# The March 2019 Newsletter Gardens Gate



Port St. Lucie **Botanical Gardens** 



### ON OUR WAY TO 10 YEARS

On March 4, 2009, under mostly sunny skies, some 100 plus people gathered at the former Moonraker Bay property on Westmoreland Blvd. for the groundbreaking ceremony of the future Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens. The event was marked with opening remarks from Parks and Recreation Department's Brad Keen, former Mayor Christensen and former City Councilman and then President of the Friends of the Port St Lucie Botanical Gardens, Christopher Cooper. The Parks staff and Friends staff, hosted the one hour event with questions and answers, music, drinks and snacks, including a walk of the property.

One year later on Saturday, March 6, 2010, the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens officially opened with a splash hosting over 800 attendees. The festivities began at11:00am with a ceremony at the front entrance to the Promenade Nature Center. Including a presentation of the colors by the Treasure Coast High Schools US Air Force ROTC which ran the National and State flags up the pole for the very first time, the ceremony included guest speakers which gave a background on the project, acknowledgement of the Friends, contractors and finishing with Mayor Christensen presenting the keys to Christopher Cooper.

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IN THE TRUNK COMMUNITY TRUNK SALE SATURDAY • MARCH 23RD



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#### Mission Statement . . .

Friends' mission is to create and maintain a beautiful, serene sanctuary in the center of Port St. Lucie that is environmentally sound and naturally diverse and to provide educational, cultural and recreational opportunities for all who visit.

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The Gardens is managed and operated by Friends of the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens, Inc., a non-profit 501(c)(3) public charity organization, that was founded to help support the daily operations of The Gardens. Friends volunteers provide hands-on daily oversight of the facility, including staffing to handle the many visitors year round. Please consider becoming a member of Friends. Friends' is a 100% volunteer organization. In all cases, donations are deductible to the extent allowed by law.



# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE...

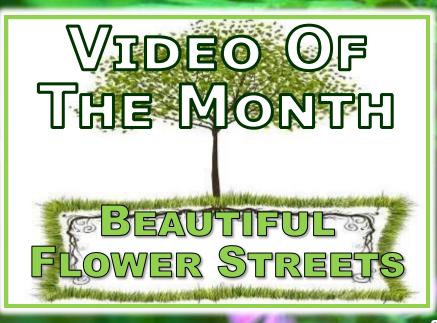
March 6, 2010 was the ribbon cutting and Grand Opening of our Port St Lucie Botanical Gardens. Rather than a traditional ribbon, the "cutting" was of a grapevine garland, created by members of the Parks & Recreation staff from

Muscadine grape vines culled from the Gardens property. How simple a change, but how appropriate. As we mark our ninth year in existence, it's fun to look back on the progress made; the growth the Gardens experienced. But we are also looking forward. During March, we're focusing on membership. Currently, we are 430 members strong – some are founding members who participated monetarily back when the Gardens was a dream and an idea, and our thanks always to our Founding members. But the bulk of our membership are annual members, individuals and families who, through their continued support, confirm that the Gardens represent something wonderful in Port St Lucie.

Are you a member? Could we ask you to become a member? Information on membership is contained in this newsletter. Let me add my sincere invitation: please consider becoming a member of our Friends of the PSL Botanical Gardens during March.

Thank you.

Joleen King President





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#### FRIENDS OF THE PORT ST LUCIE BOTANICAL GARDENS

#### SECOND ANNUAL - MEMBERS ONLY PLANT SALE

# Saturday, March 9, 2019 - 10:00AM - 2:00PM 20% OFF TO MEMBERS ONLY

#### **Enjoy this Membership Bonus!**

In conjunction with our March Membership Madness Campaign Members will receive a 20% Discount on a large selection of Plants. Stop on by, relax, enjoy the Gardens, have some refreshments, purchase a plant or two and enjoy the company of your fellow members.

If you are a non-member and want to enjoy the benefits of this sale, join or renew your membership in advance of the plant sale: All new members who take advantage of the March Membership Madness Campaign will receive a 15 month membership.



