



Growing Great Gardens

Program Schedule

8:00-9:00 a.m. **Registration and MarketPlace (coffee, tea, pastries)**

9:00-10:15 a.m. **Welcome and Morning Keynote, Iris Lee Underwood**

Lavender Romance: One woman's passion for growing...in Michigan. *Passion is the developing force behind Yule Love It Lavender Farm, the first organic lavender farm in Metro-Detroit compliant with the National Organic Program. Iris is the founder of a developing lavender farm on three rolling acres in northeast Oakland County, dedicated to growing lavender, lovely gardens and good health. www.yuleloveitlavender.com*

Of hardy Irish blood and Appalachian pluck, Iris tells the story behind the sweeping vistas of Yule Love It Lavender Farm. A transplant from Kentucky to Michigan in 1953, she shares her childlike faith and those who influenced her, helped to build her character to dream largely, and to ultimately envision and develop a lavender farm.

10:15-10:30 a.m. **Break and Shopping**

10:30-11:30 a.m. **Classes 1-6 (see Classes and Instructors)**

11:30-12:15 a.m. **Lunch, MarketPlace & ShowPlace**

12:15-1:15 p.m. **Classes 7-12 (see Classes and Instructors)**

1:15-1:30 p.m. **Break and Shopping**

1:30-2:30 p.m. **Afternoon Keynote, George Papadelis, Telly's Greenhouse**

Plants and the Papadelis Story: What's New for 2010!

No celebration of the entrepreneurial gardener would be complete without the Papadelis story. Telly's Greenhouse is a family owned and operated greenhouse and garden center that has grown in Troy for more than three decades.

In addition to introducing the latest in 2010 plant selections, George will give us a short history of how the family grew and developed the greenhouse, garden center and nursery into the place renowned for their exceptional service, high quality and wide selection of plants.

2:30-3:15 p.m. **Wrap up, Door Prizes, Raffle and Evaluations**

3:15-4:00 p.m. **MarketPlace and Share & ShowPlace**