



**EMERALD NECKLACE  
GARDEN CLUB**

**Newsletter** *(Revised)*  
**April, 2024**

Board Meetings will be on the Monday before the 2nd Thursday of the month. Meetings start at **10am** at *Christ the Redeemer Lutheran Church*, 9201 Brecksville Road, Brecksville.

**2024 ENGC Board Meetings:**  
*April 4th (Thursday ~ due to eclipse on the 8th)* | **September 9**  
**May 6** | **October 7**  
**June 10** | **November 11**  
*No Board Meetings ~ July & August*  
**December 9 (HolidayPotLuck)**

**2024 General Meeting Schedule**

<i>April 11th</i>	<i>September 12</i>
<i>May 10 (Friday)</i>	<i>October 10</i>
<i>June 12</i>	<i>November 14</i>

*July & August ... No meetings*  
*December 12 (Holiday Potluck)*



**April 11th General Meeting program.**

*Sharing Our Gardening Journey*

Speakers.....YOU ~ our Members!  
How/why did I begin to garden .... thru travel, books, family, friends???? Share your personal journey and adventure as you found bits of yourself over the years thru your garden.  
Bring books and catalogs that were/are most helpful to you also.  
This is not about how much you know about plants, their Latin names, design or habits, but about YOU!!  
*Bring a Friend.*

*Jane & Marlene*



- Below is a summary of programs for the remainder of 2024:
- **May - Short meeting prior to plant sale set up (Friday)**
  - **June** - Field Trip to Secret Garden Hostas of Chagrin Falls; Lunch to follow at Welshfield Inn
  - **July & August — No meetings**
  - **September** - "Murder and Mayhem in the Garden;"  
*Speaker: Phyllis Maholic*
  - **October** - *Discussing the future of gardening;* Speaker: Chris Kent from Botanical Gardens Green Corp
  - **November** - *(To Be Determined)*
  - **December** - *Potluck luncheon at Christ the Redeemer Lutheran Church in celebration of the Holidays, ENGC's 60th Anniversary, and Installation of 2025 Officers.*

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE - Nathalie Petri

April and the birds are back in town. I just love opening the door in the morning when it starts to get light out to hear the birds chattering away. I often wonder what they are saying and greet them with a cheerful hello!

Which brings me to the native plant of the month, celandine poppy or wood poppy, which make a splash in spring and early summer. It is native to woodlands of eastern North America, from zone 4 to 9. The bright yellow blossoms are borne in small clusters on the ends of 12-18" stems. Flowers that are pollinated and remain on the plant will form a fuzzy pendant pod about an inch long. These will split open in late summer and the seeds are naturally dispersed by ants.



This showy long-lived wildflower adapts easily to shaded garden beds. The bold foliage of celandine poppy is a nice contrast of texture when planted among large-leaved hostas. It combines well with other shade-loving plants including bleeding heart, columbine, foamflower, spiderworts and wild ginger. Plus deer ignore it!

So along with looking forward to my wood poppies blooming I'm looking forward to our April projects: painting rocks for our plant sale, youth activity with Stepping Stones and the GCO district meeting, We "R" Cleveland and spending time with all of you!

### **NEED VOLUNTEER TO TAKE OVER ENGC NEWSLETTER ~ Charlene Schuh**

For those of you who might not know, I will stop doing the ENGC Newsletter toward the end of this year (but no later than the end of this November). I am moving out of Ohio, so we need someone to replace me. When we do have a replacement, I will be happy to work with that member to make a smooth transition. If we're unable to find a replacement before I leave, that ends the newsletter until one is found! I've really enjoyed providing your newsletter each month for the past decade, but my time is coming to an end. I see this as one of the easiest jobs in the club because I work on it at my convenience throughout the month. If you're interested, or have any questions, please contact either Nathalie Petri or me.

*Charlene*

## YOUTH COMMITTEE - Sheila Humphrey

Mark your Calendars - we need people to help.

**Paint Rocks to Sell at Plant Sale in May** (Workshop: April 15, 10am at Christ the Redeemer Lutheran Church, Brecksville)

### **St. Basils Summer Picnic**

Sunday, June 9th 1-4pm ~ Children's booth with craft (to be determined)

**Cuyahoga Library-Brecksville Branch** ~ Monday, July 22nd 6:30-7:30pm ~ Adult and Children (5th grade+) Pressed flower bookmarks and cards

## **SUNSHINE NEWS ~ Laurie Siebert**

If you are aware of any sunshine news throughout the year, please contact our **2024 Corresponding Secretary, Laurie Siebert.**

Psalm 143:8 "Let the morning bring me word of your unfailing love, for I have put my trust in you. Show me the way I should go, for to you I entrust my life."

