

Fox Valley Garden Club

2018 Meetings/Programs

- January 8 *Micro Climates: Pushing the Zone Envelope*
Cindy Tyley, owner of Carriage House Garden Design, will discuss factors influencing micro climates in your landscape, choosing better growing sites for your plants and how to experiment with plants normally not considered hardy in Zone 5.
- February 12 *Bingo and Potluck*
Meeting begins at 6 pm
- March 12
- April 9
- May 14
- May 19 *Annual Plant Sale*
- June *Annual Member Potluck Dinner*
- July 9
- August 13
- September 10
- September *Member Plant Exchange*
- October 8
- November 12

2017 Meetings & Programs

- January Tips for the Lazy Gardener
- February Indoor Gardening
- March Field trip to Lizzie's Garden Center
- April Grow a Cook's Garden
- May Great Gardens of Chicagoland
- June Annual Member Potluck Dinner
- July Your Home Landscape: From Glum to Gorgeous with Ground Cover
- August Improving Your Soil the Natural Way
- September What now? Refreshing the Tired Garden and Gardener
- September Member Plant Exchange
- October Amazing Birds
- November Crazy for Containers – For Winter

2016 Meetings & Programs

- January Shade Gardening Beyond Hosta
- February Bingo & Potluck Dinner
- April Wildflower Gardens—Nature's Jewel Box
- May Saving Seeds
- June Members' Annual Potluck Dinner
- July Curb Appeal
- August Illinois State Insect: Monarch

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September Member Plant Exchange
October Entertaining Spaces/Garden Rooms

2015 Meetings & Programs

January Language of Flowers
February Tussy Mussy Bouquet Workshop
March What's New and Upcoming in Plants and Flowers from Ball Seed
April Monarch Magic
May Belfry Bees and Honey
June Members' Annual Potluck Dinner
July Vegetative Propagation
August Landscape Design
September Bulbs through the Seasons
September Member Plant Exchange
October Scale and Pruning: what-to-do and how-to
November Holiday table arrangement

2014 Meetings & Programs

January Mike Nowak, Master Gardener and WCPT Radio Host
February Lazy Gardeners Guide to Green Landscaping
March Fairy Gardens
April Beaded Suncatcher craft
May Incredible Bats
June Members' Annual Potluck Dinner
July To Eat or Not to Eat? Edibles in the Landscape
August Growing Vertical-Annual & Perennial Vines
September Pruning, Sizing & Timing – tools of the trade
October Rooftop Gardening
November Holiday Craft

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2013 Meetings & Programs

January	All about Orchids
February	All about Hydranges
March	Attracting Butterflies and Hummingbirds to the Garden
April	Backyard Birds & Feeders
May	Where on Earth did you Find That? Interesting Garden Elements
June	Members' Annual Potluck Dinner
July	Field Trip: Garfield Farm & Museum
August	Field Trip: Blumen Gardens
September	Mum is Not Always the Word-Creative Fall Planting Ideas Members' Annual Plant Exchange
October	All Things Native
November	Hands-On Creation of Outdoor Holiday Planter

2012 Meetings & Programs

January	What's Hot and What's Not-annuals & perennials
February	The Herb Garden
March	Doorstep Gardening-creating the entrance garden
April	What's the Buzz on Honeybees?
May	Vegetable Gardening
June	Members' Annual Potluck Dinner
July	Field Trip: Gardens of John Richter
August	Falcon Demonstration
September	Field Trip: Heritage Prairie Farm Members' Annual Plant Exchange
October	Garden Snatchers
November	Companion Plants, Prairie Style