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AND MORE!
As we watch summer ‘fall’ into autumn, Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens is happy to share some of our accomplishments of the season. Our Spring Plant Sale in May was a great success, raising over $7,500. June brought the return of a very popular event, ‘On the Terrace at 5!’ Over 100 people joined us on the Cafe Terrace to enjoy wine and refreshments while listening to music by the band Larry Elefante. Due to the overwhelming success of this event, we hope to schedule another next year. Notably, our annual garden party in July was the highlight of our summer season. With the theme ‘Evening in an English Garden,’ guests were greeted with a welcome Pimms cocktail in the Kidston Pavilion while listening to cello player, Ed Madej. Following a cocktail hour and hors d’oeuvres, a buffet dinner was served. This beautiful summer evening was topped off with dancing under the stars to the music of Howard and the Point 5 Band. We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of our sponsors, guests, and volunteers for helping to make this such memorable and successful event. Our outdoor events brought hundreds of members and guests to share the beautiful botanical gardens at Fellows, as well as some of the best views of the city. We are sure you will want to join us for next year’s Summer Garden Party!

A visit to the Shop in the Gardens will also help to usher you gently into the fall season. Stop by to see the beautiful fall displays and exciting new fall merchandise. With the holidays approaching, it is the perfect time to purchase a Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens membership for that special person who seems to have everything! Membership includes perks such as your membership’s only ‘Fall Open House in the Shop in the Gardens’. In addition, members will receive a 20% discount during seasonal events. Plans are also underway for the Holiday Open House on November 7, 2019 from 6:30 to 7:30 PM. Registration is requested, but not required.

And finally, Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens would like to extend a welcome to the Cleveland Hiking Club who will be hiking in Mill Creek Park on Sunday, Oct. 6. I’ve recently learned they have hiked in Mill Creek Park since the 1930’s when they were transported by train to our area. FFRG is extending a special invitation to CHC to include a visit the ‘crown jewel of Mill Creek MetroParks’ – Fellows Riverside Gardens.

Fall is the favorite season of many with beautiful foliage, flowers, and fun. Join us at Fellows Riverside Gardens and experience all this season has to offer.

The Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens

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To become a member of Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens, pick up a brochure at the Davis Center for details. Or visit www.FriendsOfFellows.org.
On June 19, 2019, Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens was thrilled to host a preliminary reboot of a much-loved, and often-asked-about event, On the Terrace at 5! In collaboration with Mill Creek MetroParks and Kravitz Garden Café, we brought the terrace to life with music, conversation, wine and food. Larry Elefante, a Youngstown-based country/rockabilly band set the tone, and combined with absolutely perfect weather, a truly magical evening was created.

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Did You Know...?
As a member of Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens, you have access to an exclusive, often unused perk – The American Horticulture Society’s Reciprocal Admissions Program. Included with your Friends membership comes the benefit of admission privileges and discounts at 320 gardens throughout North America. Through this program, many participating gardens offer free or discounted admission and parking, discounts in gift shops, and more. To view the unique offers given by each garden, visit www.ahsgardening.org/gardening-programs/rap. Simply present your FFRG membership card at any participating location to receive your reciprocal benefits!
FUNDRAISING

The Summer Garden Party 2019
Evening in an English Garden

With the help of our wonderful donors, guests, and volunteers, Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens hosted its 27th Summer Garden Party on Friday, July 26th. Guests began the evening with a serene cocktail hour in the Rose Garden, set to the music of cello player Ed Madej. Dinner was enjoyed on the lawn of the Gardens, which were beautifully manicured and boasting many blooms. The weather could not have been more ideal – warm, sunny & breezy; the perfect atmosphere to enjoy the evening’s signature English cordial, Pimm’s Cup. Howard & the Point 5 Band led us into the night with their upbeat, funky sound, welcoming everyone to end their evening on the dance floor. We look forward to another Summer Garden Party next year, where we invite you to once again support and celebrate Gardens we love!