*No new news at the moment.*

*Contact Laurie if you have an illness, surgery, or travel adventure to report.*



## **SAVE THE DATES:**

**April 4** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**April 11** ~ ENG C General Meeting  
**April 11** ~ Stepping Stones Preschool activity 1:30pm  
**April 14** ~ National Gardening Day  
**April 15** ~ (Monday 10am-noon)  
Rock Painting for Plant Sale  
**April 16, 17, 18** ~ GCO Convention/*We-R-Cleveland*  
**April 25** ~ CLE Botanical Garden Affiliate Day  
**May 6** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**May 9** ~ ENG C General Meeting  
**May 9** ~ GCO Spring District Meeting  
**May 10** (Friday) ~ ENG C General Meeting & Plant Sale  
Set-up 8a-'til done

**June 9** ~ St. Basil Youth Event  
**June 10** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**June 13** ~ ENG C General Meeting  
***July/August ~ NO ENG C MEETINGS***  
***July 22 ~ ENG C Brecksville Library Youth event***  
**September 9** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**September 11** ~ (Wednesday) GCO Fall District Meeting  
**September 12** ~ ENG C General Meeting  
**September 29** ~ (Sunday) Fall Fest  
**October 7** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**October 10** ~ ENG C General Meeting  
**November 8** ~ (Friday) GCO Holiday Meeting  
**November 11** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**November 14** ~ ENG C General Meeting  
**December 9** ~ ENG C Board Meeting  
**December 12** ~ ENG C General Meeting





**Butterfly Project for Stepping Stones Preschool: Pauline Dey**

If you have not signed up to help with our youth butterfly project at Stepping Stones Preschool on April 11th at 1:30pm in the afternoon, and are interested in helping — please email me **ASAP**.  
*Pauline*



**CBG/Holden: Jane Petrie**

Hope you take the time to read the Newsletter from the CBG/ Holden, but you will not see the following wonderful program sponsored by the Affiliate Board on Thursday, April 25th at CBG ~ Woodland Hall. Doors open at 8:30am; program begins 9:30am.

Guest Speaker is Kerry Ann Mendez, an award-winning garden educator, author and design consultant based in Maine. She has been a featured speaker at botanical gardens, arboretums and horticultural societies throughout the country.

I could go on and on about her, but you will want to see and hear her yourself. I will have a sign up sheet that needs your name and a \$15 (payable to CBG), or you can go to [holdenfg.org](http://holdenfg.org) ... scroll down to Affiliate Council website....find Event and ins.for Affiliate Day Questions?... *Jane Petrie (440) 526-4213*

**2024 Executive Officers**

- President: Nathalie Petri*
- 1st Vice Presidents (Programs): Marlene Winter, Jane Petrie*
- 2nd Vice Presidents (Ways and Means): Sung Gullifer, Irene Ochrin*
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**Committee Chairs**

- (Standing Committees - Voting Members)**
- Communication/Publicity: Donna Hessel*
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  - Newsletter: Charlene Schuh*
  - Youth: Sheila Humphrey*

**Auxiliary Committee Chairs**

**(Non-Voting Members)**

- Awards: Rosanne Radziewicz*
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- Historian: Donna Hessel*
- Horticulture: Pat Cotzman*
- Hostesses: Barbara Harvaite*
- Scholarship Liaison: Mary Ellen Issac*
- Website & Facebook: Donna Hessel*

<b><u>2024 Hostesses</u></b>		
April		Lisa Schieman Anne Morrison Fran McIntyre
May 10 <b>(Friday)</b>	Connects with Plant Sale Set-up	No Hostesses
June	Field Trip/No Hostesses	
<b><i>July, August NO Meetings</i></b>		
September 12		Laurie Siebert Sung Gullifer Marlene Helm
October 10		Pat Cotzman Pauline Dey JoanCastilucci
November 14		MaryEllen Isaac Nathalie Petri Denise Bowler
December 12	Holiday Potluck Luncheon	Marlene Helm Paul Helm Dianna Kulwicki Cheryl Schmidt

### 2024 Plant Sale request

Please save any plastic pots you have acquired over the summer. The pots you bought mums for your fall displays are a good size so please save them when you toss the plants. Hanging baskets too, without the hanger.