All proceeds help support the Garden. Memberships Available: Individual, Friends & Family, Business/Corporate and Benefactor. Your support through membership and tax-deductible donations allows the Gardens to create new landscapes, features and enhance existing gardens and grounds, support special projects and grow our educational programs. See more by pushing the Membership Madness Button to the left.

Visitors were presented with the opportunity to walk and observe the property for the very first time and see the potential for weddings, private party's and special events. Food and entertainment, along with a plant sale, were provided by the Friends and several sponsors. The new Promenade Gift Shop was open and stocked for visitors to make purchases. Visitors also had an opportunity to stroll the gardens and sit and listen to a live country band, Thunder Road, that played on the Marsh Amphitheater.

This March, The Gardens celebrates our 9th Anniversary, and we enthusiastically start to prepare for our special 10th Anniversary, which will feature a public celebration on Saturday, March 7th and a very special private ticketed celebration on Saturday, March 28th entitled Moonraker at The Gardens. Moonraker will feature music and dancing, a casino, cigar bar, numerous food stations, adult beverages and a special evening under the stars for an adults only event. We are current starting to look for Volunteers and sponsors to make this event and special event for all of our members and guests. Our success is especially due to our wonderful core of Volunteers, Friends and Supporters. It is through this relationship that we have grown and thrived and continue to do so.

With no paid staff, we rely entirely on volunteers to give tours, run the Gift Shop, pull weeds, propagate plants and do a myriad of other things. So, if you enjoy digging in the dirt, greeting folks with a friendly smile or putting your talents to work...We Need You! The Gardens is always in need of volunteers to assist throughout The Gardens and we make the call to you, to consider becoming a volunteer today and help our Gardens to grow.

March is our Membership Month and as such, we are offering a special 15 Month Membership for all those who sign up during the month of March. Membership to The Gardens includes the special members only benefits:

- Free admission to the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens
- 10% off most Gift Shop purchases
- Reciprocal Admission and/or Discounts to over 270 American Horticultural Society Member Gardens
- Members Only Events & Socials
- Members Access or Discounts on Selected Promotions
- Members Only Classes, Seminars & Events
- One vote in elections and matters requiring passage by the membership

There are several levels of membership to the Friends of the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens which include: Individual, Family & Friends, Student or Business & Corporate. Gardens' membership also makes the perfect gift!

Help us celebrate our 9th Anniversary by becoming a member or volunteer today. Investing in our community is what we do and every little bit will help your Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens to grow.



## The Historic Peacock Houses

You may have wondered what the buildings sitting at the entrance to the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens are? These historic homes are part of a historical renovation project being done by the city of Port St. Lucie and part of a future Port St. Lucie Historical Society Museum, gift shop and education center.



The "Peacock House" was built in 1917 on Okeechobee Road, Fort Pierce, by ancestors of St. Lucie historian Ada Coates Williams. It was given to rancher O.L. Peacock Jr., who moved it to his property in 1968.



The Peacocks were county pioneers who owned much of what is Port St. Lucie today. It was a residence until 2006, when it was abandoned.

Sonny Peacock built the "hunting lodge" in 1952. It was used until 2006, when it was converted into storage until 2015, when it also was abandoned.

Developers moved the buildings to a location near the city's recently acquired McCarty Ranch Preserve, which is now a recreational camping area.

The buildings were moved by road from the McCarty Ranch location in western St. Lucie County to the current site next to the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens. The plan is for the lodge to become a Port St. Lucie museum and the house to be partially restored to reflect its history.

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#### \$100 - Faerie Friend

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Artist Information: Greg Holt, a Port St Lucie resident, retired. Faeries are constructed of 308 S/S armature wire, 40/43 MIG wire, and stainless steel castings. Faeries will be constructed locally in Mr. Holt's workshop.