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Q&A with Andrew Pratt, Gardens Director by Jonathon Fauvie

Recently, Andrew Pratt, Gardens Director at Fellows Riverside, sat down with us to talk about what it means to be part of the storied legacy of the Gardens, what work has been done and is yet to come, as well as how members such as you are playing a part in helping make memories for so many throughout the Valley and beyond.

Andrew, the Gardens at Fellows are often noted as a jewel in the community. What is it like to be able to manage such an important piece of the Mahoning Valley?

This is a great question and something I think about every day. In short, it’s an honor and a privilege to take care of Elizabeth Fellows’ gift to our community. As Director of the Gardens, I always remind myself of how important the Gardens are to our community, which Elizabeth Fellows so sought it to become, “a beauty spot to be enjoyed by all, and particularly the poor,” as she stated in her last will and testament.

Fellows Riverside Gardens is truly a special place that builds a lifetime of memories for our visitors. We are in the memory building business. Whether it be the memory of a couple’s first kiss, a beautiful wedding day, or a walk through the Gardens reminiscing about a passed love one - memories like this abound here at the Gardens, which is why our place is so special.

As with any industry - processes, techniques and standards are ever-changing, how do you think that both you and the Gardens are best equipped to adapt or manage these changes?

I am big fan of incorporating new technology into the care and improvement of our grounds and facilities. One of the projects we’ve been working on for the last several years is converting the lights in our Gardens over to LED technology. This has been an eye-opening process for me as I’ve quickly learned that sometimes it actually does take more than one person to change a light bulb! At times, changes need to be made within our buildings’ 20-year-old lighting system to allow the adoption of this newer, energy-saving technology.

What type of benefits does LED technology provide?

Despite the effort involved with some of the changes, we see these upgrades as a win/win. Not only have we seen a substantial cost savings in our utility bills, we are also helping to reduce our dependence on fossil fuels and helping curb emissions into the environment. As of July, I am so proud to say that for the first time in the Garden’s history, all the lighting on our grounds along with our buildings’ exterior lighting are now powered by LED technology. We are working diligently on the inside as well.

Other than lighting, are there additional thoughts on operating the facilities in a “greener” way?

In addition to lighting upgrades, we are currently entertaining adding software to our existing HVAC system which would provide real-time monitoring of our heating and cooling equipment allowing us to improve the energy efficiency of our Visitor Center - which is already heated and cooled by sustainable geothermal wells housed below our parking lot.

The Gardens hold a special place in the hearts and minds of so many families – as you help lead the Gardens to be a place that hosts life’s moments, what are some of the new additions or projects that the Friends of Fellows and our community may see come to life?

My primary focus over the last several years has been to improve what we already have here at the Gardens. To fix things that are broken, to prune plants that need some extra TLC and to help prop up a plant collection that has seen over sixty years of growth.

Our phenomenal Gardens grounds team continue to improve and refresh our plant collection out in the Gardens, which this year included the addition of 200 new roses! As far as future projects go - I have several sound ideas that I am actively researching, and I feel strongly that my vision and ideas will create a better cohesiveness within the Gardens allowing for a more favorable visitor experience.

I am also very interested in providing a more appropriate and improved platform for children and families to play, botanize, and recreate freely. We already provide this as an option here at the Gardens, but from my perspective it can be refined and improved!

How do members reading this, help contribute to the legacy of our Gardens and allow leaders like you realize the potential as we move into the next decade?

This is another great question, I would ask for their continued, unwavering support of the Gardens. Whether it be via a financial commitment, a day volunteering, or a simple acknowledgement of a staff member for their contributions - this is all incredibly appreciated.

Anything you’d like to add or mention to those members reading this?

I just want to express my sincere appreciation for the continued support of Fellows Riverside Gardens. We have a very special thing here in the Valley and I am so glad that they are a part of it. I’m very excited about our future!
The day trip to ‘Northeast Ohio Botanical Sanctuaries’ proved to be the perfect escape from July’s hot weather. At full capacity, this trip marked Friends’ 27th venture into beautiful garden landscapes, and northeast Ohio did not disappoint!