Thanks! *Nathalie*

### YOUTH: Sheila Humphrey

#### *SAVE THE DATE:*

Monday, April 15th 10am-noon come paint Rocks that we will sell at the plant sale. Rocks will have a base color. Come share artistic designs. (we will have books to help).

**Eden Brothers Discount:** In conjunction with our September speaker's presentation on spring bulbs, we received an offer for ENGC members to receive a 20% discount on orders from *Eden Brothers* at [EdenBrothers.com](http://EdenBrothers.com). Eden Brothers is a plant nursery based in North Carolina. They offer bulbs for spring and fall planting and perennials in addition to heirloom, rare and hard-to-find flower seeds, veggie, herb and organic seeds. You can also find planting guides and how-to videos on their website. To get the 20% discount on your order, use the code **NECKLACE73** when you check out. Orders of \$79 plus — ship free. **This discount offer is good until 7-13-2024** – valid for two years! Don't postpone ordering your bulbs because they do sell out of stock. It's a popular site.



### Horticulture - Pat Cotsman

Now is the time to plant the seeds of half-hardy annuals. These are things like *cleome*, *bachelor buttons*, *calendula*, *alyssum*, *marigolds* and *sweet peas*.

If you see weeds emerging in your beds, get rid of them now. They are easier to remove in soft soil. Don't let them go to seed.

If you grow vegetables, things like *onions*, *leeks*, *shallots*, *spinach*, *lettuce*, *radishes* and *peas* can now be sown. They can take chilly temps and grow best before the temps get into the 80's. Towards the end of the month things like *cabbage*, *broccoli*, *kale* and *brussels sprouts* can be planted as they can take chilly temps.

Remove any old leaves from your German Iris plants. Iris borers lay their eggs on these in the Fall and will hatch and tunnel into your rhizomes in Spring. If you have had borer damage in the past spray the new leaves with an insecticide twice in April. Space the sprays a week apart.

If you are going to add a tree or shrub to your garden now is the time to plant it. Its roots will have time to spread out while the soil is moist from the spring rains.

Before working the soil in your garden make sure it is dry enough. Pick up a handful and form a ball. Let it go. If it falls apart your soil can be dug or tilled. If it holds its shape, your soil is too wet.



*Happy Easter, Pat*



# 2024 Winter Seminar Series

Join us this February and March for exciting topics and everyone's favorite - New Plants of 2024!

## SIGN UP TODAY!

Online, in store, or by phone

- Seminars held Saturdays at 11:00 am
- Seating is limited
- Cost: \$10 each
- Pre-registration is appreciated

### What is included with your admission?

- Informative handouts
- Comfortable, warm atmosphere
- Light snacks, coffee, and water
- Door prize raffles
- Bathroom facilities

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#### ~~February 17~~

~~The Basics of Vegetable Gardening and How to do it Successfully!~~

~~Speaker: Lee Paulson, Summit County Master Gardener~~

#### ~~February 24~~

~~Plants for Wet Garden Spaces~~

~~Speaker: Dani Osborne, Perennial Manager~~

#### March 2

~~Oh, Deer!~~

Speaker: Carol Zeh, Audubon Member

#### ~~March 9~~

~~The Best of Coneflowers~~

Speaker: Jason Veil, Curator Secrest Arboretum, The Ohio State University - Wooster Campus

#### ~~March 16~~

~~What's New for 2024~~

Speakers: Dani Osborne, Jody Ruther, & Melanie Sonntag

#### May 4 - Mother's Day Special Seminar

Women Who Made the Greatest Contribution to Horticulture and Our Environment

Speaker: Lee Paulson, Summit County Master Gardener



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**SAVE the DATE \*\* April 16-18, 2024**



**We R**



## **GCO Convention in Cleveland !**

The Cleveland District cordially invites you to attend the 96th Annual GCO Convention Tuesday, April 16 thru Thursday, April 18, 2024 at the Holiday Inn. in Independence, Ohio. Vendors, raffles and an Ohio Judges Council Standard Flower Show will be part of the entertainment. Cleveland offers so many things to see and do just around the corner, come early and stay late!

