

# *Ken-Sheriton Garden Club*

## *Town of Tonawanda, New York*

### *Did You Know.....*

- ✿ Gardening is one of the top 10 hobbies in this country.
- ✿ Garden Clubs are for those new to gardening, the dabbler, and the experienced gardener.
- ✿ Ken-Sheriton's monthly programs are planned to be entertaining, informative and helpful for gardening basics, horticulture, floral design, conservation, and landscaping.

*General Meetings* are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm. Programs are presented with meeting and refreshments to follow at:

*St. Mark's Lutheran Church*  
576 Delaware Road  
Kenmore, NY 14217

*President*  
**Donna Stierheim**

For further information, please contact our Membership Chair, Susanne Bordonaro, [suebkpaper@gmail.com](mailto:suebkpaper@gmail.com) or at 716-875-5131, who will be happy to answer your questions.

*Club Motto:* "Friendship's Garden is a Joy Forever"

### *Club Objectives*

To stimulate and to increase the knowledge and enjoyment of gardening and flower arranging among amateurs, to promote the beautification of our surroundings, and to develop an interest in conserving our natural resources.

### *Club Projects*

- ✚ Monthly Artistic Design
- ✚ Monthly Horticulture Exhibits
- ✚ Horticulture Project

### *Community Involvement*

- ✚ Decorate a designated area in the *Theodore Roosevelt National Inaugural Site* for their annual Victorian Christmas celebration
  - ✚ *Junior Master Gardener Program* for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade students at Edison Elementary School
  - ✚ *Brighton Place* – Program Presentations and decoration of display case for National Garden Month

### *Civic Beautification*

- ✚ The Town Highway Department and Ken-Sheriton GC plant a tree to celebrate Arbor Day and to designate the Town as a Tree City, USA.
- ✚ "Litter" Clean Up along Ellicott Creek Park of garbage and debris during September

## MONTHLY PROGRAMS AND EVENTS



**May 9, 2017**

Program at 7:00pm

**“THINK GREEN, THINK SPRING”**

**Presented by Dorothy Julius**

**Co-Owner of Along Garden’s Path**

An eco-friendly program using natural materials to decorate your home; recycling and gardening tips.

**May 20, 2017**

**Ken-Sheriton 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Plant Sale**

Zion United Church of Christ

15 Koenig Circle

Tonawanda, NY 14150

9:00am – 2:00pm



**Perennials**

**Annuals**

**Basket Raffle**

**Garden Items**

**Master Gardeners**

will provide soil testing for a \$2 donation per sample.

**June 13, 2017**

Program at 7:00pm

**“CONTAINER GARDENING”**

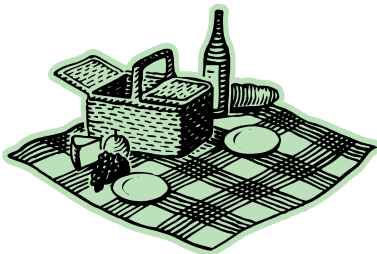
**Presented by: Lyn Chimera**

**Cornell University Affiliated Master Gardener;**

**author for After 50 Magazine, Upstate Gardener's**

**Journal.**

How to plant and care for a container; plant choices along with a power point presentation of creative ideas for containers.

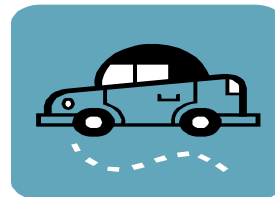


**July 11, 2017**

**Club Picnic**

And Business Meeting

At a members home.



**July 18, 2017**

**A Tuesday Excursion to  
“The Snail’s Place”**

6550 Seneca Street, Elma, NY

Fun with Fruit - A floral and vegetable demonstration.



**August 8, 2017**

Program at 7:00PM

**“HOW TO HAVE A CONTINUOUSLY  
BLOOMING GARDEN”**

**Presented by: Julie McIndoo**

**Master Gardener, owner/operator McIndoo  
Farms and Flowers**

Julie will share her knowledge of plants that provide blooms throughout the growing season.

**September 12, 2017**

Program at 7:00PM

**“BUGS AND HOW THEY ENHANCE  
YOUR GARDEN”**

**Presented by: MaryJane Bolo**

**Master Gardener; owner/operator  
The Lords Garden”**

A discussion of insects, including pollinators,  
and touching on the plants that attract them.



**October 7, 2017**

**Excursion to Graycliff**

A Frank Lloyd Wright architectural design on Lake Erie.

**“Fall Harvest, The Bounty of Your Landscape”** - Learn how to pick and arrange from plants in your landscape or from foraged, natural materials. Harvest seeds with Graycliff Horticulturist Nell Gardner, taking home your own seed kit and seeds. Nell will also discuss and demonstrate tuber, bulb, and root harvesting. Dress for weather conditions and extensive walking. Workshop will take place both indoors and out, rain or shine. Tour begins at 10am. \$30/person.



**October 10, 2017**

Program at 7:00PM

**“LEAF MANIPULATION”**

**Presented by Annette Kuhn**, Design Judge Intern  
and **Diane Wolfe**, Artistic Design Chair

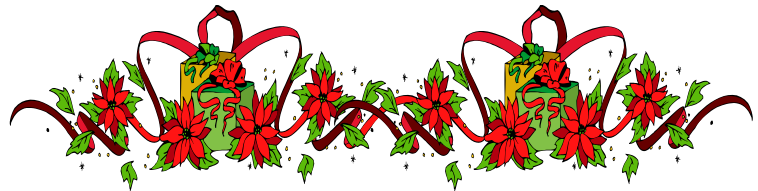
Do you want to add another dimension to your artistic designs? Learn how to manipulate leaves that will give your creations that added pizzaz.





**November 14, 2017**  
**Program at 7:00PM**  
**“GET CRAFTY WITH YOUR GARDEN”**  
**Presented by: Connie Oswald Stofko**  
**Editor: [buffalo-niagaragardening.com](http://buffalo-niagaragardening.com)**  
 Connie will share ideas for items you can make *for* your garden as well as *from* your garden.

**December 9, 2017**  
**ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON**  
**No Meeting**



**January 2018**  
**WELCOME...2018**  
**No Meeting**

**February 13, 2018**  
**Program at 7:00PM**  
**“GROWING YOUR OWN PLANTS FROM SEEDS”**  
**Presented by: Linda Blyth**  
**Gardener for over 30 years; co-owner of Song 'n Bird Gardens; member & past president of Kenmore Garden Club; editor of Figure 8; participant in National Garden Festival & Ken-Ton Garden Tour**  
 Linda will explain how and why we would want to grow our own plants from seeds.



**March 13, 2018**  
**Program at 7:00PM**  
**“LESS IS BEST”**  
**Presented by: Diane Wolfe**  
**Artistic Design Chair**  
 A demonstration on how to construct a **Minimal** arrangement that makes use of space as a design element, after which you have the opportunity to make-your-own.

**April 10, 2018**  
**Program at 7:00PM**  
**"EVERYTHING HYDRANGEA"**

**Presented by: Carol Ann Harlos**

**Garden writer, speaker, Master Gardener, herbalist,  
gardening magazine editor, featured on local television.**  
Tips on how to grow, prune and care for your hydrangea plants.



***GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!!***

***PLEASE JOIN US FOR ONE OR MORE OF OUR INTERESTING  
PROGRAMS. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON!!!***

***Contact our membership chair, Susanne Bordonaro at  
716-875-5131 for further information.***