

Registration Form

Name(s): _____

Email: _____

(confirmation will be sent via email if one is provided)

Cost: **\$40 includes morning refreshments and lunch.**

Make checks payable to
Gloucester County Certified Gardeners Assoc.
and mail to:

Sheri DeFrance
Office of Government Services Bldg. E, Suite 7
1200 North Delsea Drive
Clayton, NJ 08312



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Gloucester County Certified Gardeners

Horticultural Symposium

April 1, 2016

8:30 am - 3:00 pm
at

Office of Government Service Bldg.
1200 North Delsea Drive
Bldg. A
Clayton, NJ 08312

Cost: \$40

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Symposium Morning Agenda

8:30-9:30am *Registration* and light morning refreshments

9:30-10:30am *Bruce Crawford*
“Twenty-Five Commonly Used Plants and Alternatives”



11:00-12:15pm *Louise D. Clarke*
“Nature Nurtures” The Power of Plants



12:30-1:15pm *Lunch* will be provided
(subs, wraps, salad and soup)

1:00-2:30pm *Heather Hotaling-Giglio*
“Hemerocallis” - Care, culture and selection of daylilies will be discussed.



2:30pm *Door Prizes and Auction*

There will also be a variety of plants for sale.

Symposium Speakers Bios

Bruce Crawford - of Rutgers Gardens

Bruce Crawford, Director of Rutgers Gardens had his own garden design business for nearly 25 years that specialized in plantings for year-round interest. Today, Bruce is the Director of Rutgers Gardens, the botanical garden for Rutgers University, and is an adjunct professor in Landscape Architecture at Rutgers University. His position as Director of Rutgers Gardens involves the management of the 180 acre facility, which includes designed gardens, woodlands, and open fields.

Louise D. Clarke - of Morris Arboretum

Today, Clarke oversees the Arboretum’s 65-acre Bloomfield Farm section, which includes more than 1,200 trees and shrubs, two green roofs and a community garden. And while she has the help of a part-time intern.

Her favorite job is tending the green roofs, where she experiments with plants to determine which ones are best suited to green roof culture in our region.

In addition to her duties out in the field, Clarke teaches classes, runs workshops and writes for Seasons (the Arboretum’s publication). She appreciates the role the Arboretum plays within the University as a resource for sustainability and community leadership.

Heather Hotaling-Giglio - of Willow Rock Gardens, LLC

Heather has been a gardener for almost 40 years. Her first garden contained a willow branch, some “pretty weeds” and of course, her favorite plant the common orange daylily-Hemerocallis Fulva that she got from her grandfathers farm. In September 2009, Willow Rock Gardens LLC began taking form, with the gardens being moved from upstate NY to Clayton, Delaware. This was no easy task as the collection of daylilies alone was 1300 VARIETIES.

Heather is a member of several Daylily Clubs from New Jersey to Georgia and is a member of the American Hemerocallis Society (AHS). She became the first AHS Display Garden and Historic Garden in Delaware with displaying daylilies going back past the 1800’s. The gardens have grown to over 4300 varieties of daylilies in over 90 themed beds. It is believed the collection is the largest on the Eastern Seaboard, if not the United States.