There are several attachments below and you will also see details in the Garden Greetings. Please share this information with your club members.

◆ **Tuesday, April 16th** the beat begins for past and current GCO Board members with Kathy Wagner's favorite music - old fashioned Jazz! Did you know that jazz music has a long history with flowers? Gardenia's tucked in Ella Fitzgerald's hair and Herbie Hancock's love of roses are examples. And callas were everywhere! Join us as we turn down the lights and enjoy the elaborated Barbara Knight Trio as we swing to songs related to flowers.

◆ **Wednesday, April 17th** begins with our Life Member Scholarship Breakfast featuring Lake View Cemetery COO and VP Ops Marilyn Brandt. Why a cemetery? As a member of American Public Gardens Lake View is on the National Register of Historic Places and is a Level 2 Arboretum. It houses the Moses Cleveland Trees, one of the nation's largest Weeping Canadian Hemlocks, and a Japanese Maple collection. One can find the gravesites of Alan Freed heather of Rock "n Roll, Elliot Ness, John D. Rockefeller and the soaring monument housing the caskets of President James A Garfield and his wife. **"Lake View Cemetery - Cleveland's Hidden Gem"** will be a wonderful tour presented by someone who knows all the secrets.

◆ **Thursday, April 18th** will showcase *The Big Boy* and Bette Lou Higgins of Eden Valley Enterprises. Bette is an Emmy-nominated documentary filmmaker and was voted to participate in the 2023 National Woman's Storytelling Contest. Her presentation of *"What's Her Story"* will include local Clevelanders such as Harriet Keeler a botanist, author, educator ad suffragist who is memorialized in Brecksville Reservation of the Cleveland MetroPark . Our annual meeting will follow. ***Think Educational Exhibit.***

## WORKSHOPS:

**Mandy Spisak** is a multimedia artist using pressed flowers to make a pretty and usable luminary. Mandy teaches at the *Peninsula Art Academy* and at her studio *Mindfully Made Arts*. She uses up-cycled fabric and wallpaper to create beautiful sustainable works of art. ***Think Botanical Arts.***

**Jessica Shaffer** and the FirstEnergy Green team will address how large-scale reforestation by one of the nation's largest power companies helps the environment and our lungs - The power of one tree! Tie a white ribbon (lung cancer awareness) around your very own tree or shrub seedling during this workshop. Think Conservation, Trees, Pollution and Reclamation.

## SPEAKERS:

**Jonathon Cepek** is a Wildlife Ecologist who has served with the USDA and now as the Manager of Wildlife for 24,000 acres in the Cleveland Metroparks. He has authored many articles and has been a speaker at national and international conferences. He runs a long-term urban ecology project; and, using 200 wildlife cameras, he found that after 100 years, Bobcats, River Otters and Trumpeter Swans are making a comeback in NE Ohio. ***Think Wildlife.***

**Nathan Rutz** is Director of Soil at the very unique Rust Belt Riders (“RBR”) food recycling plant in downtown Cleveland. RBR gathers food waste with meat and bones from residential and commercial locations with an unusual twist - it is recycled to high grade soil. ***Think recycling.***

**Jeremy Rettger**. Our Design Banquet features award-winning Jeremy Rettger AIFD, CFD. Jeremy loves competition and won the 2023 Arrangement Category at the Mid-America International Cup, the 2022 Designer of the Year Award from the Great Lakes Floral Association and too many more to list. He has designed the large entry floral design at the *Cleveland Great Big Home — Garden Show* for many years. “Fun and Fantastical” will showcase unusual floral designs and Jeremy’s personality will shine through. The material and his mechanics will be left open to view after the program as an educational tool for you. ***Think Flower Show designs.***





