

PCMG Weekly Digest



Dear Master Gardener,

I hope you've all had a great week. We had an outstanding meeting this past week where we learned about a grant Extension received to provide free trees. If you're interested in getting some, check out the information below. We also had the chance to recognize several of our members for their years of service.

Thank you to all the Master Gardeners who have volunteered at events over the past few weeks. It's great to see so many requests coming in for Master Gardeners to be part of community events.

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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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!

Magnolia Chronicle

COMMUNITY GARDENS

FOR EVERYONE

PLANT GROW SHOP

- **How to find and join a community garden**
- **Ways to participate at different gardens**
- **Where to shop for fresh produce**
- **Meet and talk with garden managers, members & gardeners**

SATURDAY MAY 2 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

**ARKANSAS STATE EXTENSION AUDITORIUM
2301 S UNIVERSITY AVE**

\$5 per person

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FREE TREES for CENTRAL ARKANSAS!!

Central Arkansas Tree Planting Project Website

Plant our free trees to support Central Arkansas:

Online Tree Request Form



- Community beautification
- Support wildlife habitat
- Sequester carbon dioxide
- Improve watershed health



For more information contact treeplantingproject@uada.edu

Project Partners:



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Link to the website: <https://www.uaex.uada.edu/environment-nature/water/central-ar-tree-project/>
 Link to the order form: <https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx?id=T5VNF15Yw0CuHAGtPfJnI-PEyVrbqWZNiOpOCZV-qptUNVk5M1NKSUhON01PUjLRTM2WDM1WIJSMS4u>

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 complying with tax regulations.

Next, the document addresses the process of reconciling bank statements. It provides a step-by-step guide on how to compare the bank's records with the company's internal records. This process helps to identify any discrepancies, such as missing transactions or errors in recording. The text stresses that regular reconciliation is crucial for detecting fraud, preventing errors, and ensuring that the company's financial data is accurate and up-to-date.

The third section focuses on budgeting and financial forecasting. It discusses how to create a realistic budget based on historical data and market conditions. The text highlights the importance of setting clear financial goals and monitoring progress against these goals. It also covers techniques for forecasting future performance, including the use of various financial models and tools. The goal is to provide a clear picture of the company's financial health and to identify potential areas of concern before they become major issues.

Finally, the document concludes with a summary of the key points discussed. It reiterates the importance of accuracy, transparency, and proactive financial management. The text encourages the reader to adopt best practices and to seek professional advice when needed. The overall message is that sound financial management is the foundation of a successful business, and it requires a commitment to excellence and a focus on long-term growth.

The Tours are Here !!!

Garden tours on 20th. June 2026

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

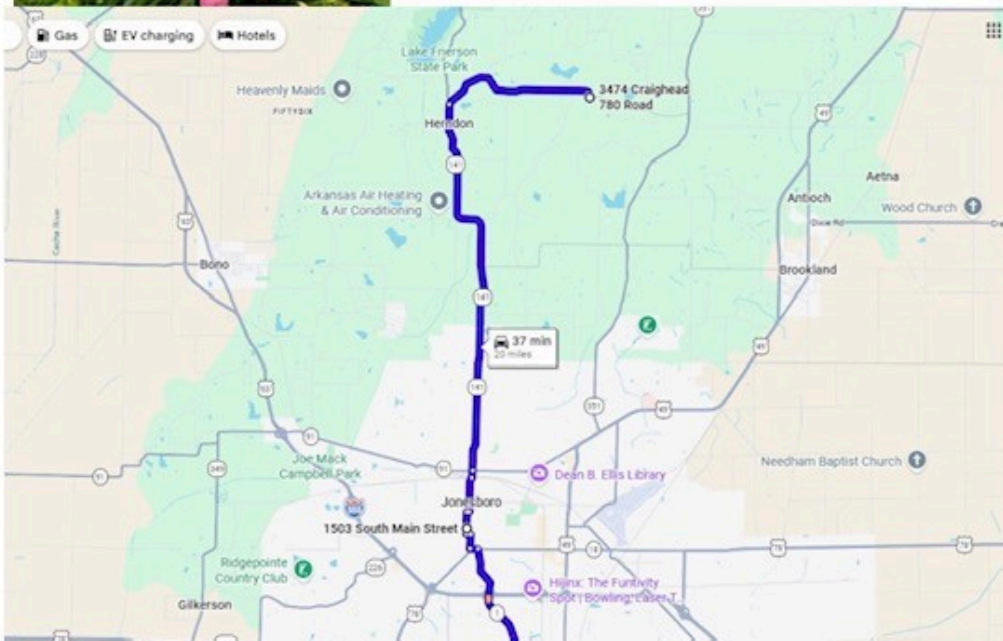
3474, Country Road 780, Jonesboro. (visit from 8am to 11:00am)

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)





Central Arkansas Iris Society Annual Iris Show



Saturday, April 25, 2026
Open to the Public 1:00–4:00 PM
Grace Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall
Kavanaugh at Hillcrest Street - Little Rock
(Adjacent to Mount St. Mary Academy)
Everyone's invited – No cost to attend
www.CentralArkansasIris.org



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**MASTER
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THE TRAVEL COMMITTEE PRESENTS

**LOVE CREEK
NURSERY TOUR
@OKOLONA, AR**

THURSDAY, 14 MAY 2026

10.30 AM: MEET AT THE NURSERY

296 SMYRNA ROAD, OKOLONA, AR

(APPROXIMATELY 1 ½ HOUR DRIVE FROM LITTLE ROCK)

12.30 PM: LUNCH @BURGER BARN (OPTIONAL)

GUIDED TOUR OF NATIVE PLANTS BY AMANDA (OWNER)

OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE NATIVE PLANTS, TREE & SHRUBS

RSVP BY 10 MAY 2026

501-944-9256 KUGANES COLLINS

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