The first stop was Draime Estate Gardens, a private garden in Howland open to visitors only briefly each summer. We were treated to in-depth tours by the dedicated, professional garden staff. We learned how Max and Cil Draime turned their passion for plants and sculpture into an amazing nine-acre garden now linked to Kent State University. Perennials spilling down hillsides to a small lake; walkways embedded with musical motifs; English and Japanese gardens; an Italian folly; flower beds of purple and blue; an allee anchored by a Henry Moore sculpture – we were awed by the scale and beauty of it all.

Our afternoon visit was to a private garden along the Chagrin River. Nancy Drobnick, owner of Miriam’s River House Designs, designs structures that bring serenity and delight to garden landscapes. She welcomed us to the shaded beauty of her home’s gardens and its meandering paths. We experienced her designs firsthand – arbors and stonework, windowed pavilions and seating nooks, stepping stones and lush shade planting. We all left refreshed by this serene, green garden refuge.

A stop at Lowe’s Greenhouse (family-run since 1926) and a fine supper at the relaxing Blue Canyon Kitchen & Tavern completed our day’s travels. Consider joining us next year, and discover why our garden tours are so popular!
Stan The Dahlia Man by Scott Lanz

One of Fellows Riverside Gardens’ best floral displays each year is located in the Dahlia Garden, brought to you courtesy of Stan Vuletich, a.k.a. “Stan the Dahlia Man.” Located between the Family Garden and the maintenance building near the rear entrance to the Gardens, the Dahlia Garden contains over 100 varieties of dahlias. Thanks to Stan, dahlias also abundantly line the border between the main parking lot and the Family Garden. Visitors can see this dahlia display without even leaving their cars.

Dahlias are considered annuals. Each year, after any danger of spring frost, Stan and other volunteers plant dahlia tubers in the Dahlia Garden’s raised beds. The dahlias start to bloom in mid-summer, and continue to get bigger and better as summer turns to fall. According to Stan, “the dahlias will continue to bloom profusely until first frost in October. We then need to dig them up for next year before the ground freezes.”

“Dahlias are hybrids,” continues Stan. “You can start them from seed, tubers, or cuttings.” When started from seed, they will be different from the parent plant. As a result, the varieties of dahlia hybrids are unlimited. “Even seeds from the same parent will produce different varieties,” Stan explains. “If you get a variety you like, you can maintain it by dividing the tubers. You can even name your own variety.”

FRG’s Dahlia Garden was established in 2007 by the Mahoning Valley Dahlia Society. It became one of only a handful of official “Dahlia Trial Gardens” in the entire country, certified by the American Dahlia Society as a place for hybridizers to have new dahlia cultivars evaluated. Stan, who works as an FRG volunteer, now maintains the Dahlia Garden on his own and with the assistance of other volunteers who want to help and at the same time learn about dahlias.

Stan, a 2007 graduate of FRG’s Master Gardener Program, began growing dahlias after retiring from his job as an electrical engineer for Verizon. In addition to FRG’s Dahlia Garden, Stan has established dahlia gardens at Austintown Township Park, Whitehouse Farms, and Mount Union College’s Huston-Brumbaugh Nature Center. Stan teaches classes on growing dahlias at FRG, and also gives presentations about dahlias to garden clubs, church groups, and business organizations. He is also certified as a Senior Dahlia Judge by the American Dahlia Society.

Be sure to check out Stan’s delightful dahlias when visiting FRG this fall and if you happen to see Stan tending to the dahlias, as he does countless hours each year, please thank him for his enormous contribution to the beauty of Fellows Riverside Gardens.
View MetroParks classes and activities online at: millcreekmetroparks.org

SCHEDULE of classes

All classes are held in the D.D. and Velma Davis Education & Visitors Center at Fellows Riverside Gardens. Registration is required 48 hours in advance for all classes (except when noted) by calling Fellows Riverside Gardens at 330.740.7116. Payment is required for registration. Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and checks are accepted. Cancellations made less than 48 hours prior are non-refundable. Cancellations made less than one week prior, but before 48 hour deadline will have a 10% cancellation fee. Cancellations made one week prior will receive a full refund.

