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December 7 • Regular Meeting

Hostesses: *Angel Griesemer, Joy Griffin, Joyce Grove, Karin Heaton, Margie Henson, Maxine Hooks

Program: "English Gardens"

Guest Speaker: Theresa Friday

Bio: Theresa is the Santa Rosa County's Environmental Horticulture Agent. Her focus is to teach County residents how to create and maintain environmentally friendly landscapes. These Florida friendly landscapes minimize water use, reduce storm water run off and decrease potential pollutants. She also coordinates the Santa Rosa County Master Gardener volunteer program. Volunteers complete an intensive course to learn about gardening. These trained volunteers then advise County residents on proper horticultural techniques. Theresa is a graduate of the University of Florida with a degree in Environmental Horticulture and is currently working on her master's in Agriculture Communication and Education. She has been at the Santa Rosa County Extension Service since 2001.

December 7 • Christmas Party

Soundside. More details as they unfold.

December 11 • Fun with Flowers Workshop

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic: "Celebrating the Season" - holiday and seasonal designs/ideas. Class fee of \$20 includes lecture, demonstrations, supplies and hands-on workshop. \$5 additional for lunch. Take home your own floral creation. Please register not later than December 1. This workshop is taught by Gina Jogan, and is open to the public.

December 14 • "Light Up Your Life"

A caravan tour to see the Christmas lights of the Navarre and Gulf Breeze areas for our members who no longer drive at night. A Christmas Celebration Get-Together will follow. (More details as they unfold.)

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January 4 • Regular Meeting

Hostesses: *Carolyn Igo, Jane Jackson, Kathy Jerram, Robbie Johannesen, Lee Jones, Nell Jordan

Program: "Native Plants and Wildflowers"

Guest Speaker: Carolyn Whitmer

Bio: Carolyn has served as President of the Pensacola Federation of Garden Clubs where she is a very active member. She has served as Director of District I and chairman of a number of different committees. Carolyn is currently the District's Wekiva Chairman. She has served as FFGC Bartram Trail Chairman, Landscape Design Critics Liaison, and Assistant Editor of "The Florida Gardener" where she has advanced to the position of Editor. Carolyn is an Accredited Flower Show Judge, a Life Member of both FFGC and National Garden Clubs, Inc. and, she is also in FFGC's Hall of Fame.

January 15 • Celebrating Arbor Day with a FREE Tree Giveaway.

Trees are supplied by International Paper Company. Time and Place: 9:00 a.m., Navarre Park. (State Arbor Day is actually January 21).

January 21 • Celebrating Arbor Day with a Community Tree Planting Ceremony.

Time and Place to be determined.

January 22 • Fun with Flowers Workshop

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic: "Picture Perfect Parties". A Mardi Gras design will be made to take home. Class fee of \$20 includes lecture, demonstrations, supplies and hands-on workshop. \$5 additional for lunch. Please register not later than January 11. This workshop is taught by Gina Jogan, and is open to the public

January 25 • Executive Board Meeting

9:00 a.m.

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February 1 • Regular Meeting

Hostesses: *Karen Luttrell, Jae Mandigo, Linda Marshall, Jean Matters, Simonne Pelley

Program: "Birds"

Guest Speaker: Rebecca Rushing

Bio: Rebecca worked five years with Dauphin Island Sea Lab (Dauphin Island, AL) as a scientific consultant/research biologist. She focused her research on sea grass ecology and marine invertebrates and also functioned as a lab assistant with their K-12th grade Discovery Hall Program. From 1992-1997 she was Curator of Education at The Zoo in Gulf Breeze and then Education Programs Manager at The Emporium Science Center in Mobile, AL. From 1999 through December of 2003 she ran her own company called Kids Edventures, teaching preschool enrichment programs throughout Gulf Breeze and Navarre. She then accepted the additional position of Director of the Navarre United Methodist Preschool and School age program until December 2003 when she decided to take a position as Park Services Specialist.

February 5 • Mardi Gras Parade

Navarre Beach. More information to follow.

February 14 • Sweetheart's Luncheon

Navarre Community Center, 11:30 a.m. We honor our members who do not have a "sweetheart" in their lives either through death or divorce.

February 22 • Executive Board Meeting

9:00 a.m.

February 26 • Fun with Flowers Workshop

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic: "Making Your Own Flowers". Learn how to make our own flowers from other dried plant materials-Contrived Flowers. \$20 fee covers lecture, demonstrations, supplies and hands-on workshop. \$5 additional for lunch. Take home your own floral creation. Please register not later than February 16. This workshop is taught by Gina Jogan, and is open to the public.

