

PCMG Weekly Digest



Dear Master Gardener,

I hope you have all had wonderful week. A cooler end to the week this week. Just a heads up if you have gotten excited and got your plants in the ground already, we are anticipating a freeze Monday and Tuesday.

Tuesday is our March meeting at St. James. It also happens to be St. Patrick's Day so be sure to wear green! Our speaker next week is Henry Rodgers. He is the owner of Rodgers Sharpening Service. He will be set up in the St. James parking lot with his equipment. If you have any tools (see list below) that need sharpening before we really get started on this growing season, please bring them to the meeting. He takes cash, checks and credit cards. His price list is down below!

If you have questions, you can contact him here:

<https://www.rodgerssharpeningservices.com/>

501.516.6826

We have a some new events that we need some volunteers for coming up soon! So if you want to earn some extra hours these are perfect opportunities! First up we have the Oak Forest Community Garden Day. This event is Saturday March 28th from 10am - 12pm. We need a few more people to work the booth to hand out information on Master Gardeners.

Second Pinnacle View Methodist Church is hosting a Spring is Here event and would like a few Master Gardeners to work a booth for them. Again you will just be handing out information on master gardener program. That will be Saturday April 11th.

Jacksonville Air Force Base is looking for a master gardener to come teach their kids how to plant a garden for a single class April 11th at 11am.

If you are interested in either of these please reach out to me and let me know. These are some excellent ways to increase our visibility in the community.

The St. James workday is scheduled for Tuesday April 14th at 9AM. This is our way of saying "Thank you" for letting us have our monthly meeting at the the church. There will be a sign-up sheet at the March meeting or you can contact Brenda Bobbitt at 501-416-4946 or email at bobbitt@swbell.net

Mark your calendars for the exciting plant sales coming up: the Pathfinder event in Jacksonville on April 10th and 11th, followed by the Little Rock Greenhouse on the 17th and 18th. These events are not just about beautiful plants; they are vital for our funding, so let's rally together, spread the word, and show our support!

Additionally, don't forget to check out the plethora of upcoming talks, trainings, and trips highlighted in this week's digest. It's a fantastic chance to learn and connect, so be sure to scroll all the way down and see what piques your interest!

Happy Gardening,
Derek Reed

It's the start of a new year! If you are in need of extra hours check out upcoming volunteer opportunities.

[Additional Hours](#)



Dues \$20

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Click the link below to check out our Pulaski County Master Gardener shirts and swag.

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The latest edition of the Magnolia Chronicle is here! Inside, you'll find a message from our president, Michele Wasson, learn about the Scholars Garden project, the horrors of Crape Murder, Gardening Advice from life-time PCMG Arline Jackson, and so much more!

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\$1\INCH

✂️ **KITCHEN SCISSORS** **\$10**

✂️ **FABRIC SCISSORS** **\$15**

✂️ **HAIR SHEARS** **\$25**

🔧 **TOOLS** **\$10**

✂️ **GARDEN SNIPS** **\$5**



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Pulaski County Master Gardeners

ANNUAL PLANT SALE

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 8- 11AM
SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 8- 11AM

PLANT VARIETIES:

- Annuals (Sun & Shade)
- Perennials (Sun & Shade)
- Arkansas Natives
- Vegetables & Herbs
- Houseplants



PRICES
STARTING AT

\$3



PCMG GREENHOUSE
7TH & PALM STREETS
LITTLE ROCK, AR

BEHIND STATE HOSPITAL
ON MARKHAM

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DATE
**SATURDAY
MARCH 28**

WHEN
10 AM - 12 PM

Oak Forest Garden Day



**2600 S Monroe St, Little
Rock, AR 72204**

Learn from Master Gardeners

Simple Recipes

Bee Keeping

Sustainability & Recycling

**Soil health
& More!**

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The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry, no matter how small, should be recorded to ensure the integrity of the financial statements. This includes not only sales and purchases but also expenses, income, and any other financial activity. The text explains that proper record-keeping is essential for identifying trends, managing cash flow, and providing a clear picture of the company's financial health to stakeholders.

Next, the document covers the process of reconciling accounts. It describes how to compare the company's internal records with the bank statements to identify any discrepancies. This process is crucial for catching errors early and ensuring that the books are balanced. The text provides a step-by-step guide on how to perform a reconciliation, from gathering the necessary documents to investigating and resolving any differences.

The third section focuses on the classification of expenses. It details how to categorize various costs into different accounts, such as salaries, rent, utilities, and supplies. This classification is important for budgeting and for analyzing the company's cost structure. The document offers examples of common expenses and explains how they should be recorded in the accounting system.

Finally, the document discusses the importance of regular audits. It explains that audits help to verify the accuracy of the financial records and ensure that all transactions are properly recorded and classified. The text describes the different types of audits, such as internal and external audits, and provides guidance on how to prepare for an audit. It also emphasizes the role of the auditor in providing an independent opinion on the company's financial statements.

The Tours are Here !!!