FFRG = Friends of Fellows Riverside Gardens member price

CUISINE

Laid Back Cooking: Salads & Stuff
9/10 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Demonstration and tasting. Make a variety of unique salads from the classic Youngstown Spinning Bowl to balsamic melon salad. Join Jack Kravitz for an evening of Salad - some you know, some you never thought would exist. Register/pay by 9/7. $22 R; $24 NR

Laid Back Cooking: Squash
10/22 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Hands-on. Ages 12+. Join Jackie Repomonto for a fun afternoon of cookie decorating. Learn the basics of decorating beautiful sugar cookies with royal icing. Cookies are fresh-baked, plus the icing is colored and bagged for you. All tools and an apron are provided for use during class. We will practice piping skills and then begin basic cookie decorating. Fun instruction is given during the entire class. Cookies are taken home in a pretty baker box. Register/pay by 9/28 at Fellows Riverside Gardens. $42 R; $46 NR

Laid Back Cooking: Quick Soups
11/12 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Hands-on. Learn how to make a variety of soups quickly with Jack Kravitz using techniques like the instant pot, making packaged stock taste like homemade, and making one stock into many different soups. Soups will include wedding soup and butternut squash soup. Register/pay by 11/9, 330.740.7116. $24 R; $26 NR

Laid Back Cooking: Squash
10/19 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm
This exhibit will showcase 19th and 20th Century photographs from the archives of the Mahoning Valley Historical Society. These images feature breathtaking, snow-covered landscapes, downtown Youngstown decked for the holidays, people enjoying winter pastimes, and more. Meet the Artist: TBD

Mahoning Valley Historical Society:
Midwinter Memories in the Mahoning Valley
Weller Gallery
10/19 – 1/5 | Tuesday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
Meet the Artist: Judy Stanislaw. Register/pay by 10/13, 330.740.7116. $20 R; $22 NR

Healthy Living

Yoga in the Gardens
9/3, 9/5, 9/10, 9/12, 9/17, 9/19, 9/24, 9/26 | 9:30 – 11 am
Join Marina Perdos for a blend of energizing yoga styles that will help you keep a healthy outlook. All levels are welcome. Bring a mat and small blanket. Call Fellows Riverside Gardens for details. Drop-in. $12/class

Bow Making
10/15 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Learn how to make bows for all occasions with Judy Stanislaw. You will learn to make and take home seven bows, from dainty to wreath size. Register/pay by 10/13, 330.740.7116. $20 R; $22 NR

Boxwood Tree
11/19 | 6:30 – 8:30 pm
Decorate a fresh boxwood tree with the abundance of the season Judy Stanislaw. Register/pay by 11/17, call 330.740.7116. $30 R; $34 NR

EXHIBITS

Through the Lens
Weller Gallery
Through 10/13 | Tuesday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
Experience Bill Aubuchon’s collection of people, places and wildlife photographs taken in various locations around the world. In most cases, the digital images receive little or no post processing. Bill tries to present actual images as they appeared at the moment of exposure. When he comes upon a scene that interest him, he visualizes the final image and then transfers that information to the camera via shutters speed, lens opening, ISO and composition to arrive at the images presented in this exhibit.
Meet the Artist: 9/8 | 1 – 3 pm

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Mill Creek MetroParks History
Melnick Museum
Ongoing | Tuesday – Sunday, 10 am – 5 pm
The Melnick Museum offers the visitor a peek into the unique history of Mill Creek MetroParks. Look back and discover how Volney Rogers garnered property and how that land has grown into Mill Creek MetroParks. Learn about the generosity of Elizabeth Fellows that was the beginning of Fellows Riverside Gardens. And take time to learn about the early days of McGuffey and his boyhood homestead located in Coitsville and now known as the McGuffey Wildlife Preserve.