## 2024 CONVENTIONS AGENDA — *We R Cleveland*

<b>Tuesday, April 16th</b>	<b>OTTC ~ meeting to be announced</b>
Noon to 8pm	Flower Show Entries Received
1pm to 6pm	Registration
3pm to 9pm	Vendors and Raffle open
6pm to 8:30 pm	GCO Board Dinner “Jazz Greats Sing it with Flowers” Barbara Knight Trio <b>(Ballroom 3)</b>
<b>Wednesday, April 17th</b>	
7am to 8am	Flower Show Entries Received
7:45am to noon	Registration
8am to 6pm	Vendors and Raffle Sales
8am to 9:45am	Life Member Scholarship Breakfast Buffet “Lake View Cemetery-Cleveland’s Hidden Gem” Marilyn Brandt, COO, VP Ops <b>(Ballroom 3)</b>
9:30am	Flower Show Judging
10am to 11:30am	Workshop: “Tree Power & White Ribbon” 1st Energy Corporation Advanced Scientist Jessica Schaffer and the Green Team (Maple Heights Room)
10am to 11:30am	Speaker: “History is made at the Cleveland Metroparks—Comeback Stories” Cleveland Wildlife Ecologist Jonathan Cepek (Bedford Room) <b>Cost \$45</b>
Noon to 2:30pm	Awards Luncheon <b>(Ballrooms 2 &amp; 3)</b>
1pm to 6pm	Flower Show Opens
2:45pm to 4:45pm	Workshop: “Pressed Flower Luminary” Mindfully Made Arts & Peninsula Art Academy multimedia artist Mandy Spisak (Maple Heights Room) <b>Cost \$25</b>
2:45pm to 4:45pm	Speaker: “Feed People, Not Landfills” <i>Rust Belt Riders</i> Nathan Rutz, Director of Soil <b>(Bedford Room)</b>
5pm to 6pm	Cash Bar in Corridor
6pm to 9:30pm	Design Banquet and Buckingham Award “Fun and Fatastical Floral Designs” by Jeremy Rettger AIFD, CFD, Segelin’s Florist <b>(Ballrooms 3 and 4)</b>
6pm to 10pm	Flower Show Entries Removed
<b>Thursday, April 18th</b>	
8:00am to 8:30am	Registration and Raffle Final Sales
8:30am to 11am	Breakfast Buffet and Annual Meeting — What’s Her Story:” Bette Lou Higgins, Artistic Director Eden Valley Enterprises <b>(Ballroom 4)</b>

## 2024 ENGC Plant Sale Saturday May 11

Our plant sale will be held at Brecksville Methodist Church 65 Mill Street. Set up day is Friday, May 10 from 1:30 to not determined yet. The plant sale times are from 9 AM - 2 PM.

### Here's what we all need to start doing:

**Pots** - I hope you saved all your plant pots from last year from 3" to gallon size pots along with plant trays. Also consider containers such as: berry, mushroom, butter tubs, or yogurt. Please clean all pots and be ready for a shout out if pots are called for.

**Plant tags.** You will label any plants you are donating to the sale. Labels should include plant name, height, light condition (sun,shade), bloom time, color. Price list based on pot size will be provided. Plant tags will be provided at our meetings.

**Plants from your garden and house.** Primarily we have tried to keep garden plants in the deer resistant category. A list of ideal plants will be provided, but you are not limited to just these plants. Please dig your plants up a week to two weeks prior to the plant sale, so they may acclimate and grow in their pots. Your plants will need to be properly planted and labeled. If you need pots, let us know. Please bring plants to the Methodist church on May 10 (set-up day.)

Start thinking about:

**Perennials** - that need dividing or you wish to share! Also, native plants are the trend so please identify if it is a native or a good pollinator plant. Also, list if deer-resistant.

**Herbs** - All herbs are welcome.

**Cannas, Elephant Ears, Dahlias** - if you've got extras, plant them up mid-March. They need to have a warm room until they break dormancy - about 3 weeks. Then, a sunny window inside. Once temps reach 50+ degrees place outside in the daytime and bring in for the evening.

**Tomatoes** - Pat Cotzman is donating a minimum 100 plants weather-dependent. **Other Veggies** - if you grow 'em donate extras.

**Annuals** - if you started any from seed and have an exceptional germination, don't throw them out. Please donate!

**Houseplants** - Got any you're tired of or just don't have room for? Pot them up in an appropriate size container and label them properly with name, height, light conditions. March is a good time of year to re-pot your growing houseplants.

**Potting Up Day!** This is a fun afternoon at Pat Cotzman's house. We usually gather at 1 PM at her house to dig up and pot up plants from her beautiful, huge garden. A volunteer sign-up sheet will be circulated. Date TBD. But we are considering the last week of April or the first week of May. More volunteers equals more fun! Volunteers dig up plants or sit at a table and pot up and label plants. Plenty of time to socialize! You will be required to take several plant trays home to babysit them and bring to sale. Additionally, if there are members who need help in digging up plants please let Denise or Nathalie know.