Garden tours on 20th. June 2026

Mr. David Jones – contact # (870) 919-8252

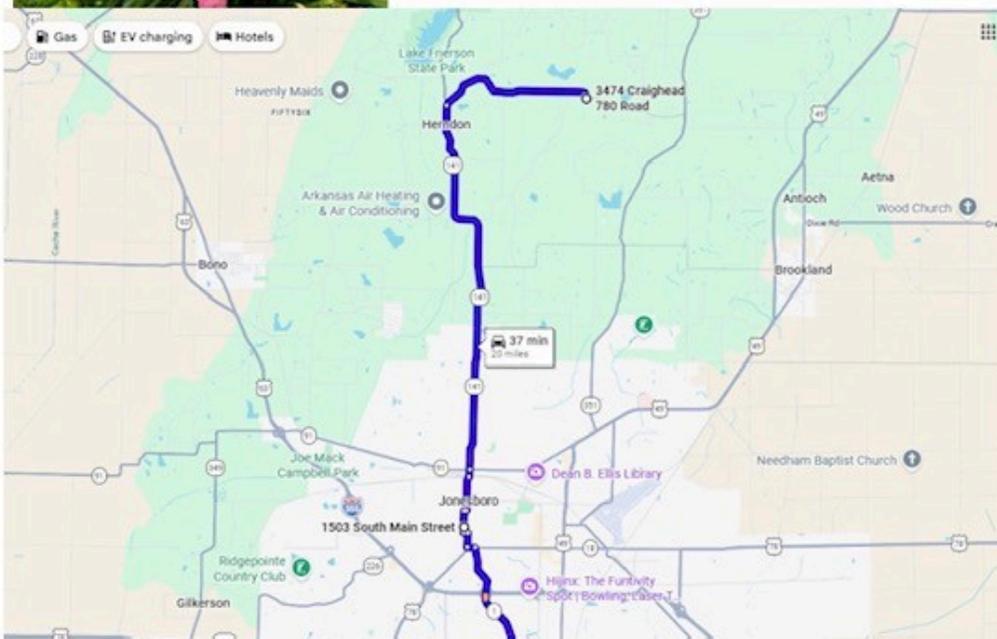
3474, Country Road 780, Jonesboro. (visit from 8am to 11:00am)

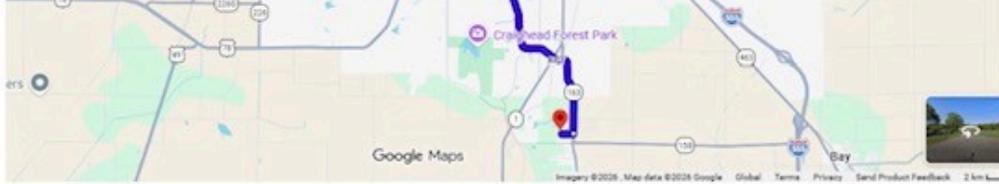
Dr. Joe Stanton – contact # (870) 926-8588

1503, S Main Street, Jonesboro (Park at Jonesboro High and walk a block) (visit from 8am to 11:00am)

Mr. Tim & Sheila Snow – contact # (870) 378-0407

246, Country Road 426, Jonesboro. (visit from 11am to 2:00pm)





The Event Committee invites you to an Afternoon of Tea, Cakes & Talk

WEDNESDAY | 15 | APRIL 2026

1.30 pm to 3.30 pm

COZY NOOK CAFE
106 North Center Street, Lonoke

\$15.00 per person
(Due by 3 April 2026)

RSVP:
Kuganes Collins
501 944-9256
Cathy Good
501 425-9288



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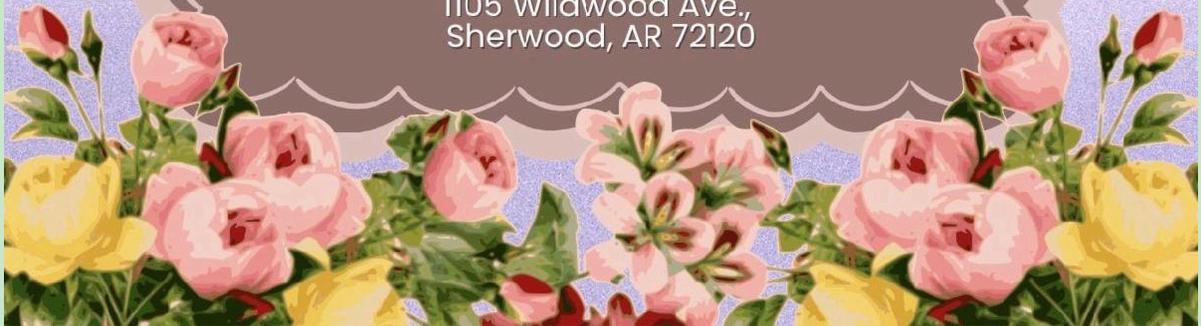
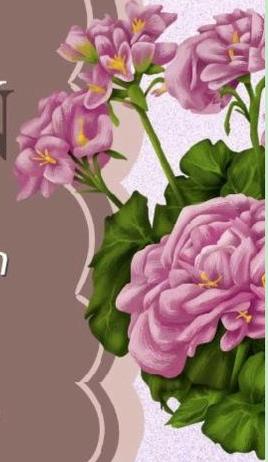
**After Tea,
we will be visiting Rebekah's Garden
for a 30-minute garden tour where
Rebekah practices the Hügel Kultur
method of gardening.**

**Her garden is an easy 2 blocks walk
away from Cozy Nook.**

**Kindly mail your check of
\$15.00 per person
(non-refundable)
by 3 April 2026**

**to
Kuganes Collins
1105 Wildwood Ave.,
Sherwood, AR 72120**





*The Travel Committee
invites you to a Tour of*

BIG DOG PLANTATION

467 HIGHWAY 88, LONSDALE, AR 72087

Join us for a lovely Tour & Lunch

*Homemade sandwiches, side salad,
gourmet cookies and tea
(Vegetarian option unavailable)*

*Ms. Casady can only accommodate 24
members at her plantation so don't wait to
secure your spot on this amazing tour!*

Monday, April 27, 2026

10.30 am

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12.30 pm

**\$35.00 per person
(Non-refundable)**

**RSVP BY 10 APRIL 2026
KUGANES @501-944-9256
JOANNE @501-231-1566**

Kindly make checks payable to:
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Sherwood, AR 72120

