



Friday, March 22

Room	Time	Topic	Speaker
1A	11:00AM	Improving Soils for Better Results in All Locations	Fred Breglia, Landis Arboretum
ECO 1B	11:00AM	Building a Bird Garden	Kristi Shepler, Wild Ones Capital Region NY
2A	11:30AM	Cut Flowers and How to Make Them Last	Suzanne Balet-Haight, Balet Flowers & Design
1A	12:00PM	Basic Bonsai Care	Sean Lamoureux, Bonsai Bar
ECO 1B	12:00PM	Gardeners & Pollinator-Friendly Solar	Jennifer Michelle, GreenTown Consulting
2A	12:30PM	Get Ready for Gardening	Juliette McKernon, MVP Health Care
1A	1:00PM	Big Trees Ancient Forests	Fred Breglia, Landis Arboretum
ECO 1B	1:00PM	50 Things to Make the Earth a Healthier Place	Pam Skripak, Home Earth Alliance
2A	1:30PM	Carnivorous Plants of the World	Bill Schwartz, Clever Carnivores
1A	2:00PM	Growing Citrus Trees in the Northeast	Barbara Melera, Harvesting History
ECO 1B	2:00PM	Native Plants Go Public	Donna Lee Newsome, Wild Ones
2A	2:30PM	Floral Wedding Trends Past & Present	Suzanne Pillsworth-Becker, Blooms Floral Design
1A	3:00PM	Homemade Hypertufa Pot Demonstration	Martey Costello, Cornell Cooperative Ext. Sch'dy
ECO 1B	3:00PM	Introduction to Invasive Species	Addison Kubik, Capital Region PRISM
2A	3:30PM	Landscape Considerations to Avoid Future Problems	Paul Swieton, Hudson Valley Community College
1A	4:00PM	Elephant Ears	Barbara Melera, Harvesting History
ECO 1B	4:00PM	Regenerative Practices for the Land We Care For	Sheree Cammer, Home Earth Alliance
2A	4:30PM	Ten Broeck Mansion Gardens: History & Herbariums	Kathryn Kosto, Ten Broeck Mansion
1A	5:00PM	Gardeners' Defense: Protect Your Skin	Hedy Schneller, Illumia Skincare Products



Saturday, March 23

Room	Time	Topic	Speaker
1A	11:00AM	Promoting Plant Health Through Proper Pruning	Fred Breglia, Landis Arboretum
ECO 1B	11:00AM	What Are Native Plants & Why Are They Important?	Steve Young, NY Flora Association
2A	11:30AM	Top Gardening Trends: Be the Change	Denise Maurer, Cornell Cooperative Ext. Rens.
1A	12:00PM	The Enduring Favorite: Growing Plants in Containers	Barbara Melera, Harvesting History
ECO 1B	12:00PM	The Wonder of Nature and Why It's Good for You	Rhonda Rumsey van Heuvein, Capital Native Plants
2A	12:30PM	Orchids 101: Basic Orchid Culture	Donna Wardlaw, Northeastern NY Orchid Society
1A	1:00PM	Improving Soils for Better Results in All Locations	Fred Breglia, Landis Arboretum
ECO 1B	1:00PM	Wilding Your Lawn	Kate Brittenham, Front Stoop Gardens
2A	1:30PM	Growing A Great Lawn	David Chinery, Cornell Cooperative Ext. Rens.
1A	2:00PM	Creating a Backyard Vegetable Garden	John Martin, Cornell Cooperative Ext., Alb.
ECO 1B	2:00PM	Sustainable Landscapes: Creating a Pollinator Garden	Addison Kubik, Capital Region PRISM
2A	2:30PM	The War of the Weeds	Teri Dunn Chace, Timber Press author
1A	3:00PM	Succulents	Suzanne Balet-Haight, Balet Flowers & Design
ECO 1B	3:00PM	A Journey to a Natural Yard in Suburbia	Laura Davis, Wild Ones
2A	3:30PM	The Torment of Roses: Duel Over Flower Arrangements	John Dennehey, University at Albany (PhD Student)
1A	4:00PM	Companion Planting, What is it & Why	John Martin, Cornell Cooperative Ext., Alb.
ECO 1B	4:00PM	Growing Tasty Greens in Your Kitchen All Winter Long	Bill Stoneman, The Vegetable Project
2A	4:30PM	Honey, I Shrunk The Lawn	Judith Fetterley, Cornell Cooperative Ext. Alb.



Sunday, March 24

Room	Time	Topic	Speaker
1A	11:00AM	A Garden of Rare Houseplants	Barbara Melera, Harvesting History
ECO 1B	11:00AM	Attract Pollinators to Your Garden	Kristi Shepler, Wild Ones Capital Region NY
2A	11:30AM	Herbal Tea from Your Garden	Matthew Zacharewicz, Short and Stout Tea Company
1A	12:00PM	Flower Reflections Through the Decades	Michele Peters, AIFD, Ambiance Florals & Events
ECO 1B	12:00PM	Your Garden is a Home (Habitat)	Kate Brittenham, Front Stoop Gardens Carolyn Summers, Flying Trillium Gardens & Preserve
2A	12:30PM	Orchids 101: Basic Orchid Culture	Donna Wardlaw, Northeastern NY Orchid Society
1A	1:00PM	Ancient Heirlooms: Outstanding 21st Century Plants	Barbara Melera, Harvesting History
ECO 1B	1:00PM	50 Things to Make the Earth a Healthier Place	Pam Skripak, Home Earth Alliance
2A	1:30PM	Styling a Bonsai	Sean Lamoureux, Bonsai Bar
1A	2:00PM	Carnivorous Plants of the World	Bill Schwartz, Clever Carnivores
ECO 1B	2:00PM	How to Advocate for Native Plants in Your Community	Jennifer Michelle, GreenTown Consulting
2A	2:30PM	North American Japanese Garden Tour	David Besozzi, Independent Gardener
1A	3:00PM	Ecological Landscapes Discussion Panel	Wild Ones Capital Region NY