*Thank you! Denise & Nathalie*

**Perennial, Groundcover and Herb List of plants**

Common Name	Latin Name	Native	Seldom Severely
Anemone	<i>Anemone</i>		x
Anise Hyssop	<i>Agastache sp</i>	x	-x
Aster	<i>Aster novae-anlliae</i>	X	
Astilbe	<i>Astilbe sp.</i>		x
Baby's Breath	<i>Gypsophila sp.</i>		x
Baptisma	<i>Baptisma Australia's</i>	X	X
Basket of Gold	<i>Aurinia saxatilis</i>		X
Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>		X
Bears Breeches	<i>Acanthus mollis</i>		x
Beebalm	<i>Monarda didyma</i>		x
Bergenia	<i>Bergenia sp.</i>		x
Black Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia</i>	X	
Bleeding Heart	<i>Dicentra eximia</i>	X	X
Boltonia	<i>Boltonia asteroides</i>		x
Boneset	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	X	
Bugloss	<i>Anchusa sp.</i>		x
Butterfly weed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	X	X
Candytuft	<i>Iberis sempervirens</i>		x
Cardinal Flower	<i>Lobelia sp.</i>	X	x
Carnation, Pinks	<i>Dianthus sp.</i>		x
Catmint	<i>Nepeta racemosa</i>		x
Columbine	<i>Aquilegia sp.</i>	X	x
Coralbells	<i>Heuchera sp.</i>		x
Coreopsis	<i>Coreopsis sp.</i>	X	x
Corydalis	<i>Corydalis sp.</i>		x
Culiver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	X	
Delphinium	<i>Delphinium sp.</i>		x
Eastern Blue Star	<i>Amsonia tabernaemoyana</i>	X	X
Ferns	<i>All types</i>		x
Feverfew	<i>Chrysanthemum parthenium</i>		x
Foam Flower	<i>Tiarella cordifolia</i>		x
Forget-Me-Not	<i>Myosotis sp.</i>		x
Garden Phlox	<i>Phlox sp.</i>	X	
Geum	<i>Avens</i>		x
Germander	<i>Teucrium Chamaedry</i>		x
Ginger	<i>Asarum canadense</i>	X	x
Grasses	<i>All types</i>		x
Great Blue Lobelia	<i>Lobelia siphilitica</i>	X	
Golden Alexander	<i>Zizia aurea</i>	X	
Goldenrod	<i>Solidago sp.</i>	X	x
Golden Ragwort	<i>Packera aurea</i>	X	X
Goatsbeard	<i>Arunus discus</i>	X	
Hardy Geranium	<i>Geranium macrorrhizum</i>		x
Helens Flower/Sneezeweed	<i>Helenium autumn ale</i>	X	
Hens and Chickens	<i>Sempervivum sp.</i>		x
Hibiscus (Rose Mallow)	<i>Hibiscus</i>		x
Hyssop	<i>Hyssopus officinalis</i>	x	
Iris Bearded only	<i>Iris sp.</i>		x
Iron weed	<i>Veronica sp</i>	X	
Jacob's Ladder	<i>Polemonium caeruleum</i>		x
Joe Pye Weed	<i>Eutrochium purpureum</i>	X	
Ladys' Mantle	<i>Alchemilla sp.</i>		x
Lavendar	<i>Lavandula sp.</i>		x
Lavender-Cotton	<i>Santolina chamaecyparissus</i>		x
Lenton or Christmas Rose	<i>Helleborus sp.</i>		x
<i>Liatis. sp.</i>	<i>Dense Blazing Star</i>	X	X
Ligularia 'The Rocket'	<i>Ligularia</i>		x
Lungwort	<i>Pulmonaria sp.</i>		x

