

# Mount Washington Valley New Hampshire



**GEOGRAPHIC AREA** – The Mt. Washington Valley area includes the New Hampshire towns of: Jackson, Glen, Bartlett, Intervale, Kearsarge, Hales Location, North Conway, Center Conway, Conway, Madison, Tamworth, Ossipee, Eaton, Freedom as well as the towns of Fryeburg, Lovell & Brownfield Maine.

**JOIN US FOR OUR NEXT MEETING** – Scan the QR code below with your Smartphone to take you to our website and see what is happening next!

From there, you can surf our website to see what we have been up to in the past, what new projects we have in store, helpful links and other information.



Visit our website for  
the latest information, news and events at:  
[www. mountaingardenclub.org](http://www.mountaingardenclub.org)

## 2015 - 2016 Meeting & Event Schedule

**September 21, 2015**

*"Natural Communities of New Hampshire"*

Ralph Lutjen - Master Gardener & MGC Member

Tin Mountain Conservation Ctr - Albany, NH

**October 19, 2015**

*Lunch & Learn: "Holistic Paradigm - Growing Healthy Fruit"*

Michael Phillips – Lost Nation Orchard, Heartsong Farm

Red Fox Bar & Grille Restaurant - Jackson, NH

**November 16, 2015**

*"Making & Decorating Holiday Swags Demonstration"*

Paige Fox - McSherry's Nursery & Garden Center

North Conway Community Center - North Conway, NH

**December 12, 2015**

*Annual Holiday Boutique "All Things Merry & Bright"*

North Conway Community Center - North Conway, NH

**January 11, 2016**

*"The Art of Maple Sugaring"*

Andy Grigel / Ken Crowther - Black Mountain Sugar House

Salyards Center For The Arts - Conway, NH

**February 8, 2016**

*"The Care and Maintenance of Trees"*

Russell Warnock - Bartlett Tree Experts

Salyards Center For The Arts - Conway, NH

**March 21, 2016**

*"Land Design with Nature in Mind"*

Carol Jowdry - Owner - Carol Jowdry Landscape Design

Salyards Center For The Arts - Conway, NH

**April 18, 2016**

*Lunch & Learn: "Gardening is Murder"*

Neal Sanders - noted Mystery Author

Red Fox Bar & Grille Restaurant - Jackson, NH

**May 16, 2016**

*"Beautiful Container Gardens"*

Ginny Kanzler - Master Gardener, MGC member

Salyards Center For The Arts - Conway, NH

**June 4, 2016**

*Annual Spring Plant Sale*

North Conway Community Center - North Conway, NH

**June 18, 2016**

*"Art In Bloom" - MGC's Annual Gift to the Valley*

Walking Tour of Jackson for Floral Interpretations of Art



## Mountain Garden Club

Mount Washington Valley, NH

*"Our Roots are in the Valley"*

Mountain Garden Club

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## Membership Information



# Why join a Garden Club...

**BECAUSE...** it is a *great* place to get to meet and get to know others within the area who share your love of gardening and the environment.



*Join to learn something new!*

*Join for the chance to get out and do something for: yourself, your friends & the community!*

*Join for the fun of it!*

We welcome members at every level of skill and knowledge and provide great opportunities to gain new information. What you learn can benefit your home, community and your future.

**MISSION** - The Mountain Garden Club is dedicated to promoting horticultural education, civic beautification, and conservation through volunteerism and friendship in the Mount Washington Valley.

**VISION** - Our vision is a community where the Mountain Garden Club is recognized as the organization in the Mount Washington Valley for "all things green":

- Horticultural Education*
- Civic Beautification*
- Environmental Stewardship*

**HISTORY** - The Mountain Garden Club was founded in 1973. In 1976 we became a Federated member of the NH Federation of Garden Clubs – District 1, and of the National Garden Clubs, Inc. – New England Region.

The Mountain Garden Club (MGC) is a registered Non-Profit 501(c)(3) organization.

**MEETING SCHEDULE** - we meet on Mondays, once a month, September to June (see back for schedule). There are no business meetings in the summer months to allow members to devote time to other projects, Civic Improvement Programs, and their own gardens.

## PROGRAMS -

presented at the monthly meeting, they provide educational opportunities for members on a varying number of subjects from a wide variety of experts in their respective fields.



**ACTIVITIES** - The Mountain Garden Club sponsors: Scholarships for students interested in any form of Environmental or Horticulture related study, Flower Sales for Cancer awareness, Winter Boutique, Spring Plant Sale, and "Art In Bloom" floral design exhibits. Our participation in the Home, Garden, Flower Show at the Fryeburg, ME Fairgrounds event helps support scholarship and community projects.

The Mountain Garden Club members organize special trips to public and private gardens, museums and plant shows (as a member social activity).

Members actively participate in Civic Improvement Programs which include: roadside beautification, planting and maintaining public properties in summer, holiday decorating in winter.

Among our community projects are: working with Habitat for Humanity®, creating a rain garden at Children Unlimited, maintaining the gardens at Merriman House and working with local school children on conservation education through the Smokey Bear / Woodsy Owl poster program. Our new projects include the Saco Ranger Station and the gardens at Story Land.

Summer months include some "Special Event" activities which are publicized: in the paper, by email and on our website.



## Membership Application Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address1 \_\_\_\_\_

Address2 \_\_\_\_\_

City / State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Spouse / Significant Other \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Please rank your interest / skills with a rating of 1 to 6 - with 1 = MOST interest & 6 = LEAST interest**

| <u>Would help with:</u> | <u>Have an interest in:</u> |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| _____ Committees        | _____ Floral Design         |
| _____ Fund Raising      | _____ Writing               |
| _____ Publicity         | _____ Computer Skills       |
| _____ Public Gardens    | _____ Workshops             |

**MEMBERSHIP** - is open to both men and women in the area who are in sympathy with the mission and goals of the club. New members will have a photo taken for yearbook and member ID card .

Dues are \$20 per year (July-June). Family membership is first member pays full amount; each additional member pays half. Those joining after January 31st will pay half the yearly rate (\$10). Memberships are renewed in April.

**Make Check Payable to:  
MOUNTAIN GARDEN CLUB**

**Send to: Mountain Garden Club  
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P.O. Box 913  
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