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Mark Your Calendars!

September 22th CCMGA Meeting,
Frazer UMC, 9:30 Social, 10:00

October 7th Lunch & Learn - *"Trees
Recommended for Montgomery"*

Armory Arts Learning Center, Noon to 1:00



President's Message

Greetings All!

As I sit writing this in my kitchen I am enjoying the Hummingbirds drinking voraciously and actively protecting their territory. I hope everyone has enjoyed the glorious weather we have had over the past few days. I know that we are going to see more heat but at least

I can now remember what it feels like to go outside and not be soaked with sweat in just minutes! I know that Cathy had to cancel the last workday at Oak Park, so I am hoping that October will bring weather which will be conducive to getting out a large crowd. The greenhouse has been ordered and volunteers have offered their support to help erect it, 'when the weather is cooler'. I certainly understand that!

The board has identified individuals who are willing to serve on the nominating committee and I will present those at our next meeting since we will be having an abbreviated meeting in October to accommodate our field trip to Stacy Harris' home in Pike Road. I look forward to seeing you at our meeting next Tuesday.

Warm Regards, Margaret

Fall AMGA Conference Clanton, AL





The last speaker at the conference, (shown above) had just been discharged from the hospital that morning. She had been bitten the day before by a copperhead snake. She didn't get excited but when she was driving home from work (a couple of hours later) and her foot was swelling, she decided she needed to go to the ER.

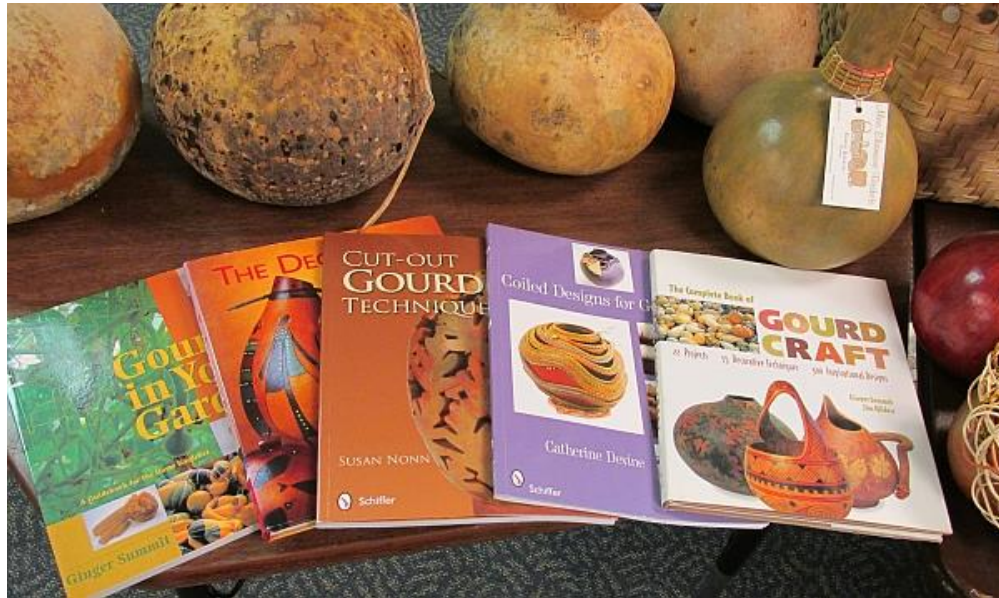
- submitted by Janice Jackson

New Additions on CCMGA Website

A new section on the home page of the CCMGA website has been added that highlights volunteer opportunities at the Montgomery Botanical Garden. Beside it is another feature containing two gardening articles. One is our monthly Prime Magazine article written by one of our members and Mallory Kelley's gardening article normally published in the newspaper.

Please share any interesting photos you have of your garden/plants that can be used in the newsletter, emails or website. If you have a little story about it, please include as well. It can be from a special trip, around town or your own backyard. Please send to Eileen Webb at capcitymga@gmail.com.

August CCMGA Meeting - Speaker - Elaine Barron Basketing Weaving/Gourds





August 2015 Treasurer's Report

Prepared by Jan Gill

August 2015 Minutes

Prepared by Brenda Deramus-Coleman

Montgomery Area Daylily Society Meeting/Sale

October 3rd, Registration 8:30 a.m.

Memorial Presbyterian Church

Bell Road, Montgomery

See the flyer below for information on the October meeting of the Montgomery Area Daylily Society which will include the sale of daylilies.