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3 <sup>rd</sup>	Crosstown Chapel Sunday Service	9:30 - 11:00 am	All Welcome
4 <sup>th</sup>	Newsletter Committee Meeting	3:00 - 4:00 pm	All Welcome
4 <sup>th</sup>	Website Design Committee	4:00 - 5:00 pm	All Welcome
5 <sup>th</sup>	River Vista HOA Annual Meeting Dinner	3:00 - 9:00 pm	HOA Members Only
6 <sup>th</sup>	Intermediate Spanish Class	10:00 - 11:30 am	All Welcome
6 <sup>th</sup>	Ft. Pierce Jazz & Blues Jazz Jams	6:30 - 9:30 pm	\$7 Donation, \$6 Members
9 <sup>th</sup>	Membership Madness Garden Center Sale	10:00 am - 3:00 pm	FPSLBG Members Only
10 <sup>th</sup>	Crosstown Chapel Sunday Service	9:30 - 11:00 am	All Welcome
11 <sup>th</sup>	Rio Lindo Board Meeting	10:00 - 11:00 am	Members Welcome
11 <sup>th</sup>	2020 Planning Committee	3:00 - 4:15 pm	All Welcome
11 <sup>th</sup>	FPSLBG Board of Directors Meeting	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Members Welcome
12 <sup>th</sup>	PSL Orchid Society	12:00 - 3:00 pm	All Welcome
12 <sup>th</sup>	Master Naturalists Meeting	7:00 - 9:00 pm	Members Welcome
13 <sup>th</sup>	Intermediate Spanish Class	10:00 - 11:30 am	All Welcome
14 <sup>th</sup>	PSL Angler's Meeting	5:30 - 9:30 pm	All Welcome
17 <sup>th</sup>	Crosstown Chapel Sunday Service	9:30 - 11:00 am	All Welcome
17 <sup>th</sup>	South Florida Daylily Society	2:00 - 4:00 pm	All Welcome
20 <sup>th</sup>	Intermediate Spanish Class	10:00 - 11:30 am	All Welcome
20 <sup>th</sup>	Ft. Pierce Jazz & Blues Jazz Jams	6:30 - 9:30 pm	\$7 Donation, \$6 Members
21 <sup>st</sup>	Treasure Coast Rare Fruit Club Meeting	7:00 - 9:00 pm	All Welcome
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Veterans Victory Corps.	9:00 - 10:00 am	Veterans Welcome
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Junk in the Trunk Community Trunk Sale	8:00 am - 1:00 pm	All Welcome
23 <sup>rd</sup>	Ask The Experts Workshop: Propagation	10:00 - 11:30 am	Registration Required Members Free Non-Members \$25
24 <sup>th</sup>	Crosstown Chapel Sunday Service	9:30 - 11:00 am	All Welcome
25 <sup>th</sup>	Rio Lindo Garden Club Meeting	Bus Trip	
25 <sup>th</sup>	TC Bromeliad Society Meeting	5:30 - 9:00 pm	All Welcome
27 <sup>th</sup>	Intermediate Spanish Class	10:00 - 11:30 am	All Welcome
27 <sup>th</sup>	German American Board Meeting	2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Members Welcome
28 <sup>th</sup>	Alamanda Circle of Stuart Garden Club	10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Members Welcome
28 <sup>th</sup>	TC Professional Photographers Assoc.	6:00 - 8:30 pm	All Welcome
31 <sup>st</sup>	Crosstown Chapel Sunday Service	9:30 - 11:00 am	All Welcome



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University of Florida IFAS Extension Central Florida Gardening Calendar - March

#### What to Plant

**Annuals/Bedding Plants**: Plant heat-tolerant annuals, such as crossandra, gazania, melampodium, and zinnia that will last into fall. **See***Annuals*: http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic annual landscape plants

**Bulbs**: Plant gladiola corms 6 inches apart and 4 inches deep; stake as they grow. Plant caladium for a showy tropical display all summer. **See** *Bulbs for Florida*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic bulbous flowers">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic bulbous flowers</a>

**Herbs**: In addition to their culinary value, many herbs are ornamental and attract butterflies to the garden. **See** *Herbs*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic</a> herbs

**Vegetables**: This is the last month to plant arugula, beans, cantaloupe, carrots, celery sweet corn, endive, okra, radish, squashes, Swiss chard, and watermelon. **See** *Vegetable Gardening in Florida*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic vegetable gardening">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic vegetable gardening</a>

#### What to Do

**Shrubs and trees**: Prune when new growth begins after the end of the dormant season. To guard next season's blooms, begin pruning after the last flowers fade but before the new buds set. **See** *Pruning Landscape Trees and Shrubs*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic tree">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic tree</a> pruning

