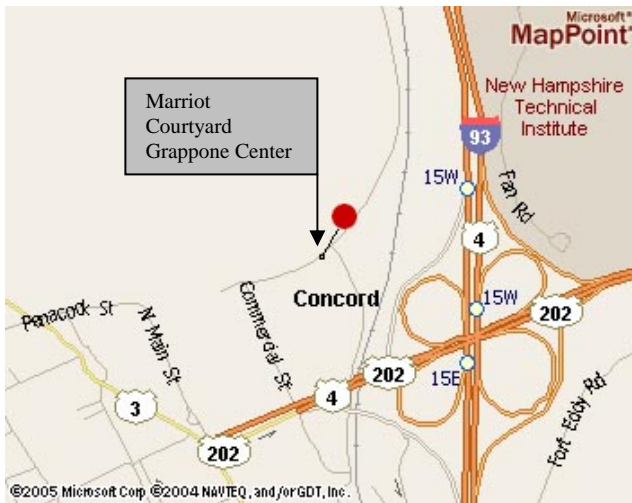
A Shade Gardening "Beyond Hosta"
C.L. Fornari, More from our Keynote Speaker

B Your Small Fruit Garden
Bill Lord, Professor Emeritus, UNH Cooperative Extension

C Daffodils 101 Introduction
Dianne Mrak, Member of the American Daffodil Society for over 30 years and International Daffodil Judge.

D Water Gardens- Fact & Fiction
Jeff Crary, Owner and Operator of Crary Waterfalls

RETAIN THIS SECTION! No confirmation will be sent.



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Directions to Grappone Center

From North or South

Take I 93
Exit 15W (N. Main St.)
Turn right at first stop light onto Commercial St.
Follow Commercial St. ¼ mile to Constitution Ave.
Grappone Ctr. is right next to the Marriott Courtyard

From East

Take US route 4 to I-393
At the first light (one block before I-393 tees with Main St. in Concord) Turn right onto Commercial St.
Proceed as above

From West

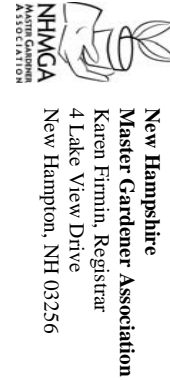
Take I-89 South to Exit 1
Take I-93 North Proceed to Exit 15W
Proceed as above

FREE PARKING AVAILABLE

Call Concord Courtyard by Marriott for special rate if you need to stay overnight: 603.225.0303 or 800.321.2211



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