COME TO MONTGOMERY, AL



INTRODUCED BY C. DOUGLAS 2015
(h. PUT A RING ON IT)



INTRODUCED BY H. DOUGLAS 2015
(h. HOPING FOR HUGS)

MONTGOMERY AREA DAYLILY SOCIETY

**PROUDLY INVITES YOU TO THE
AHS REGION 14 FALL MEETING**

OCTOBER 3, 2015

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2130 BELL ROAD, MONGOMERY, AL 36117

INFORMATION TEL.: 334-288-6024

REGISTRAR TEL.: 334-277-1664

FEE: \$25, Youth \$15 - REGISTRATION @ 8:30 am

**DAYLILIES
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- ✓ REGISTRATION AND PLANT TABLE SALES @ 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.
- ✓ AHS REGION 14 BUSINESS MEETING @ 10:00 a.m.
- ✓ SPEAKERS at 10:30 a.m. & after lunch BY CHARLES & HEIDI DOUGLAS,
BROWN'S FERRY GARDENS, GEORGETOWN, SC
HYBRIDIZING UNIQUE DAYLILIES - INTRODUCING THE BEST NEW CULTIVARS
- ✓ PLANT AUCTION @ 2:00 p.m. (TO DONATE DAYLILY PLANTS, CALL 334-288-6024)
- ✓ DISCOUNT HOTEL RATES: HOMEWOOD SUITES BY HILTON MONTGOMERY
1800 INTERSTATE PARK DR. (I-85 EXIT 4 at PERRY HILL RD), MONTGOMERY, AL
36109; CALL 334-272-3010 - FOR RES. GROUP RATE "DLY" (DAYLILY SOCIETY)

NEARBY ATTACTIONS: MONTGOMERY ZOO, EASTCHASE FARMERS' MKT., MUSEUM OF AL,
MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS, RIVERBOAT CRUISES, CAPITOL OYSTER BAR FREE CELEBRATION



~ **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/REGISTRATION AVAILABLE ON THE AHS WEBSITE** ~

<http://www.daylilies.org> or <http://www.ahsregion14.org/>

Prime Magazine Gardening Articles

Thank you to Betsy Coley for her article on the Auburn University Medicinal Plant Garden entitled, *A Living Apothecary*, for publishing in the October Prime Magazine edition. To read her article (after October 1st) and previous gardening articles written by CCMGA members in Prime Magazine, go to: <http://primemontgomery.com/>

September Lunch & Learn Cool Weather Vegetables Mike Forster



**Auction and Plant Sale
Columbus Botanical Garden
Saturday, September 19th**

A promotional poster for a Daylily Auction & Plant Sale. The top half features a large, vibrant orange daylily flower. A green banner across the middle contains the text "CHATTAHOOCHEE VALLEY DAYLILY SOCIETY PRESENTS Daylily Auction & Plant Sale". Below this, a green banner specifies the date and time: "Saturday, Sept. 19 9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m." and the location: "Columbus Botanical Garden in the Adams House". A row of four smaller daylily images follows: purple, yellow, red, and pink. The bottom section is a light grey box with a green border, containing a schedule of events and additional information. At the very bottom, there are two small green boxes with contact information: "For more information contact loclmiller@att.net" and "Like us on FACEBOOK".

CHATTAHOOCHEE VALLEY
DAYLILY SOCIETY PRESENTS
Daylily Auction & Plant Sale

Saturday, Sept. 19
9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Columbus Botanical Garden
in the Adams House

9:30 a.m.: Daylily Auction Registration begins

10:00 -10:45 a.m.: Presentation of Daylily hybridizer Winfred Huff of Hawkinsville, GA.

10:45 a.m.: Daylily Auction and Bargain Tables (Daylilies and Perennial plants) begin

Cash and Checks only. **No credit cards.**

All plants are locally grown and will transplant well.

Coffee and refreshments will be available

Family and friends are all welcome!

For more information contact loclmiller@att.net

Like us on FACEBOOK

Don't Forget to Record Your Hours!

This link will be in all future newsletters as a reminder for us all to record hours. Here is the link:

<https://ssl.acesag.auburn.edu/mgmanager/login/>

Member Information Updates:

New Update

Gene Payne has a new email address and phone number:

f_payne43@yahoo.com

(334) 549-3080

YTD Corrections are below:

Elaine Barron - phone number [334-294-9797](tel:334-294-9797)
Anne Hamner's Correct Birthdate is September 8th



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