**Mulch**: Add mulch to minimize weeds and conserve moisture during dry weather. **See** *Landscape Mulches*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic mulch">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic mulch</a>

**Lawns**: Fertilize lawns this month if not done in February. **See** *Lawn Fertilizer*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic lawn fertilization">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic lawn fertilization</a>

**Pests**: Monitor landscape plants for insects, especially for the presence of aphids on tender new growth. Insects become more active during warm weather. **See** *Landscape Pest Management*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic\_landscape\_pests">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic\_landscape\_pests</a>

**Fertilize**: Fertilize palms and ornamental shrubs if not done last month. **See** *Palm Nutrition and Fertilization*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic\_palm\_nutrition">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic\_palm\_nutrition</a> and *Landscape Fertilization*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic\_landscape">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic\_landscape</a> fertilization

**Lawns**: Identify damaging insects and spot treat early to prevent widespread damage. **See** *Turfgrass Pest Insects*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic turf-pest insects">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic turf-pest insects</a>

**Tropical and subtropical fruits**: Add variety and interest to the landscape and table with exotic fruits. **See** *Tropical Fruit for the Home Landscape*: <a href="http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic home tropical fruit">http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/topic home tropical fruit</a>





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#### **HORTICULTURE HAPPENINGS**





**Thank you** to everyone who supported the Port St Lucie Botanical Garden Center— during the 2019 Botanica Sale. We were very successful with our sales. We thank our volunteers and customers who helped make this happen. All proceeds benefit the Friends of the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens 501(c)(3).

**Thank you** for the continued donations of plants from the community. Your donations have helped our plant sales tremendously. We are always pleased and surprised to find plants waiting for us in the propagation area. Please help us by leaving a note of what the name of the plant is.

Be sure to attend our March 9th—Second Annual Members Only Sale from 10AM-2PM. 20% discount to members only.



**Needs** - Your Cuttings and Plants. Ceramic or clay pots. Garden Tools. Garden Art. Bring them on in. This helps to defray our propagation expenses and provide you with lots of plants to take home.

**Join the Garden Team** - Come on back in the propagation area and see what we're up to. Bring gloves and clippers. Wear sturdy shoes. You will find us in the Garden area - Thursday – Saturday – 9:30AM – 1:30PM.

Thanks, Brenda Gustafson



# Art in the Garden by Laura Mehr

In keeping with our mission to provide Art in the Garden at the Port St Lucie Botanical Gardens we are happy to include this latest addition generously donated by artist, volunteer and member Laura Mehr. Laura designed and painted this one of a kind tropical theme so familiar throughout our gardens and Central Florida. Thank you so much Laura.

Laura received her BA in art in 1974 from Cal State, LA and in 1988 began selling her creations at art shows throughout the country. She retired from the art show circuit in 2007, but continues to sell to fine craft galleries around the country. 'Designs by Laura' jewelry is available in our gift shop.

Be sure to stop by the Port St Botanical Gardens Pavilion to see this exceptional piece of art.

Volunteers Gene & Curtis Making it Happen!









#### **ARE YOU SERVING ON A COMMITTEE?**

Have you thought about serving on a Gardens Committee? Do you have hidden talents that would help our Gardens to grow. We have openings on the following committees and can use you assistance and talents:

- Event Planning Committee Social Assistants
- Propagation Committee Dig in the Dirt
- Newsletter / Website Design Committee
- Hospitality Committee
- 2020 Planning Committee
- Gift Shop Committee
- Landscape Design Committee
- Art in the Gardens Committee
- Bylaw Committee

Give us a call at 772-337-1959 or email info@pslbg.org to find out more or to volunteer for a specific committee.



#### **VOLUNTEER HELP NEEDED**

TEAM LEADERS TO ASSIST WITH LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE

Wednesday-Saturday • 10AM - 1PM OR 1PM - 4PM Sunday • 12PM - 4PM

#### THIS IS A 4 HOUR, ONE DAY A WEEK COMMITMENT!

Team Leaders will supervise and oversee volunteers in the completion of gardening tasks throughout the Gardens.