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March 1 • Regular Meeting

Hostesses: *Mary Peterzen, Laura Peugh, Dorothy Reynolds, Cliffogene Stillwell, Ann Tindell, Lee Van Deventer

Program: "Miniature Designs"

Guest Speaker: Mazie Glover

Bio: Mazie served the Gulf Area Garden Club as President and Treasurer. She served on the FFGC State Board as Parks, Memorial Garden Pilgrimage, Scenic Route Chairman. She's also served as Chairman of 1990 & 1994 State Conventions. She is a Master Flower Show Judge, been Flower Show Judges Council District I Director, and has served as Treasurer. She is a life member of both FFGC and National Garden Clubs, Inc., and is in FFGC's Hall of Fame.

March 8 • Beach Walking Tour

Meet at the Navarre Beach Public Parking Lot at 9:00 a.m. to walk with Rebecca Rushing. (In case of inclement weather, alternate date is April 15.) We will walk along and learn about plant adaptation, beach/dune ecology, creatures (if any), and surely there will be birds, sand fiddlers, etc., or signs of them. Wear sunscreen, comfortable shoes, and bring water.

March 12 • Workshop on Horticulture

Guest Speaker: Leona Venettozzi

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic to be announced. This workshop is FREE and open to the public.

March 19 • Fun with Flowers Workshop

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic: "What Can You Do with One Bunch?" Ways to use a single bunch of flowers. \$20 fee covers lecture, demonstrations, supplies and hands-on workshop. \$5 additional for lunch. Take home your own floral creation. Please register not later than March 9. This workshop is taught by Gina Jogan, and is open to the public.

March 29 • Executive Board Meeting

9:00 a.m.

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April 1- 3 • Annual Emerald Coast Garden and Flower Festival, Milton, FL

April 5 • Regular Meeting

Hostesses: *Barbara Warriner, Yolonda Washington, Kathleen Wells, Jackie Willis

Program: "Recycling"

Guest Speaker: Rick Harris

Bio: Rick is a lifelong resident of Santa Rosa County. He was born and raised in the Pace area and lived about 15 years in the Oriole Beach area, but now lives in Pea Ridge. He and his wife, Marcia, have five children and three grandchildren. He has been employed with Santa Rosa County Public Works Department since April of 1992. Prior to that, he spent many years in welding and heavy equipment construction. In February of 1995, he had the privilege of becoming the Recycle Operations Manager for Santa Rosa County.

April 8 • Annual Tasting Luncheon

Including Plant and Bake Sale held at the Comfort Inn Conference Center, Navarre. Our big fund-raiser for the year. (Date may change.)

April 15 • Field Trip Alternate Makeup Date

Walking Tour on the Beach - Rebecca Rushing.

April 16 • The Great American Cleanup

Meet at 8:00 a.m. in Navarre Park. Wear sunscreen, comfortable shoes, and bring gloves and water.

April 23 • Fun with Flowers Workshop

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic: "Contrived Containers and Corsages". \$20 fee covers lecture, demonstrations, supplies and hands-on workshop. \$5 additional for lunch. Take home your own floral creation. Please register not later than April 13th. This workshop is taught by Gina Jogan, and is open to the public.

April 26 • Executive Board Meeting
9:00 a.m.

April 29 & 30 • FFGC Convention
Tampa, FL

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May 3 • Installation Luncheon

Cowboy's Restaurant

May 5 • Spring District I Meeting

Ft. Walton Gulf Area GC, Hosting

May 28 • Fun with Flowers Workshop

9:00 a.m. until Noon at the Navarre Community Center. Topic: "Topiary Design". \$20 fee covers lecture, demonstrations, supplies and hands-on workshop. \$5 additional for lunch. Take home your own unique design. Please register not later than May 18th. This workshop is taught by Gina Jogan, and is open to the public.

May 30 • Pensacola Flower Show

May 31 • Executive Board Meeting

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June 1-3 • GADS

Gainesville, FL

June 5-11 • National Garden Week

Members Garden Tour and A Small Standard Flower Show at the Navarre Library

June 7 • Budget Ratification Meeting

June 9-11 • Navarre Garden Club Flower Show

Navarre Branch Library

June 28 • Executive Board Meeting

Trip to Tallahassee Nursery

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Executive Board Meeting

President's Summit

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