EXPRESSION YOURSELF

Calligraphy
9/6, 9/8, 9/13, 9/15, 9/27 | 9:30 – 11 am
Join Ron Roberts, Master Pumpkin Carver, to learn new carving techniques that go beyond the standard Jack-o-Lantern. Use your newfound skills to help carve pumpkins for Pumpkin Walk at Twilight on 10/10-10/12. Tools and pumpkin will be provided. Space is limited. Register/pay by 10/6. $14 R; $16 NR

T’ai Chi Step One in the Gardens
10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30 | Noon – 1 pm
Ease stress, improve health, and increase vitality. Join Marie Lew in warm-ups, breathing exercises and selected movements from a classic Chen T’ai Chi form. Call Fellows Riverside Gardens for details. Drop-in. $10/class

T’ai Chi Basics for Beginners Course
9/12 – 11/14 | Thursdays, Noon – 1 pm
Learn this classic art of energy balancing while developing coordination, flexibility and leg strength with Marie Lew during this ten-week course held on Thursdays at Fellows Riverside Gardens. Designed for beginners, this course includes warm-ups, breathing exercises and the first steps of a classic T’ai Chi form. Learn to flow through your day feeling centered and attuned! Participants need to pre-register; no drop-ins. $100; 10% discount ($90) if registered/paid by 9/5.

Chair Stretch for a Healthy Lifestyle Course
9/18 – 10/23 | Wednesdays, 10 – 11 am
Explore options for flexibility and a healthier way of living in this six week course with Michelle O’Brien.
Each session focuses on gentle movement to increase mobility, along with topics for discussion and education concerning areas of health and well-being. Participants need to pre-register; no drop-ins. $60; 10% discount ($54) if registered/paid by 9/11.

**Fragrant Fridays: A Year of Prevention**  
9/27 | 10 – 11:30 am  
Join Marina Perdos to look through the lens of Ayurveda: A Seasonal Formulary. Learn how to integrate Ayurvedic philosophy to balance yourself during the changing season to VATA (Fall/Winter). You will learn how to recognize and understand your own unique make-up. You will understand how to correct any imbalance in your body, mind, and spirit during each season. And you will learn specific therapies and lifestyle practices using the five senses (touch, taste, smell, hearing, and sight). Each of the classes will be packed with formularies and specific guidelines to keep you happy, balanced and well! Bring a writing utensil and paper/journal. Register/pay by 9/20. $26 R; $28 NR

**Yoga Basics Course**  
10/20 - 12/8 | Sundays, 9 – 10 am or Tues, 6 – 7 pm  
Learn the basics of Yoga in a safe way with Karres Cveticovich. Benefit from an experienced teacher and a welcoming environment. Focus on the fundamentals: ease of movement, being more limber, standing strong on your own two feet, and breathing well for positivity and alertness. Bring a mat and a blanket, pillow if desired. Choose either Sunday mornings or Tuesday evenings for this nine-week course. Participants need to pre-register; no drop-ins. $80; 10% discount ($72) if registered by 10/15. Call 330.740.7116 for more details or to register.

**Colors and Reflections**  
10/27 | 2 – 4 pm  
Join Naturalist Marilyn Williams for a hike above and alongside Lake Glacier to enjoy the colors of autumn and their reflections upon the water. Call Fellows Riverside Gardens for details. Moderate, 3 mi.

**Garden Design 101**  
11/2 | 9 am – Noon  
Garden Design is a process that uses science and art to solve problems and create places of beauty and use. In this workshop, join Debra Knapke to explore the tools and rules of design and delve into issues that every garden has: soil type and compaction, plant success and failure, drainage difficulties, hardscape headaches, and more. Following the presentation we will engage in a design studio in which each participant will bring pictures of an area in her or his garden that needs attention. Attendees will be part of the discussions for solving these garden problems. Register/pay by 3/10. $52 R; $60 NR

**Men’s Garden Club Talk**  
9/4, 10/2 or 11/6 | 7 – 8 pm  
The Men’s Garden Club of Youngstown invites you to attend their general meeting which includes topics by local and regional speakers on horticulture and nature. Call for details. Drop-in. Free.

