



*Butterflies are revered for their beauty and their value as pollinators. They inspire us with their ethereal fragility, as they rend our hearts with the challenges of metamorphosis. Butterflies have come to symbolize transformation, resurrection, change and hope. Indulge your love affair with this amazing insect, while earning continuing education hours.*

### **BUTTERFLY EXPERT KITTY SANDERS TO TEACH IN FEBRUARY**

PCMG are delighted to present Kitty Sanders of the Botanical Gardens of the Ozarks, as the featured continuing education speaker at our February 20<sup>th</sup> monthly meeting. A Master Gardener, Master Naturalist, and Arkansas native butterfly expert, Kitty will share her knowledge of butterflies and the basics of butterfly gardening at our morning meeting. Her stories and experiences as a volunteer at the Botanical Gardens of the Ozarks and mentor of the glorious Butterfly House and its surrounding butterfly garden, will leave you wanting to learn more!

Join us after the morning meeting for an afternoon session with Kitty Sanders at the U of A Extension Building Auditorium. Earn two additional continuing education hours as you deepen your understanding of butterfly gardening, raising caterpillars at home and creating a protected and sustainable butterfly habitat. This same-day intensive session exemplifies our efforts to seek innovation in continuing education opportunities.

*Continuing Education: 4 Hours, (2 morning, 2 afternoon)*

*Registration open: January 17-February 13<sup>th</sup>*

*For additional information, [Click Here](#). For the registration form, [Click Here](#).*

***About Kitty Sanders:*** *Kitty Sanders is one of the foremost butterfly experts in Arkansas. After a 30-year career as an educator in Central Arkansas, Kitty trained as a Master Gardener and a Master Naturalist. Volunteering at the Botanical Garden of the Ozarks led Kitty to the opportunity to help create the native butterfly house and garden. Since 2011, Kitty has taught butterfly gardening classes, hosted Butterfly Camp and helped schools with pollinator projects. She works at both the state and local level on monarch projects.*