



Montgomery County
Department of Environmental Protection

RainScapes Gazette

Spring 2015

Welcome spring with a RainScapes class. The Rain Garden Workshops are NEXT WEEK so sign up NOW!

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How to Make a Rain Garden and other Great Classes



No experience necessary to take these classes on rain gardens and conservation landscapes. Our ever popular Rain Barrel workshops fill up fast, so don't miss your chance.

Rain Garden Workshops

#316059 \$15 Thursday, 3/26 Th 4:00pm- 7:00pm Brookside Gardens

#316099 \$15 Friday, 3/27 10:00am- 1:00pm Brookside Gardens

“Make and Take” Rain Barrel Workshops

#316108 \$15 Friday, 4/17 F 10:00am- 1:00pm Brookside Gardens

#316109 \$15 Saturday, 4/18 10:00am- 1:00pm Germantown Campus of Montgomery
County College

Conservation Landscape Workshops

#316107 \$15 Thursday, 5/14 4:00pm- 7:00pm Brookside Gardens

#316100 \$15 Friday, 5/15 10:00am- 1:00pm Brookside Gardens

Register by mail or in person [here](#).

Register online at www.parkpass.org

Environmental Film Festival in the Nation's Capitol

There are over 160 exciting film at this year's Festival from March 17-29, 2015.

Plan your viewing itinerary: <https://www.dcenvironmentalfilmfest.org/>

FREE world premiere screening of 'Riversmart DC: Clean Water and Sustainable Communities' TONIGHT

March 18, 2015 at 7:00 pm

Carnegie Institution for Science

1530 P Street, NW

Washington, DC 20005



2015 Local Native Plant Sales



US National Arboretum Lahr Native Plant Symposium Native Plant Sale:

March 28, 9:30am - 2pm

R street Parking Lot

[24th & R Streets, NE, off of Bladensburg Road. Washington, DC 20002](#)

<http://www.usna.usda.gov/Education/events.html>

Beltsville Garden Club; 4/11/15

High Point High School Parking Lot

3601 Powder Mill Rd. Beltsville, MD 20705

<http://www.beltsvillegardenclub.org/NEW/calendar.htm>

Adkins Arboretum; Members: 4/24, 10am - 4pm; 4/25, 10am - 4pm; 4/26, 12pm - 4pm

12610 Eveland Road

Ridgley, MD 21660

410 634 2847

http://www.adkinsarboretum.org/native_plant_resources/plant_sale.html

Black Hill Nature Center Native Plant Sale; 4/25, 10am - 3pm; 4/26, 1pm - 3pm

Visitor Center

20926 Lake Ridge Dr.

Boyd's, MD 20841

301 528 3492

http://www.montgomeryparks.org/nature_centers/blackhill/seasonal_programs.shtm

Delaware Nature Society Native Plant Sale; Members: 4/30, 5/1
(Times TBD); Puble: 5/2-3 (Times TBD)

Coverdale Farm Preserve

543 Way Rd.

Greenville, Delaware 19807

<http://www.delawarenaturesociety.org/NativePlantSale>

Flower Mart at the National Cathedral; 5/1, 10am-6pm; 5/2, 10am-
5pm

Washington National Cathedral

3101 Wisconsin Ave., NW

Washington, DC 20016

202 365 3222

<http://allhallowsguild.org/Flower-Mart/participate>

11th Annual Gardening for the Bays Native Plant Sale; 5/2, 9am -
1pm

James Farm Ecological Preserve

39375 Inlet Rd.

Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971

<http://www.inlandbays.org/events/native-plant/>

Robinson Nature Center's Native Plant Palooza; 5/3, 12 pm - 4:30
pm

6692 Cedar Ln

Columbia, MD 21044

410 313 0400

<http://www.howardcountymd.gov/RNCplantnative.htm>

Environmental Concern Native Plant Sale; 5/8-9, (Times TBD)

201 Boundary Lane

St. Michaels, MD 21663

410 745 9620

http://www.wetland.org/nursery_retail.htm

Native Plants in the Landscape Conference



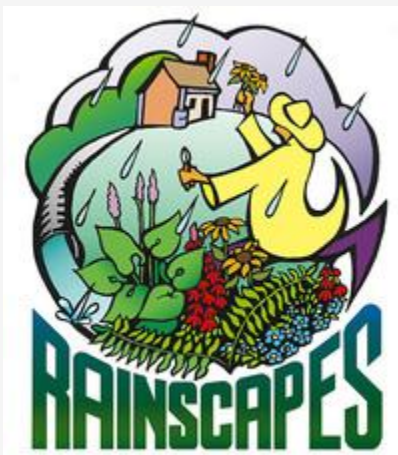
Don't miss this jam packed Native Plant Conference coming up at Millersville University in Millersville, PA.

Wednesday, June 3 - Saturday, June 6, 2015

Partial registrations available: \$75 to \$230 per person

Featuring Rick Darke, Doug Tallamy, and our very own Ann Engstrom and many others.

Read the full [brochure](#). Register online at www.millersvillenativeplantsociety.org



RainScapes is a program provided by the Montgomery County Department of Environmental Protection which promotes and implements projects which reduce stormwater runoff volume and improve water quality on properties within Montgomery County.

To find out more, go to rainscapes.org.

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