FAIRFIELD GLADE GARDEN CLUB

August 2021

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The Fairfield Glade Garden Club was founded in August of 1989. It's our 32nd birthday! So, coincidentally (or is it?), we are excited to announce our first general meeting back at the Community Church on August 18th. Read on...

On August 18th our meeting will begin at 9:30am. Our speaker will be Linda Washburn of Wolfe River Farms to discuss succulents. We encourage you to arrive around 9:00am for our social time – catch up with all of those members you haven't seen in a while. Coffee, tea and water will be provided. As usual, please bring your own mug. Those delicious treats we love so well will NOT be available at this time.

Due to recent events, we have established the club's mask policy as follows:

If you are not fully vaccinated for whatever reason, have compromised health, or just feel more comfortable, we request that you wear a mask. We appreciate everyone's consideration and understanding as we try as an organization to keep our members safe.

We will have our Members Only Appreciation event at Jake's Barn at Oaklawn Farms on October 20th. For those of you who are new to the club, once a year we get together at Oaklawn Farms. It is a social event in a beautiful location. As with any other event, it requires planning. We need your HELP with organizing, setting up, manning sign-in tables, cleaning up, etc. Many hands make light work! The more the merrier. If you are willing to help please contact either Sue Niebuhr (uwesue1@gmail.com, 440-376-4110) or Kathy Spancake (kathy.spancake@gmail.com, 570-441-5527).

DID YOU KNOW? Something I learned from our visit/meeting at the UT Plateau Discovery Gardens... You shouldn't prune trees or shrubs after August 15th. Pruning stimulates growth. Plants shouldn't be growing at a time when the plants' natural dormancy process is beginning.

UPCOMING UT DISCOVERY GARDENS CLASSES

In-person classes start July 19th.

Sat., Aug 7 9am-11:00am

Kids Rock Painting Rhoda Hiller

Mon., Aug 9 9am-11am

Invasive Plants Bill Morgan

To register: Phone: (931) 484-3201

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Over 40 classes are typically scheduled at the UT Gardens/Crossville at the Plateau Discovery Gardens on a wide variety of horticultural, nature, landscaping, and gardening topics. Reservations required.

Cumberland Master Gardeners' Website: www.ccmga.org

