

ITASCA SWCD

Accepting orders for native flowers, trees, shrubs and grasses

Order by April 30, 2010

Visit www.ItascaSWCD.org for pictures and order form

or call [218-326-0017](tel:218-326-0017) for more details

BIWABIK HOME & GARDEN CLUB SPRING PLANT/ RUMMAGE/BAKE SALE

THURSDAY, MAY 6, 2009
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Park Pavilion
Biwabik, MN

Plants, rummage, baked goods
Door prizes *Raffle*
Serving pie and beverages.

Tour des Fleurs

Garden Center Bus Hop & Shop
June 5, 2010 7:30am-3:00pm
Bring your own lunch and save!
\$27.00 per person
Contact your club president for registration forms or call 525-1717. Register by May 22.

CLUB OFFICERS:

Send SEEDS Articles to
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DEADLINE FOR NEXT ISSUE:
May 10, 2010

District 8 Garden Club Listing

is available for your garden club to use. If you need copies, please contact Dave Wildung, 218 326-4764

Then It's a Date?!?

Dates have been set for these gardening events:

- Tues., Mar 9 "Blueberries: Home and Garden Culture for Wild & Cultivated" by Dave Wildung, 7 pm. Ely Garden Club hosts. Info: 218 365-6045.
- Sat., Mar. 20 St. Louis Co. Master Gardeners present "Fruits, Berries, & Vegetables" by Dave Wildung & Bob Olen. 9:00 am-noon, First United Methodist (Copper Top) Church in Duluth. Phone 218 733-2870.
- Sat., Mar. 27 Itasca Co Master Gardeners present **Relying on the Land**. See Pg 10
- Sat., April 17 **Spring 8th District Meeting**. Duluth-Hortus Garden Club to host "Spring in the Arrowhead." The program is "Water Gardens: Savor the Beauty, Avoid the Pitfalls" by Daniel Dix. Registration form P. 5.
- Sat., April 17 St. Louis County Master Gardeners present Ornamentals & Perennials by Tom Kasper, Bob Olen. 9:00 am-noon, Hermantown School.
- Sat., April 24 **DGFS Spring Luncheon**, "Contain Your Succulents," Holiday Inn Duluth, 11 am to 1:45 pm. For info, phone 728-0589
- Sun., April 25 **Raise the Roses** at Leif Erikson Rose Garden in Duluth, 12:30-3:30 pm. **Continues Tuesday, April 27**, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Wear gloves and boots; bring a garden fork or spade. Phone 254-2179.
- Fri., April 30 **Itasca SWCD Native Tree and Plant Sale** ordering deadline. For order form & photos: www.itascaswcd.org or 218-326-0017.
- Thur, May 6 **Biwabik Home & Garden Club Plant & Bake Sale**, Park Pavilion, Biwabik, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. For info, phone 218 865-6018.
- Tues., May 11 **Prune Roses** at Leif Erikson Rose Garden, 3:00-6:00 pm. **Continues Wed., May 12**, 3:00-6:00 pm. Learn to prune hybrid tea and shrub roses, Wear gloves; bring your pruners. Phone 254-2179 to confirm.
- Thur., May 20 **Itasca Master Gardeners Plant Sale**. For info, phone 218 492-4278.
- Sat., May 22 **Grand Rapids Garden Club Plant Sale**. Phone 218 492-4278.
- Sat., May 29 **DGFS Plant Sale**. Leif Erikson Rose Garden parking lot at 12th Ave. East & London Road, Duluth. 8:00 a.m. sharp; this sale sells out fast.
- Sat., June 5 **Tour des Fleurs Garden Center Hop**. Bus to nurseries, shop at a discount. Dist 8 MSHS hosts. Call 525-1717 for registration form.
- Sat., July 10 **Lake Superior Rose Society Show/RoseFest at Leif Erikson Rose Garden**. First Lutheran Church, Duluth. Enter your roses 7:00 -9:30 a.m; need not be a Rose Society member to enter. Show open to the public 12:30-3:30 pm. RoseFest tours and demonstrations 11-2:00 pm
- Sat., July 10 **Camp Esquagama 75th anniversary open house**. The former St. Louis Co. 4-H camp welcomes old and new friends. 1-5 pm.
- Sat., July 17 **Board of Directors Meeting**. 10:00 a.m. Olcott Park, Virginia. Ask a Board member for info. Guests are welcome at this potluck meeting!
- Sat., July 17 **DGFS "Secret Garden" Tour**. See www.dgfs.us for registration information or call Julie at 525-7562.
- Fri., July 23 **DGFS Flower Show**. See www.dgfs.us for info.
- Sat., July 31 **Eveleth-Fayal Flower Show**, public welcome free at 1:30 pm at United in Christ Lutheran Church, Eveleth. Info: 218 744-2941
- August 1 **Beautification Award Nominations due**. Form on Pg. 9.
- September 1 **Community Service Award Nominations due**. Form on Pg. 8.
- Sat., Sept. 18 **Fall 8th Dist. Meeting**, "Northern Know How", Mt. Iron Community Center. Cook Garden Club hosts. Call Sue at 741-3925 for info.
- Mon., Oct 4 "Uncommon Facts about Common Birds" by Stan Tekiela, Grand Rapids Garden Club hosts. Contact Mary Lou at 218 492-4278