

HOLLYWOOD GARDEN CLUB

Making Hollywood more beautiful one garden at a time!

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HOLLYWOOD GARDEN CLUB MEETINGS
3RD TUESDAY of the MONTH
Fred Lippman Multi-Purpose Center
6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. -- 2030 Polk Street, Hollywood, FL 33023



Upcoming Field Trip



5151 Viele Rd, Davie, FL 33314

Date: Jan. 19, 2019

We'll meet at 10:00 am

Followed by lunch

Friends and family welcome

Guest Speaker in January
Cynthia Schaefer
Her topic will be:
"Gardening with nature's help-letting
the system help you find solutions"

How to make your garden beautiful

A beautiful garden is a combination of many elements: color, simplicity, texture, vistas, focal points, and contrast to name a few. Often, we miss the beauty of our own gardens when we are so busy working in them. Take the time to just view your garden from various angles to appreciate what you have created. To give you more ideas, we searched online and found the website: <http://themicrogardener.com>, which gave 10 helpful tips for your garden. We've incorporated these ideas into our next page. We hope these will prove useful to our members.

3rd Home Garden Tour
on
Saturday - February 23, 2019

Gardens on the Tour

Mary Tabela
America & Georgina Figueira
Susan Berry
Full details to follow

We will have a luncheon at Susan's
Members & guests only

Field trip to HOLIDAY PARK
will be rescheduled

Happy Birthday

Nilda Calvet, Karen Caputo, Don Frakes, Bernadette Mercon, Emma Simmons, and Roni Lynn

Gardens are a thing of beauty and
a job forever

VISIT OUR WEBSITE - **Hollywood Garden Club** <http://hollywoodgardenclub.com>

What would you like to see in our newsletter?? Email pictures from your garden or other suggestions to mtabela@comcast.net
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Helpful tips to make our gardens beautiful

1. The easiest method is by adding flowers and flowering plants. This is something we can all do.



2. Control Weeds - Keep them under control with the help of mulching in the garden.

3. Group plants around a theme – include several plants with the same leaf type but in assorted colors



4. Add some garden art - items can reflect your personality and creativity.

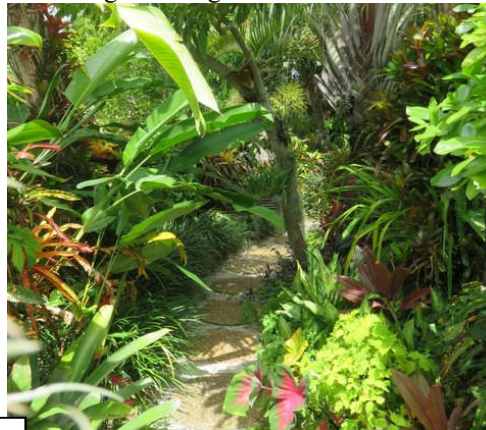
Here your eye is drawn to the statue.



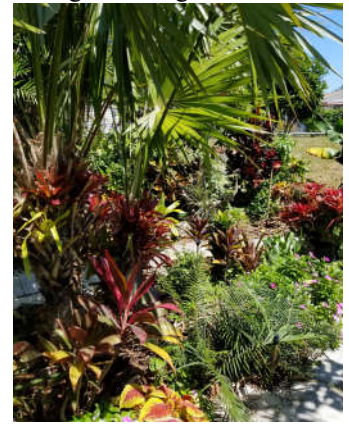
5. Use colorful pots or feature containers to add splashes of color.



6. Use multi-function herbs and flowers — here using Mondo grass in a border



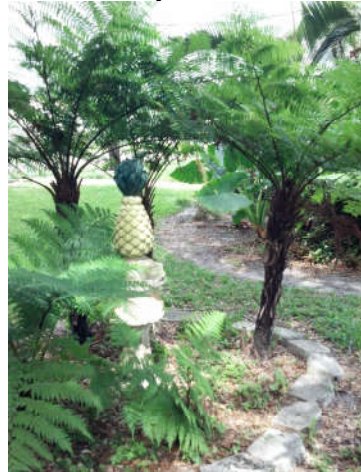
7. Create unity and diversity – repeat color themes throughout the garden



8. Choose a feature – create a destination focal point in the garden



9. Beautiful gardens avoid clutter – balance is the key, avoid overcrowding



10. Choose variegated foliage – variegation is a good option to add interest especially in low light areas.