The position requires a team player attitude, interpersonal and communication skills, attention to details and project coordination. The Landscape Maintenance Coordinator should have the ability to collaborate with and support the Horticulture Committee. *Training will be provided in all aspects of the maintenance*. **Master Gardeners Welcome!** 

What better way to support your Port St. Lucie Botanical Garden and spend time outside in this lovely growing garden. Call Mary Thomas or Brenda Gustafson at 772-337-1959



#### **VETERANS VICTORY CORPS**

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Contact Judy, American Red Cross – Service to the Armed Forces at judy.nash-wade@redcross.org or Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens 772.337.1959.

# MARCH IS Membership Madness at the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens

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Purchase an Individual, Family or Corporate Membership in the month of March & receive an extra **3 months Membership Free**. Membership includes Members Only Events, Free Admittance to Seminars & How-To's, 10% off Gift Shop & Garden Center Purchases, Gardens Gate Monthly Newsletter, Reciprocal Admission to 270+ Gardens across America and **Much More...** 



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#### **Annual Meeting and Elections**











#### **Faeries on Display at the Annual Meeting**

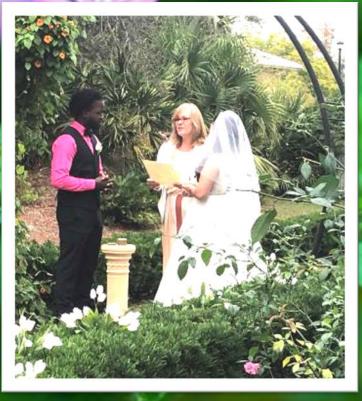






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#### **New Entrance Planters - Thank You Joleen & Paul**





#### **BOTANICA 2019**















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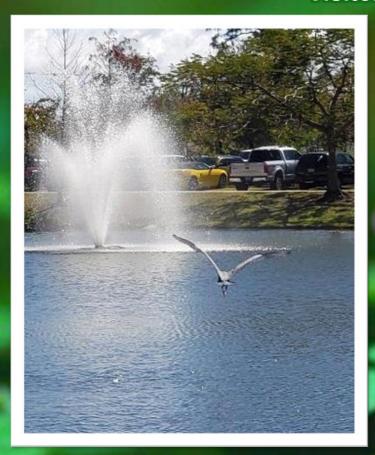


