



Country Clippings

Easton Garden Club Newsletter

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March 8, 2006 (Wednesday) 7:30pm

Oakes Ames Memorial Hall

Program: "Unique Plants for Unique Situations and the Climate that Affects Them" - David Epstein, Channel 5 Meteorologist and Horticulturist. Be sure to bring questions.

Design Exhibits: "When Irish Eyes are Smiling" - A design using a variety of green leaves and berries

Horticulture Exhibit: "Narcissus, Tulips, and Daffodils"

Topic: "Hydrangeas"

Refreshments: Kim Bertram, Chair; Pat Jacobsen, Vivian Bissett, Ellie Strug, Sandy Medeiros, Alma Ryan



Dates to Remember

March 22, 2006 (Wednesday) 7:00 p.m. Board meeting at the home of Amy Morse

March 11-19, 2006 New England Flower Show

March 21, 2006 (Tuesday) Daffodil Days Roche Bros. and CVS

March 29, 2006 (Wednesday) New Member Social at the home of Rosemary Sinesi

April 2, 2006 (Sunday) Brockton's Blooming, Garden Show

April 4, 2006 (Tuesday) 10:30 a.m. Shaw's Center South Shore District Meeting at Shaw's Center in Brockton

New Members: EGC would like to welcome our newest member:
Diane Shannon of 62 Pine Street, South Easton, Mass. (508) 238 – 0343
Invitations for the New Members Social on March 29th will include time and directions.

Cookbooks: Copies of **Digging In** with the Easton Garden Club will be available for purchase at the meeting. This fund raiser has been so successful for the Garden Club that we are having more books printed.

Garden Project at NRT Plot:

ATTENTION: Egg-eating Members

NEEDED: Egg Carton and Egg Shells for starting seeds for the NRT plot.

- 1) Please try and remove only the top one third of the shell when using an egg.
- 2) After emptying out the egg, rinse out the remaining 2/3rds of the shell and let dry.
- 3) Return the 2/3rds portion of the shell to egg carton. When full bring to a meeting for Cindy Lemish or Sandy Medeiros. Thanks!!!

Daffodil Days – March 21 at Roche Bros and CVS, EGC is selling daffodils to support cancer research. Contact Cindy Lemish or Sandy Medeiros if you would like to help.

Brockton Garden Show April 2, 2006 (Sunday) Brockton's Blooming, Garden Show, at The Shaw's Center. At 1PM there will be a Floral Demonstration by Holmes-McDuffy Florists. See enclosed information sheet for times and address.

New England Flower Show, March 11-19th – Theme is "Welcome Home"

South Shore District Meeting, April 4th, South Shore District Annual Meeting and Luncheon, Shaw's Center, Brockton. 10:30 AM. Cost TBA. Contact: Louise Hannington at 781-828-2828 or LouiseHannington@aol.com. Please note new contact person.

Christmas Tour – Nancy Cohenno is the chairperson and is looking to members to assist with the decoration and hostess the tours.

GCFMA is hosting the 2007 national garden club convention and wants sponsorship and club participation. A \$525 donation was made by the EGC.

Pots, trays, cardboard trays that water bottle come packaged in are needed for the May plant sale. Start thinking about digging and giving plants from your gardens that can be sold at our very popular EGC Spring Plant Sale. Contact Amy Morse.

Dues: Please review the new membership dues proposal enclose with this newsletter. The membership will vote on this proposed change at the March meeting.

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