

MRGC BULLETIN BOARD

SEPTEMBER
2024



WELCOME BACK!

As we begin our second year of our presidency, we're looking forward to getting back together with old friends and making new ones. The Board of Directors are planning many fun and educational events. So, lets get started working together!

Rita and Carol



September Luncheon: LAST SPLASH OF SUMMER

The first luncheon of the year is a **POTLUCK** affair. Dawn your beach attire to celebrate the last days of summer in style.

Bring your favorite dish to share.

Program

"Euphorbias and Sansevierias"

Kate Brenner owner of Paradise Found Nursery will captivate us (as usual) with her presentation on Euphorbias and Sansevierias. Product will be available for sale!!

Yearbook

The yearbook will be available at the meeting. Make sure your information is correct.

Please note the Hostess assignments listed on page 9. All members are expected to help at at least one luncheon during the year. If you are unable to work during your assigned date, please find a replacement.

SEPTEMBER 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 Garden Angels	11	12 BOD Meeting 10am	13	14
15	16	17 Set up for meeting 11am	18 MRGC Meeting 10:30am	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Flower Show School in progress, club closed						
29	30	Welcome Back!				

Make Your Plans...

October 16th District VIII Meeting, Tampa

Registration due Oct 1. (Forms available at the meeting)

This changes our October meeting to 10/23

December 18 Centerpiece auction, theme: "Sounds of the Season" Designers, plan your design!

January 4: Container grown plants for the Flower Show must be in your possession.

February 1: Wine & Cheese/Plant Auction

April 4: Flower Show. Set up will begin on April 1.

For those of you interested in entering photography, themes include:

1. Wild Critters - a photo of a woodland animal/s (i.e. raccoon, opossum, fox, skunk, armadillo, squirrel etc.)

NO pictures of birds, butterflies, insects etc.

2. Tropical Flower - a photo of a Tropical Flower/s

3. Sunset is My Favorite Color - a photo of a Sunset

4. Shore Scene - a photo of a Shoreline

For all you gardeners:

September	
Easy to transplant from seedling	Cabbage, Cauliflower, Chinese Cabbage, Eggplant, Endive, Kale, Lettuce, Peppers, Sugarcane, Swiss Chard, Tomatillo, Tomatoes, tropical Spinaches such as Okinawa or Malabar.
Transplant carefully from seedling	Amaranth, Calabaza, Long Squash, Luffa, Mustard, Papaya, Pineapple, Seminole Pumpkin, Sweet Potatoes
Sow seed directly	Beans (bush, lima, pole), Carrots, Cucumbers, Okra, Onions (bunching), Peas (southern such as black eye or pigeon, Squashes, Turnips)

MORE TO COME.....

REGISTRATION
DISTRICT VIII FALL MEETING - Wednesday, October 16, 2024

The Natural Springs and Waterways of Florida

Hosted by the Tampa Garden Club
2629 Bayshore Boulevard, Tampa, FL 33629

Registration and coffee - 9:30 am

Call to order - 10:00 am

DEADLINE TO REGISTER -Tuesday, October 1, 2024 (No refunds after October 4th)

\$40.00 Includes registration, morning hospitality, and lunch.

Please make checks payable to The Tampa Garden Club

Mail To :

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Tampa, FL 33629

Questions to: Paula Meckley
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Your Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Garden Club _____

Phone Number _____ Email address _____

MENU: Chicken Salad on a bed of lettuce /Croissant/Palma Ceia Springs Dessert

Lunch includes Tea or Lemonade

****Dietary restrictions and or allergies** _____

Please check **ALL categories** that apply to you. (Information needed for Meeting Credentials Report)

_____ Visitor/Guest OR _____ District VIII Club Member _____ District VIII Circle Member

_____ NGC Officer _____ Former NGC Officer – Office: _____ Years: _____

_____ FFGC Officer

_____ FFGC Committee Chair

_____ Former FFGC President – Years: _____

_____ District VIII Director

_____ District VIII Board Member (District VIII Officers and Committee Chair)

_____ Former District Director Years: _____

_____ Club President _____ Circle President _____

_____ **DELEGATE- PLEASE CHECK DELEGATE IF:**

You are a Club or Circle President

You are attending in place of your Club or Circle President OR

You were selected to be a delegate by your Garden Club OR

You are a District VIII Officer or Committee Chairman

You are an FFGC Officer or FFGC Chairman living in District VIII OR

You are a former FFGC President or former District VIII Director living in District VIII

_____ **ALTERNATE:** (Selected by your Garden Club or Circle as an Alternate)