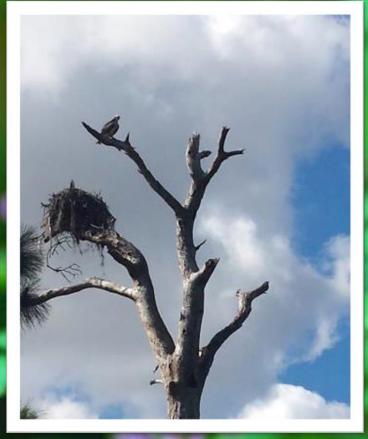






#### **Visitor Pics**





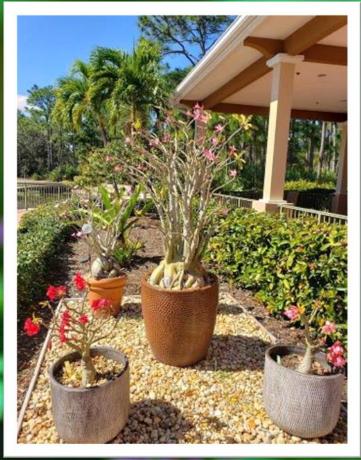




























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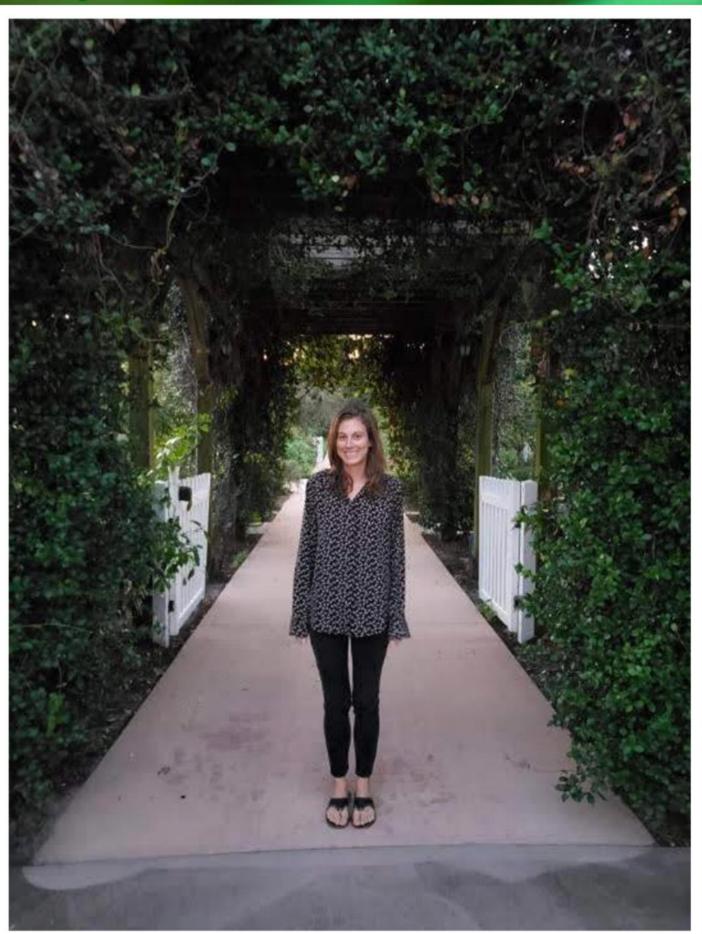


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## Saturday March 23<sup>rd</sup>

10:00am - 11:30am

## in the Garden Center



### WORKSHOP IN THE GARDENS

PROPAGATION: Learn the proven techniques of propagating for the best results from our own Propagation Lead, Ben Woodruff. Multiply your favorite plants for gifts and garden expansion!

Please join us for this informative FREE workshop for horticulture students, veterans and members. Non-members - \$25.00. Free if you become a member.

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# Got Junk In Your Trunk?

# sell it at the

## GARDENS COMMUNITY TRUNK SALE

Saturday • March 23, 2019 • 8am - 1pm

Looking to get rid of that extra stuff cluttering your home, garage, or storage area? Then join us at the Gardens Community Trunk Sale. Your accepted contract entitles you to 2 parking spaces in the sales area totaling 18x18 feet. One space is for your vehicle (load it up - trailers welcome) and the 2nd for your sales area (tent, tables, whatever).

#### ONLY 1 VEHICLE ALLOWED PER CONTRACT - NO EXCEPTIONS.

Cost for Gardens members is \$20 per space. Cost to non-members is \$45, which includes an individual membership to The Gardens. Additional spaces are available at \$20 each.

- Space is limited Contracted Vendors, accepted by the committee, only.
- No Day-of, walk up vendors will be allowed.
- · Arrive late, you'll be sent home. All vehicles must be in place before sales open at 8am.





KEEP PORT ST. LUCIE BEAUTIFUL

# HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

Saturday, March 23rd • 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. Public Works Complex, 450 SW Thornhill Dr.

#### ACCEPTED

- · Ammunition
- · Automotive Fluids
- · Batteries (rechargeable & vehicle\*)
- Bug Sprays
- · Computers/Electronics
- · Drain Cleaners
- Fire Extinguishers
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs/Tubes
- Fuels

- Herbicides
- Insecticides
- · Lighter Fluid
- Mercury Thermometers
- · Oil-based Paint
- Propane Tanks (20lbs or less)
- RX Drugs
- Solvents/Thinners
- Thermostats

\*Vehicle Batteries: Includes car, truck, boat, lawn, mower, etc.

## NOT ACCEPTED

- Bio-hazard/Medical Waste
- Containers larger than Five Gallons
- Explosives
- · Flares

- · Paint (Water-based or Latex)
- Sharps
- Tires

















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# March is Membership Madness Month



Friends of the Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens, Inc.
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Become a new member or renew your membership in March and receive an extra 3 months Membership FREE.

Membership has exclusive benefits for classes & seminars, Gift Shop discounts, Members-only events and much more... JOIN OR RENEW TODAY!



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