

Sutton Garden Club 2009-2010 Programs

Guests and new members always welcome. You don't need to be a resident of Sutton to join, just an interest in horticulture, fellowship, and community spirit. Unless noted otherwise, programs at no cost to members and first time guest.

Directions to First Congregational Church:

From Rt. 146, turn west onto Boston Road heading towards Sutton Center (the Common). Congregational Church is the big white church on the left just before the Common.

<p><u>Sept. 15, 2009</u> <u>Tue 7:00pm</u></p> <p>Pressed Flowers</p>	<p>Location: First Congregational Church, 307 Boston Road, Sutton</p> <p>Ann McDevitt, accredited International Flower Designer and Teacher (www.flowersfromtheheart-sutton.com), will be leading the pressed flowers program.</p>
<p><u>Oct. 20, 2009</u> <u>Tue 6:30pm</u></p> <p>An Apple a Day</p>	<p>Location : Keown Orchard, 9 McClellan Road, Sutton, MA</p> <p>It's apple time and what better way to learn about the many varieties, uses and characteristics of this wonderful fruit than from the master Jane Keown Oliver. For over 50 years the Keown Family has owned and operated their fruit orchards having over 50 varieties of apples both current and heirloom.</p>
<p><u>Nov. 12, 2009</u> <u>THURSDAY, 6:30pm</u></p> <p>Annual Holiday Workshop</p>	<p>Location: First Congregational Church, 307 Boston Road, Sutton</p> <p>Create a striking swag for the fall/winter season. It is full of fresh fruit, moss, cones and berries. Hints on how to refresh it for December will be given by program leader Tina Bemis. The 3 foot S-Shaped size is adaptable and can also be used for a window, mantel or buffet table display. See October newsletter on website for details and registration form.</p> <p>Registration by Nov. 7 is required to ensure adequate materials. SGC Members \$12 Non-Members \$20 (reduced to \$12 if you join the evening of workshop)</p>
<p><u>Dec. 8, 2009</u> <u>Tue 6:30 pm</u></p> <p>Holiday Party</p>	<p>Location : Asa Waters Mansion – 123 Elm Street, Millbury</p> <p>Celebrate the season with your gardening friends at our annual holiday dinner and optional \$15-\$20 lively Yankee swap. The Mansion will be fully decorated for the Christmas season. See November/December newsletter for details and registration form.</p> <p>Tickets are sold in advance and registration form is due by Nov. 28. \$25 per person for member; \$35 per person for nonmember.</p>
<p><u>Feb. 2, 2010</u> <u>Tues 6:45 pm</u></p> <p>Plant Sale Committee</p>	<p>Location: contact mrannikko@yahoo.com</p> <p>Break up the boring winter days and start planning for our major fundraiser event. Volunteers are needed to join the committee to coordinate auction donations and encourage people to divide and donate plants. We need more plants than we had this past year. If you can't make this meeting and want to join the next meeting, just send an email. Please contact mrannikko@yahoo.com for information and to help out.</p>
<p><u>Feb. 22, 2010</u> <u>Mon 6:45 pm</u></p> <p>Garden Tour Committee</p>	<p>Location: TBD</p> <p>Our 2008 Garden Tour was a great success. There was a multipage, colored feature in Worcester Living Magazine that featured our members' gardens. People were disappointed that we did not have one in 2009. The SGC takes</p>

	<p>great pride in hosting quality events, which means planning and participation from members. If you would like to be a part of this committee, then please contact Dale: dale1110@hotmail.com 508 865 9854. We have many of the same people participating in large Spring events and we would like to have new faces and fresh ideas.</p>
<p><u>March 2010</u> Victorian Tea Committee</p>	<p>Last year's Victorian Tea and Hat contest was a tremendous success. We are looking for people to help with the tea event. Stay tuned for upcoming planning meetings. Please contact Dale: dale1110@hotmail.com 508 865 9854 or Bette: pentimento1@verizon.net 508 865 2417</p>
<p><u>April 20, 2010</u> <u>Tue 7:00pm</u> Victorian Tea</p>	<p>Location : Dudley -Gendron American Legion Post Boston Road, Sutton</p> <p>Members, Family, Friends and New Guests...all are welcome to our 2nd Annual Victorian Tea. Come and enjoy a wonderful evening of entertainment, friendship and a cup or two of your favorite tea. (Victorian goodies included.) Don't forget to wear your most interesting, crazy or favorite hat and Victorian outfit! Seating is limited so tickets must be purchased by April 12. \$10 member; \$12 nonmember</p>
<p><u>May15, 2010</u> <u>Sat. 9am - 12pm</u> Annual Plant Sale (rain or shine)</p>	<p>Location: Sutton Center, Corner of Boston Road and Uxbridge Road</p> <p>Come join the fun at this annual gathering of gardeners. We need your help for our greatest fundraiser. Be a part of this great day when we raise money for local high school scholarships, town beautification, and programs for your club. Crafters, silent auction, bake sale, and more.</p>
<p><u>May 18, 2010</u> <u>Tue 7:00pm</u> Calling all Birds</p>	<p>Location: First Congregational Church, 307 Boston Road, Sutton</p> <p>Carolyn McCubrey's interest in art began as a teenager. She always loved art! When she was about 30 years old, her interest was re-kindled, and she took lessons for about 8 years. She painted in oils until her interest changed to include decorative painting as well. Birds became one of her favorite subjects. Because of her love for the garden, painting birds just came naturally.</p>
<p><u>June 15, 2010</u> <u>Tue 7:00pm</u> Photography</p>	<p>Location: First Congregational Church, 307 Boston Road, Sutton</p> <p>Uxbridge-based portrait and fine-art photographer Mike Zeis will demonstrate two "home-craft" techniques he uses to print photographs of flowers on watercolor and rice paper. Zeis's greeting card line can be seen at www.MikeZPhotos.etsy.com.</p>
<p><u>June 19, 2010</u> <u>Sat</u> Garden Tour</p>	<p>Location: Sutton and Surrounding Towns</p> <p>Save the date. Join the committee and be a part of making this a spectacular event. If you know someone with a great garden or if you want to show your garden, contact Dale: dale1110@hotmail.com 508 865 9854.</p>
<p><u>August 2010</u> Annual Picnic and Auction</p>	<p>Location and Date: TBD Watch for further details.</p> <p>Attendees are asked to contribute a food item to the picnic and bring a plant or garden item. Enjoy the fun as we auction them off to the highest bidder!!</p>