

PCMG Weekly Digest



Dear Master Gardener,

I hope you have all had wonderful week. The Little Rock Plant Sale is happening today and tomorrow! They have an awesome selection of plants at great prices. If you haven't stopped by be sure to. The LR Greenhouse is located at the corner of 7th and Palm st behind the State Hospital.

The Master Gardeners have been requested to participate in two events next weekend for Earth Day.

The first event is the DFJ Earth Day. Table and chairs are provided and I will have a bag of information and hand outs for people interested in the master gardener program. We were asked if we could man a booth from 1pm to 5pm. I would like at least two people if we have more then we can split the time into two sessions.

The second event is the UAMS Earth Day we usually have several volunteers for this event. They need some people to help them hand out trees. They would like 6 volunteers if possible but this one is for only two hours I believe. Remember volunteering at these events do count towards your 20 required hours.

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.

Next Tuesday is our April Master Gardener meeting! I believe we are hearing from John Pennington about native trees and an awesome grant to provide free trees to the county. We encourage you to bring a friend to this months meeting!

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 (Late) \$30

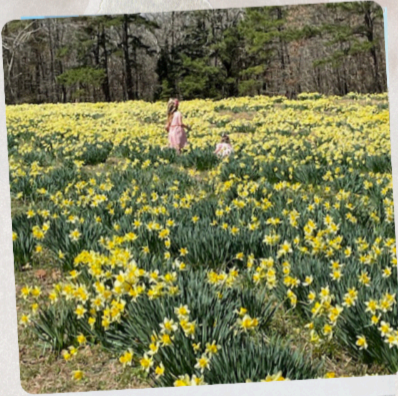
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THE Magnolia CHRONICLE

Pulaski County Master Gardener Newsletter



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](#)

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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The Tours are Here !!!

Garden tours on 20th. June 2026

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

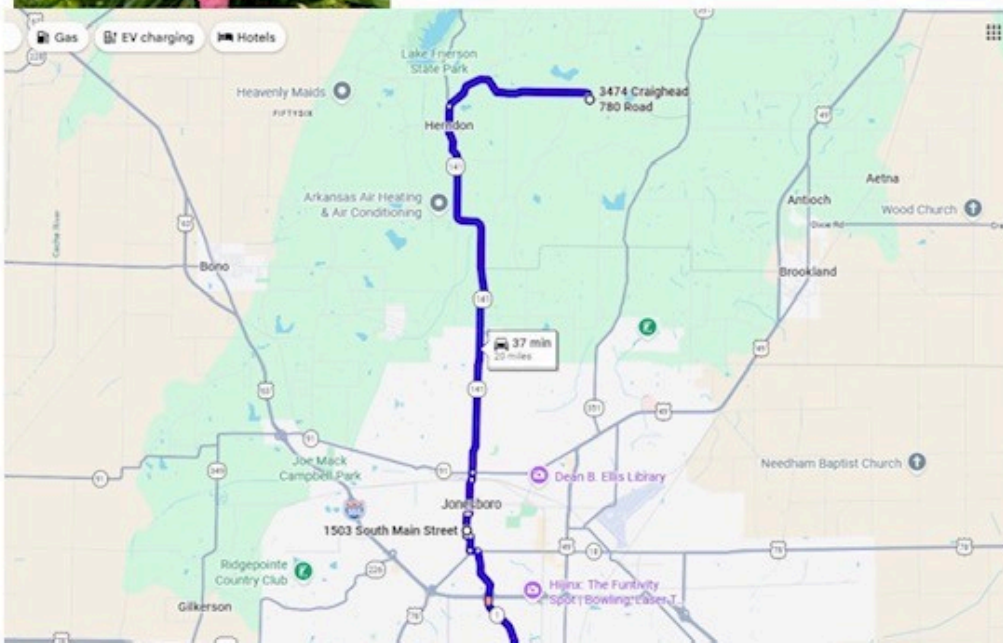
3474, Country Road 780, Jonesboro. (visit from 8am to 11:00am)

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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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

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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

-

12.30 pm

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

RSVP BY 10 APRIL 2026
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JOANNE @501-231-1566

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