

Welcome Spring '15

March 21, 2015

8:30am-2:30pm

Conference Location: Plymouth State University (PSU)

8 High Street

Plymouth, NH

Prospect Dining Hall-Newfound Room

Parking: Hyde Lot 304

Directions

From the North — I-93S to Exit 25, Plymouth. Right at end of ramp onto Bridge St; One tenth of a mile to Fieldhouse Rd on right.

From the South Take I-93N to Exit 25, Plymouth. Right at end of ramp onto Bridge St. Three tenths of a mile to Fieldhouse Rd on right.

Down Fieldhouse Rd to Bridge St. Turn right onto Bridge St. In three tenths of a mile go straight through roundabout to High Street. Proceed up High Street about 500 feet to the top of the hill. Prospect Dining Hall is on the right. Hyde Hall is another 200 feet or so up High St on the right.

Parking is available behind Hyde Hall-lot 304

online: plymouth.edu/about-psu/directions/



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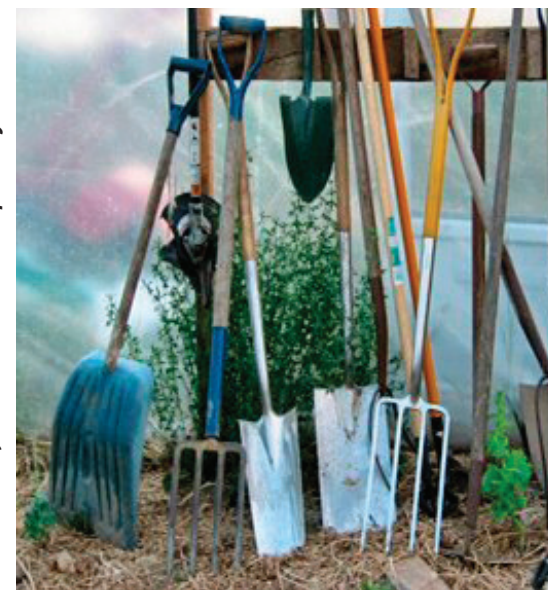


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A Garden Symposium

sponsored by the NHMGA

Grow It Yourself

Open to both Master Gardeners and the public, the daylong Welcome Spring Symposium offers topics for beginners and advanced gardeners.



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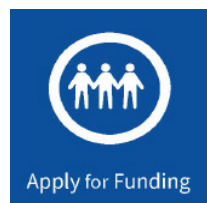
REGISTER HERE OR ONLINE

Name:	
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Registration Deadline:

March 15, 2015

Registration is NON REFUNDABLE
after March 15, 2015



ABOUT US:

The New Hampshire Master Gardeners Association (NHMGA) volunteers work hard to improve the quality of life in New Hampshire

communities. The NHMGA Special Projects Committee is pleased to announce its 10th year assisting Master Gardeners with funding their projects. Prior grant recipients have taken leadership roles within community gardens and school gardens and other not-for-profit organizations around the state have benefited from the NHMGA's generosity and Master Gardener expertise.

Agenda

Registration	8:30-9:30
Silent Auction	8:30-1:15
NHMGA Updates	9:30-10:00
PLANT IT	10:00-11:00
Jeremy DeLisle	
Vendors, Coffee,	11:00-11:15
GROW IT	11:15-12:15
Alan Eaton	
Lunch, Vendors,	12:15-1:30
EAT IT	1:30-2:30
Roger Swain	

PLANT IT

An Exploration Into School & Community Gardens

If you're looking for an activity that people of all ages can enjoy, start a school or community garden. Participants plant, harvest, and enjoy the produce and in turn incorporate the necessary fruits, vegetables, vitamins and nutrients they need to stay healthy. This session will take a look at several school and community garden projects and how they came to be. We will dive into ways to engage everyone in the process. Specialized tools and production systems will be discussed. The need for committed, knowledgeable gardening teachers abounds, so come enjoy this light-hearted journey and just grow it!

Jeremy DeLisle, Education Center Program Coordinator,

Grow it Yourself

oversees the information and resources being provided to clients by our team of Master Gardener volunteers.

Jeremy and his family enjoy gardening, raising their own farm animals for meat and eggs, fishing, hunting, hiking, and a variety of sporting activities. While born in New Hampshire, Jeremy has spent the last 25 years living in North Carolina. He attended North Carolina State University, where he earned his B.S. degree in Horticultural Sciences and his Masters in Agricultural Education with a minor in Horticulture.

GROW IT

Meet the Beneficials: Natural Enemies of Garden Pests

Most references on garden insects focus on the pests. But once you learn to identify insects, you discover that there are hundreds of species of insects that are predators or parasites of other insects. Alan's presentation will focus on these, which can be surprisingly abundant in gardens, especially those where the gardeners don't heavily apply insecticides.

Alan Eaton has been coordinator of UNH Cooperative Extension's IPM program since 1978 (which was during the last century, for you youngsters).

EAT IT

Vegetables – From Plant to Food Roger Swain will offer tips on growing vegetables, their culture, culinary advice and storage/preservation methods along with some special recipes. Learn what he has discovered as a gardener, cook and happy herbivore.

Roger Swain, "the man with the red suspenders" is best known for hosting the television show The Victory Garden on PBS for 15 years. Today his favorite credential is that of a gardener for more than 50 years. He began gardening as a teenager and recorded much of what he learned in his 1989 book, The Practical Gardener: A Guide to Breaking New Ground. Roger is a graduate of Harvard University earning a Ph.D. in Biology. He is the former science editor at Horticulture Magazine and the author of five books.

Get ready to Bid on items on our now FAMOUS SILENT AUCTION! Cash and Personal Checks accepted for silent auction and vendors.

Enjoy!

To confirm your membership STATUS, contact registrar-Check below: Make checks payable to NHMGA

*NHMGA Member	\$45	
NHMGA Membership	\$15	
Non-Member	\$55	
After March 15 and walk-ins	\$60	if space is available
Total Due		\$

*Dues must be paid through 2015

Mail Registration

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Certificates of Attendance Available upon Request