



# NEWSLETTER

September 2018

*Maury County Master Gardeners are Meeting at*

## *Liberty Grace Farm*

*1966 Hicks Ln, Columbia*

*Jody & Aaron Weardon, Owners*

*(Daughter of our member, Barbara Aubin)*

*[www.libertygracefarms.com](http://www.libertygracefarms.com)*

*Tuesday Evening, September 11, 2018*

*Come Stroll the Garden & Vineyard at 5:30 p.m.*

*Potluck at 6:00 p.m.*

*Business at 6:30 p.m.*

*Demonstration at 7:00 p.m.*

*Optional Participation at 7:30 p.m.*



Deena Trimble, President, will present a demonstration on making leaf casts from concrete. She has made several different kinds which she will bring for examples. These can be used as art objects in your gardens.

After the demonstration, those who would like, will have the opportunity to make a leaf cast to take home. Please respond to her email ( [maurycountymg@gmail.com](mailto:maurycountymg@gmail.com)) by Sept. 7th if you would like to make a leaf cast to take home. The cost will be \$5.00 per person. You may bring a leaf (no larger than 4-5 inches in diameter) if you have access to something with deep veins or something will be provided. You might want to bring an apron to protect your clothing. Disposable gloves and all supplies will be provided.



*"We come for the plants, but we stay for the people."*

*- Natalie Bumgarner*

# Field Trips



**FIELD TRIP #1 Huntsville Botanical Gardens 4747 Bob Wallace Ave. Huntsville, AL. 35805 256-830-4447**  
**October 6 (Sat.)** Meet at Bear Creek Cracker Barrel at 7:15 AM. There will be a guided tour. Starts at 10:15. (1 ½ hours) Plant sale starts at 9 AM. Shuttle available for those who have difficulty walking. (fits 5 people) We scheduled this during their annual fall plant sale. (Yippee!) **SPECIAL GROUP RATE** \$9 plus 9% tax which equals \$9.81. If you want a box lunch, that will be an additional \$10. **Please bring a check or cash for either \$9.81 or \$19.81 to the September meeting.** The box lunch menu will be available at the September meeting. Questions? Call Cynthia Killets 931-486-0980

**FIELD TRIP #2 White House Arboretum 210 Rolling Acres Dr. White House, TN. 37188 Randy Allen 615-714-4628 November 3. (Sat.)** Meet at Bear Creek Cracker Barrel at 8:00. We will leave there at 8:15. Tour starts at 9:30 and lasts about 2 hours. There is a Colorado Grill (similar to Charley's half a mile away) Your car group can decide if they want to have lunch or not following the tour. Questions? Call Annette Wakefield at 931-359-2328.



Balance August 23, 2018: \$6413.75

Respectfully submitted,  
Donna Richards, Treasurer

## Share Meeting



We're trying something a little different this year with a MCMG Members Share Meeting. We had several members state on their 2018

Surveys that they had expertise in various gardening topics. The expectation is the presenter would create a 15 minute presentation, using power point or speak from a handout. We are requesting three or four members to volunteer for the MCMG Monthly meeting for the October Meeting. We have our first volunteer; so we only need two to three others. Please contact either: Sue Nagel (307)-640-0004 or [shelby6866@yahoo.com](mailto:shelby6866@yahoo.com) Alice Minyard (931)-381-1675 or [msalice@charter.net](mailto:msalice@charter.net)



Deena Trimble, President  
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<https://maurycountymastergardeners.org>



# August Meeting What A Celebration!!! 68 in Attendance



**Sponsors:**  
Jarrod Reeson  
Natalie Bumgarner  
UT Extension



**Organizers:**  
Kathie Wilson  
Kelly Raimondo



**Beautiful  
Monarchs**



**Mike & Susan Klopovich  
"Patience Takes Flight"**

**PLUS: Door Prizes &  
A Dinner Feast  
Soo G-O-O-O-O-D!!!**



**2018 MCMG Graduates** (Pictured L to R) Back Row: George Allen, Michael Traugot, Gary Berglund, James Checcia, Joe Connell, Jarrod Reeson (Instructor), Beth Marler; 2nd Row: Jake Trainor, Kathryn Trainor, Christine Berglund, Vickie Wilburn, Ann Wright, Lyn Roberson, Jane Ann McCullough; Front Row: Chrystal Blackburn, Patsy Daniels, Nancy Webster, Danielle Jackson



**President Deena Trimble  
with Plant Give-A-Way**

# Congratulations Jarrod on success with your first Master Gardener Class

*The Next MCMG Class  
Tentatively Begins February 18, 2019*

To Sign Up Contact Jarrod Reeson  
931-375-5301 or [jreeson@utk.edu](mailto:jreeson@utk.edu)



*Thank you to all who helped with check in, judging and manning the MCMG Booth for the Maury County Fair!*

**YOU ARE SO APPRECIATED!**



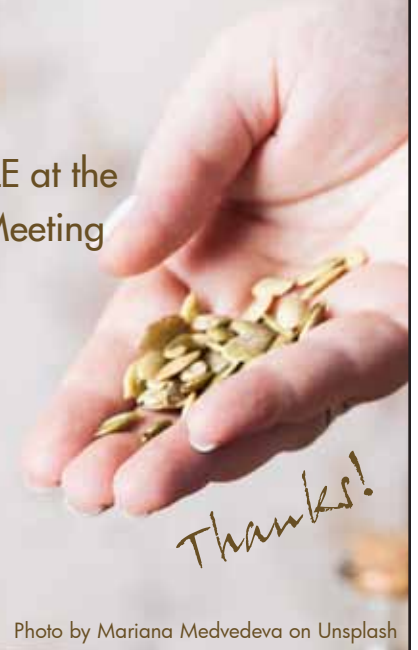
## *Mentors Remember*

Keep in touch with your interns throughout the year. Encourage them to attend our meetings and later become members.

## Save Your Seeds! Share them with us.

Bring your seeds to the SEEDS TABLE at the September &/or October MCMG Meeting

Donated seeds need to be dried, cleaned and separated from chaff.....bring in bulk.....include seed name.....your name..... they will be individually bagged and labeled to be given away at events.....this is a service project for those who are unable to work outside on Oct 11 at 4:30 p.m.



*Thanks!*

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## Mark Your Calendar

### September

September 1	<b>Service Hours Due to Jarrod</b>
September 11	<b>MAURY COUNTY MASTER GARDENER MEETING</b> Liberty Grace Farm, 1966 Hicks Lane, Columbia, TN 5:30 pm Stroll 6:00 pm Potluck 6:30 pm Business 7:00 pm Demonstration 7:30 pm Optional Participation

### October

October 6	FIELD TRIP Huntsville Botanical Gardens, gather at 7:15 am
October 9	<b>Sr. Citizens Center Work Day, 4:30 pm</b> <b>MAURY COUNTY MASTER GARDENER MEETING, 6 pm</b>

### November

November 3	FIELD TRIP White House Arboretum, gather at 8:00 am
November 13	<b>MAURY COUNTY MASTER GARDENER MEETING, 6 pm</b>