

View from the Garden

News from the Wolfeboro Garden Club

No Season! Like Mud Season! Meeting Tuesday, April 8 @ 1pm

Board meeting @ 11am



From the President

July will be extra busy this year. In addition to the annual Town parade, we have been asked to participate in two additional events.

1. The **Wolfeboro Historical Society,** founded in 1925, is celebrating its centennial this year in July. They have asked the Gaden Club for our help with the festivities. They are very appreciative of all the work we do every year on the four gardens we maintain for the Town:

Booth Herb, Clark Historic, McBride Memorial, Members Memorial and the Victorian Garden. These gardens are not easily seen from Route 28.

The need is to draw attention to the entire Clark Park complex, the gardens and the four buildings behind the white picket fence on Main Street.

This is an opportunity to work collaboratively with the Historical Society, the D.A.R. and other organizations in Town.

In addition to the anniversary party, the VNA/Hospice is putting the museum complex on their annual house tour in July.

These two different events require creativity and work.

Libby Shannon, Historical Society will chair the decorations committee. Members will be **Martie Lincoln, Deborah Long-Smith and Nancy Black** president of the local chapter of the D.A.R. We will be asking members for ideas and contributions of faux flowers, baskets, planters and, as always, your labor.

2. Bobbie Stave is our liaison with the **Village Players.** She is working with **Rosemary Lounsbury** on how we can contribute to the July performance of Calendar Girls. We expect this to be a lot of fun as Rosemary is creating a calendar with the cast. She needs a garden to shoot pictures; one of which will be used on the cover of the calendar.

So... if you have a **very private garden** or courtyard, or something like that, which will have some flowers and greenery in late May, AND you'd like to volunteer your space, Please **contact Rosemary Lounsbury at rosemarylounsbury@gmail.com**

Our April Presentation

The **Wolfeboro Garden Club** is excited to welcome **C.L. Fornari**, renowned plant expert, artist, and author of eight books, as the featured speaker at its **April 8th meeting**. With a passion for keeping horticulture in popular culture and spreading joy through plants, C.L. brings a wealth of knowledge and inspiration to gardeners of all levels.

Her presentation, "Time-Saving Tips for Gardeners," will offer practical strategies to help gardeners work smarter, not harder, making the most of their time outdoors.

Whether you're a seasoned green thumb or just starting out, this talk is sure to provide valuable insights.

The event will take place at **1:00 PM at All Saints Church in Wolfeboro**, and **the public is warmly invited to attend**. Each meeting concludes with delightful refreshments, provided by our enthusiastic hospitality team. Join us for an afternoon of gardening wisdom, community, and inspiration!

Looking for a Road Trip in June?

Wolfeboro Garden Club is taking a trip to **Bedrock Gardens** (Bedrock Gardens - Bedrock Gardens | A Beautiful New England Garden to Visit) in Lee, NH on **Tuesday, June 24.** Our bus will leave All Saints Episcopal Church at 9:00 AM and return around 4:00 PM. We will enjoy a tour of these beautiful gardens hosted by John Forti, Executive Director of the gardens, after which we may wander and explore on our own. Lunch will be available through Bedrock Gardens soon (their website is currently being updated) or you may pack a picnic lunch to enjoy under their new luncheon tent. WGC will provide a cooler of ice cold waters. I anticipate the cost will be around \$35 per member for the bus and tour.

There will be a sign up sheet (no commitment) at our April meeting or **email** <u>kim.espinosa.44@gmail.co</u>

DUES ARE DUE! By June 1 this year.

2025-2026 Membership

Get this off of your list of things to do!

Bring your check to the April meeting.

An application form will be there for you to fill out.

Ensure your membership by sending	in your information b	pefore June 1st!
Name	New	Renew

Make out your \$30 check to the Wolfeboro Garden Club and mail to: Wolfeboro Garden Club, P.O. Box 1786, Wolfeboro, NH, 03894

You need to fill out the following questions **only** if you are a new member or your information has changed.

These changes will be reflected in the yearbook.						
Email Address (please print cl						
Mailing Address						
Phone			Cell			
			House			
I will volunteer to help with one or more of the following:						
Board Member	Hospitality	Our Gardens	Programs	Social Media		



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