



KA-BLOOM!



Help Your Garden Burst with Color

Wednesday,
March 24, 2010

*Sponsored by Alverno
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Botanical Gardens*

Registration 5:30-6:00 p.m.

Dinner 6:00-6:45 p.m.

Keynote 6:45-7:30 p.m.

Workshop 7:40-9:00 p.m.

Keynote: Top Tree Trends for 2010

Carrie will showcase species sure to thrive in a variety of conditions and offer a beautiful addition to any landscape.

*Presenter - Carrie Hennessy,
Horticulturist/Landscape Designer,
Johnson's Nursery, Inc.*

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\$45

(includes dinner, Keynote, and choice of one workshop)

Alverno College
Conference Center

Please call 414-382-6176 with any questions or to alert us of any special dietary needs before this event.

Workshops

Habitat Gardening for Birds, Butterflies and Beneficial Insects

Learn how to make your garden come alive by attracting birds and butterflies. By planting carefully selected trees, shrubs and flowers, you can create a beautiful landscape that will be a haven for birds and winged beneficials. The focus will be on specific techniques for hummingbird and butterfly gardens.

Laurie Weiss, Instructor, owner Sandhill Farms Nursery. Laurie has a master's degree in Horticulture from UW Madison and is an instructor in the Landscape Horticulture Program at MATC.

Landscaping the Front Yard

Learn how to create a landscape that will compliment your house and front yard with basic landscape principals. All of this is accomplished by the proper blending of the: surfaced area, plant material, flowering containers, hardscape material and other ornamentation. The design techniques used in the front yard are also applicable to other areas of the yard.

Paul Drobot, owner Perennial Landscapes. Paul was previously a Biology and Horticulture Instructor at Franklin High School. His business specializes in the design, installation, and maintenance of small landscape projects.

Hardy Perennials

The perennial garden can contain plants that flower, plants with colorful leaves and foliage, and low growing ground covers. Blooming perennials tend to average about 3 weeks of bloom time so choosing plants with attractive structure, foliage and flowers will enhance your landscape for many years. Learn how to select the best perennial plants for our area.

Heidi Hornung, Landscape Architect, Garden Designer. Heidi has a bachelor's degree in landscape architecture from the University of Wisconsin. She is licensed as a landscape architect in Wisconsin with over 20 years of experience, including an internship in the green industry in Germany.

Worm Condos

A worm condo is a system that can be used for composting. Worm compost is such a powerful fertilizer because worms eat nutrient packed fruit and vegetable scraps. Just like a machine, their tiny bodies turn kitchen waste into nutrient-rich compost. Learn the benefits of worms to our gardens and how to set up a simple worm compost bin.

Jerry Seroka, Retired Milwaukee County Horticulturist

Please number your first, second and third choice of workshops:

- Habitat Gardening for Birds, Butterflies and Beneficial Insects**
- Landscaping the Front Yard**
- Hardy Perennials**
- Worm Condos**

Please register me for **KA-BLOOM! Help Your Garden Burst With Color.**

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