

Delight in Six Inspiring Private Gardens with “En Plein Air” Painters, Garden Vendors, and a Raffle of Must-Have Plants and Prizes

The Charlotte Garden Club is back with our annual Art in the Garden Tour! You'll enjoy a relaxing day or two visiting these amazing gardens in Sherwood Forest, Kingswood, Royden, Washington Heights, Touchstone Village and Ballantyne. All ticket holders are invited to a complimentary After-Tour Party on Sunday, May 15 from 4 - 6 PM at Mint Museum Randolph, where we are a proud affiliate.

Save On Admission

Become a Charlotte Garden Club member and enjoy a \$10 discount on admission to our 2022 Garden Tour PLUS enjoy an amazing lineup of nationally-known horticulture experts at our 2022-23 meetings. Memberships begin at \$35; join at www.CharlotteGardenClub.com.

Ticket Pricing

Advance tickets are \$20 for Charlotte Garden Club and Mint Museum members, \$30 for the public. Children free up to age 17. Discounted advance pricing ends midnight on Friday, May 13; on tour days tickets are \$30 for members and \$35 for the public. Sorry, no refunds.

Raffle of Garden Treasures

Tickets are \$5; buy online or in our Royden garden until 4 PM Saturday, May 14. Win beautiful perennials, shrubs, planters, birdhouses, garden art and more! Winners are randomly selected for each prize on Sunday, May 15 at 1 PM; winners need not be present.

About Charlotte Garden Club

Founded in 1926, our purpose is to expand for the next generation the love and knowledge of gardening through monthly lectures Sep. - Apr. at Mint Museum Randolph. We are a 501(c)(3) non-profit, Fed ID #57-0729180.



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After-Tour Party

Free for all ticket holders: Join us Sunday May 15 from 4 - 6 PM at Mint Museum Randolph. All tourgoers are invited to enjoy wine, appetizers and a showcase of our plein-air artists' paintings to buy.

Tips for Tourgoers

- We tour RAIN OR SHINE. Casual attire and flat-heeled shoes suggested for optimal exploring.
- Children welcome; up to age 17 are free. Sorry, strollers are not permitted in these private gardens.
- Photos are permitted in all of the gardens.



2022 Art IN THE Garden Tour

The Charlotte Garden Club and The Mint Museum Present



2022 Art IN THE
Garden Tour

SATURDAY, MAY 14 &
SUNDAY, MAY 15

After-Tour Party & Art Show
at Mint Museum Randolph

100% Outdoors!
100% Inspiring!
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Visit our gardens in ANY order

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A **PAT & JOHN MARSON**
5343 ROBINHOOD ROAD, 28211

SHERWOOD FOREST Four years ago, the Marsons had the back yard bulldozed, saving the large trees and azaleas. John had visions of a workshop/carport, and Pat saw a canvas for a joyful shade-dappled garden. A self-taught painter, Pat's creativity is on display: hand-made elephant ear pavers, crafty plant markers, a driveway mural, and more. John's carpentry skills are top notch; the screened porch, custom fences and "man cave" are his handiwork. Pat's eye for tree lawn "discards" adds upcycled flair (see her trellises and planters) to their relaxing oasis. *LOOK FOR: Plein-air painters, and a henhouse.*

B **JOEY & AUSTIN PELLEGRIN-WEBB**
2317 CELIA AVENUE, 28216

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS - PARK AT SCHOOL ACROSS THE STREET This charming garden is packed with cutting-edge horticulture trends: pollinator hotels, a pop up greenhouse, vermicomposting, trellising and a huge variety of heirloom vegetables co-planted with perennials. Since moving here in 2019, Joey & Austin transformed their plot into distinct rooms by installing a sunken entertainment glade, fountains, stone-edged beds and gravel paths. This busy duo maximized every inch for an inventive plant tapestry with blooms, texture and foliage galore. *LOOK FOR: Wares from Carolina Lavender Farm.*

C **KATHLEEN PROKAY**
4100 MOORLAND DRIVE, 28226

ROYDEN This sunny garden surrounding a pool explodes with masses of blooms that attract pollinators. Living here since her marriage in 2006, Kathleen began helping in her fiancé's splendid garden during courtship. She learned much and uses her green thumb to maintain the beds, containers and flowering trees that she and her late husband lovingly planted. Perennials love it here: "volunteers" from established beds often pop up in new spots. From blackberries to a fern grotto, enjoy the many surprises in Kathy's four-season garden. *LOOK FOR: Stewart's Village Gallery, The Happy Hosta, TreesCharlotte* **RAFFLE ITEMS HERE**

D **TOM NUNNENKAMP & LIB JONES**
4255 KINGSWOOD ROAD, 28226

KINGSWOOD MapleWalk Garden is an arboretum of unusual trees, shrubs and perennials. Featuring over 90 Japanese maple varieties (hence its name) plus 65 camellia japonicas and dozens of sasanquas, dogwoods, hellebores and more, this 2.25 acre garden has been Tom & Lib's labor of love for decades. After buying adjacent lots they made major terrain additions including a stone arch, 70 tons of boulders, and building 1,700 feet of stone-lined paths. Along the way, Dr. Larry Mellichamp guided their plant selections. Visit www.maplewalkgarden.com for more details. *LOOK FOR: Plein-air painters.*

E **DONNA & RODGER ADAMS**
6411 CAPE FERRY COURT, 28277

TOUCHSTONE VILLAGE Donna's garden is a species-rich wonderland, home to many spring ephemerals, hostas, and shade-loving plants. She's lovingly tended this glade for the last 20 years, undaunted by paralysis that limits her mobility on one side. Once she finished her woodland oasis, Donna's "can do" spirit envisioned a pollinator's paradise, and led this expert gardener to become a beekeeper! As her love of conifers grew, she created a morning sun garden, too. An owl family often roosts in her trees; owlets have been seen jumping in the branches. *LOOK FOR: Plein-air painters, carnivorous plants.*

F **MACK & DEBORAH MOORE CLARK**
10314 RIESLING COURT, 28277

BALLANTYNE In 1999, this garden began with raised herb beds. As Deborah studied her yard's contours and light, beds took shape. In 2008, dry stone replaced grass paths, a dry creek bed was added for run-off, and granite bridges were installed. Deborah designed the hardscaping; The Stone Man did the beautiful install. The jewel-tone palette uses char- treuse for contrast, purple to soften, and evergreens as anchors. As the garden shade has spread, the Clarks have replaced their herbaceous perennials with lower-care woody plants that thrive in less sun. *LOOK FOR: A plein-air painter.*

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