Common Name	Latin Name	Native	Seldom Severely Damaged
Meadow Rue	<i>Thalictrum sp</i>		x
Meadow Sage	<i>Salvia nemorosa</i>		x
Milkweed	<i>Asclepius</i>	X	X
Mountain mint	<i>Pycnanthemum muticum</i>	X	X
Obedient Plant	<i>Physostegia Virginiana</i>	X	x
Oriental Poppy	<i>Papaver orientale</i>		x
Ornamental Onion	<i>Allium sp.</i>		x
Peony (may eat buds)	<i>Paeonia sp.</i>		x
Pearly Everlasting	<i>Anphalis margaritacea</i>	X	
Penstemon	<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>	X	X
Pincushin Flower	<i>Scabiosa caucasica</i>		x
Potentilla, Cinquefoil	<i>Potentilla sp.</i>		x
Purple Coneflower	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	X	x
Purple Rock-Cress	<i>Aubretia deltoidea</i>		x
Rattlesnake Master	<i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i>	X	X
Rock-Cress	<i>Arabis caucasica</i>		x
Rodgers Flower	<i>Rodgersia sp.</i>		x
Rose Campion	<i>Lychnis coronaria</i>		x
Russian Sage	<i>Perovskio atriplicifolia</i>		x
Sage	<i>Salvia officinalis</i>		x
Sea Thrift	<i>Armeria maritima</i>		x
Siberian Bugloss	<i>Bruneria macrophylla</i>		x
Silver Mound	<i>Artemisia sp</i>		x
Small Globe Thistle	<i>Echinops ritro</i>		x
Snakeroot, Bugbane	<i>Cimcifuga sp.</i>		x
Sneezeweed	<i>Helenium autumnale</i>	X	x
Snow-in-Summer	<i>Cerastium</i>		x
Soapwort	<i>Saponaria sp.</i>		x
Speedwell	<i>Veronica sp.</i>		
Stalice	<i>Limonium latifolium</i>		x
Swamp/Butterfly Milkweed	<i>Asclepias</i>	X	x
Toad Lily	<i>Tricyrtis hirta</i>		x
Turtlehead (pink)	<i>Chelone lyonii</i>	X	x
Virginia Bluebells	<i>Mertensia virginica</i>	X	x
White Snakeroot	<i>Eupatorium rugosum</i>		x
Wild Ginger	<i>Asarum</i>		x
Yarrow	<i>Achillea</i>		x
Yellow Foxglove	<i>Digitalis grandiflora</i>		x
<b>Groundcovers</b>			
Barrenwort	<i>Epimediurn sp.</i>		x
Bugleweed	<i>Ajuga reptans</i>		x
Lily of the Valley	<i>Convallaria majalis</i>		x
Lilyturf	<i>Liriope sp.</i>		
Sedom - Stonecrop	<i>Sedum -groundcover types</i>		x
Spotted Deadnettle	<i>Lamium sp.</i>		x
Sweet Woodruff	<i>Galium odoratum</i>		x
<b>Perennial Herbs</b>			
Chives	<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i>		x
Dill	<i>Anethum graveolens</i>		X
Common Tansy	<i>Tanacetum vulgare</i>		x
Fennel	<i>Foeniculum vulgare</i>		x
Lemon Balm	<i>Melissa officinalis</i>		x
Lovage	<i>Levisticum officinale</i>		x
Marjorum	<i>Origanum majorana</i>		x
Mint	<i>Mentha sp.</i>		x
Oregano	<i>Oreganum sp.</i>		x
Tarragon	<i>Artemisia dracunculus</i>		x
Thyme	<i>Thymus sp.</i>		x



*A personal note ... Shirley Grispingo*

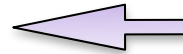
## HAM ROLL-UPS

3/4 lb. POLISH HAM or COOKED HAM  
SLICED MEDIUM

1 JAR POLISH or KOSHER DILL SPEARS

1-8oz CREAM CHEESE  
SOFTEN SLIGHTLY OR  
1 TUB SOFT CREAM CHEESE

PAT HAM AND PICKLES DRY WITH  
A PAPER TOWEL. SPREAD HAM  
WITH 1 TBLS CREAM CHEESE,  
TOP EACH WITH ONE PICKLE,  
ROLL UP. REFRIGERATE FOR AT  
LEAST 1 HOUR OR OVERNIGHT.  
CUT EACH PICKLE ROLL INTO  
4 to 6 PIECES.



Shirley Grispingo shared her recipe for "**Ham Roll-Ups**" that were served at our March General Meeting.

Thanks, Shirley



Keep ENGC sustainable!

Bring your own coffee  
cup to meetings.



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Please email articles to [ccschuh@gmail.com](mailto:ccschuh@gmail.com) or mail them to Charlene Schuh. (see Yearbook for address) **Gardening tips, websites to browse, and recipes are always welcome.**

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