**Botanical Mornings**  
9/27 or 11/22 | 9 - 10 am  
Discover the progress of seasons here at Fellows Riverside Gardens with Lynn Zocolo. Then, enjoy a complimentary cup of coffee or tea in Kravitz’s Garden Café. Register/pay by 9/25 or 11/20, 330.740.7116. $5

**Sprout Club**  
9/19, 10/17, 11/21 | 1 - 2 pm  
Ages 3-5, plus adult. Join the Sprout Club this autumn for fun with topics that include: sunflowers, the Little Red Hen, and pickles! Each class will include an activity and snack. Attend all three classes and receive a class related prize. Deadline for series is 9/17. $15/series; $7/class

**Naturalist Series: Growing Caterpillars: A Tale of Birds, Plants, and Conservation**  
9/11 | 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
There are perhaps 3,000 species of moths in Ohio, and approximately 140 butterfly species. The conspicuous and often showy winged adults are but the short-lived finale of a four stage life cycle: egg, pupa, caterpillar, and adult. It’s caterpillars that make much of the natural world go around, and countless billions become food for other organisms. Without vegetation-eating caterpillars and the native plants that they require, most songbirds would go extinct, botanical diversity would plummet, and our forests would fall silent. Join Jim McCormac botanist, nature photographer and author to learn about these tiny, but mighty creatures. Registration requested, not required. Call Fellows Riverside Gardens.

The Naturalist Series is a collaboration between the OSU Extension - Mahoning County Ohio Certified Horticulture and nature. The next program will be 11/6 at the MetroParks Farm.

**Meet the Author!**  
Join Tovah for a pre-lecture meet & greet at 5:45 p.m. in the Rossi Auditorium.
**SCHEDULE of classes**

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**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**Pumpkin Carving**
10/10 – 10/12 | 9 am - 3 pm
Have fun helping to carve pumpkins for display at the Pumpkin Walk at Twilight on Sunday, October 14th. Carving area is in the Service Building which may be chilly, so dress in warm layers. Carving tools will be available or bring your own. Call Fellows Riverside Gardens for details. While pumpkin supplies last.

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10/13 | 5:30 - 8 pm
Experience the magic of the fall season during Pumpkin Walk at Twilight! Take a stroll along the Gardens' pumpkin-lined paths as day turns to night. Enjoy live entertainment and family-friendly activities. Call Fellows Riverside Gardens for details. Free and open to the public.

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**THIS & THAT**

**MetroMutts: Harmony in the Household**
9/8 | 12 – 1 pm
With fall just around the corner you and your pup will be inside much more. Katie from the Canine Campus will instruct us on how to teach our dogs boundaries around children, and teaching children to respect a dog’s space is the key to keeping the peace. Whether it’s a new baby on the way, or introducing a new dog into the household with kids. This seminar will cover all aspects of introductions and maintain a happy household. MetroMutts Members free, not-yet-members $5. Call WRA to register before 9/5. Please leave your dog’s sleeping peaceful at home for this lecture.

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**TROLLEY TOURS**

**Picnic in the Park Trolley**
9/28 | 11 am - 2 pm or 10/26 | 11 am - 2 pm
All aboard the Cohasset Express! Enjoy the sights and sounds of the season with Educator Lynn Zocolo as we travel through Mill Creek Park stopping for a picnic lunch along the way. Register/pay at Fellows Riverside Gardens, by 9/21 or 10/19. Adults: $21 R; $23 NR. Ages 12 & under / 60+: $19 R; $22 NR.

**Lunch options:**
Corned Beef Sandwich on rye
Turkey & Swiss on hearth baked wheat
Hummus, roasted red peppers, lettuce, tomato on pita
Cranberry-walnut chicken salad on hearth baked Italian

**Each lunch includes:**
Bag of chips, house baked cookie, piece of fruit & soda or bottled water

**Botanical Mornings Trolley**
10/25 | 9 - 10 am
Take a trolley ride through the Park with Educator Lynn Zocolo and look for signs of autumn. Then, enjoy a complimentary cup of coffee or tea in Kravitz’s Garden Café. Register/pay by 10/23. $7 R; $9 NR

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SHOP IN THE GARDENS

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

MEMBERS NIGHT (FFRG MEMBERS ONLY)
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019 | 5:30 - 8 PM

OPEN HOUSE WEEKEND
FRIDAY & SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8 & 9 | 10 AM - 5 PM
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10 | 12 - 5 PM