



# BEYOND THE GARDEN GATES GARDEN TOUR

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Green-walled Garden Club



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July 4

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### **COMPETITION & AUCTION**

December 5

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December 7 & 8

### **KRIS KRINGLE PROCESSION**

December 13

### **FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS**

December 20

Celebrate Frederick is a private, non-profit corporation working in conjunction with The City of Frederick's Office of Special Events to coordinate 11 annual events. Celebrate Frederick's mission is to nurture a strong sense of community through the coordination of special events in The City of Frederick.



## The Garden Tour Committee and the Green-walled Garden Club welcome you to the annual Beyond The Garden Gates Garden Tour.

Originally held as a fundraiser for the Holidays in Historic Frederick Committee, the Beyond The Garden Gates Garden Tour became its own entity in 1994. Since then, the committee has experienced great success, largely due to a partnership developed with four local garden clubs: The Garden Club of Frederick, The Green-walled Garden Club, The Men's Garden Club of Frederick and Tasker's Chance Garden Club. Each club assists in coordinating the tour on a rotational basis and earns a portion of the profits. The committee's share of the proceeds is donated annually to a local non-profit organization.

While visiting the gardens, organizers invite tour goers to enjoy the ambience provided by plein air painters in many of the spaces. These generous individuals have donated their time to enhance the overall charm of the tour. The planning committee would like to offer their appreciation to these talented artists.

During the tour guests are invited to visit the Hospitality Center located in historic City Hall, 101 N. Court Street. Light, complimentary refreshments courtesy of Roy Rogers and restrooms will be available at this location from Noon to 5 PM both days of the tour.

We would like to extend thanks and praise to our featured gardens this year. Each winter season brings its own unique challenges that owners do not anticipate when agreeing to participate in the tour. Each owner tackles these challenges head on to assist in creating another unique and memorable tour.



# GARDEN TOUR ETIQUETTE

These gardens are the result of countless hours of dedication and hard work, visitors are asked to help preserve the beauty of these spaces by following a few simple guidelines:

- Please remain on paths and follow hosts' directions through the garden.
- Please do not walk through the gardens with high heels or push a stroller.
- Please prevent children from picking flowers.



Our garden homeowners and caretakers  
thank you in advance for your cooperation!

## TOUR DISCLAIMER & WAIVER

*By using a ticket or tickets to the Beyond the Garden Gates Garden Tour (hereinafter referred to as the Garden Tour) and taking part in the event, I acknowledge that I may encounter the normal risks of injury or harm associated with outdoor events, nature, and social activities in general.*

*In consideration for my participation in this event, I release and forever discharge The City of Frederick, Celebrate Frederick, Inc., DBA, The Beyond the Garden Gates Garden Tour Committee and Homeowners, and agree not to sue them or any of their affiliates, employees, representatives, or successors, and Celebrate Frederick's officers, board, contractors, and employees, jointly and severally from any and all actions, causes of actions, claims and demands for, upon or by reason of any damage, loss or injury, which hereafter may be sustained by participating in the Garden Tour. I understand and agree that this event release and waiver of liability shall be binding upon my heirs, assigns and any personal entity acting upon my behalf, and shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Maryland.*

# The Garden of Lisa Hammill Arendt & Jeff Arendt

1326 North Market Street

A custom double-leaf gate with window views into the garden welcomes visitors and invites exploration, while a steel arbor protects the tranquility contained within. Gathering places are plentiful in this charming space, and include a bluestone patio reminiscent of Nantucket. Continuing, visitors encounter a bit of Maine-inspired hospitality in the fire pit area with a hand-hammered steel fire bowl and a modern aluminum custom swing structure placed under the canopy of a native giant willow oak. Guests are encouraged to take special note of custom sculptures, as well as unique conversation pieces such as an antique granite cocoa bean crusher from the Hershey Chocolate Factory. The homeowners enjoy evenings spent with wine in hand, enjoying the breeze, listening to the sounds and watching the subtle water waves make their way down the slab into the basin below.



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## The Garden at Evangelical Lutheran Church

31 East Church Street

A space equally suitable for quiet contemplation, community fellowship or childish laughter, this garden is open to all who pass by. A part of the Frederick community for over 275 years, the grounds of the church feature numerous memorial gardens supported by members of the congregation. As guests tour the space, plaques identify areas such as the *Garden of Love and Faith*, *Children's Garden* and *Forgiveness Garden*. Markers, statues and benches provide insight in to the individuals, groups or events being honored in each area. Pieces of the church's long history can be glimpsed throughout the gardens. A slate roof tile from 1879, salvaged during renovations in 1979, serves as a garden marker for the *Serenity Garden*. Original tombstones from the 1700's and early 1800's can be found in the *Meditation Garden* and the *Garden of Faith*. This calming space is tended by a group of volunteers called the Garden Angels.

# The Garden of Frank & Mary Anne Cooling

135 East 3rd Street

This garden's most prominent feature is an eye-catching, uniquely shaped fish pond containing approximately twenty varieties of fish, as well as water lilies and other water plant life. The pond is surrounded by evergreen trees and ferns. Just beyond the pond is a grassy area surrounded by azaleas and shrubs. To the left of the garden is a female holly, surrounded by additional azaleas, annuals and perennials. Beside the holly tree is a small plot with vibrant roses and a variety of perennials.



# The Garden of the Turk Family

22 East 3rd Street

Many of the best gardens are hidden from view, and this outdoor space is no exception. Just outside the rear kitchen door is a quaint summer porch perfect for viewing the garden, saying a quick hello to neighbors or listening to urban wildlife. The space, designed and built by Oldetowne Landscape Architects, was inspired by the Turk's love for outdoor dining and entertaining. Large neighboring trees provide a haven for squirrels, which bring a certain life and entertainment to the space. Large Oakleaf Hydrangeas are elevated in the garden by two dry-stacked limestone walls. Mature Crape Myrtle shade a mass bed of Astilbe, and cradles the garden with its weeping bows. In the summer months you can find the homeowners' grandchildren catching fire flies while hopping from stone to stone through the mosaic of shade plant material. This small garden truly is a hidden gem!

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# The Healing Garden at Bonita Maas Park

7 West 2nd Street

A small urban park nestled between historic townhomes; this charming garden is a hidden gem in the landscape of downtown Frederick. Walking through a set of iron gates, visitors will be greeted by a bricked courtyard with sheltering trees and peaceful seating areas. The newest addition to the park is courtesy of Friends of the Child Advocacy Center. With the goal of commemorating children from the Frederick community that have lost their lives due to child abuse, the group is installing a healing garden. The garden will include specially designed, child-friendly whispering benches, as well as memorial pavers. Whispering benches have tubes built in so that someone whispering into the tube on one end of the bench can be heard at the other end. This distinctive park is maintained in partnership by Friends of the Child Advocacy Center and The City of Frederick.



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## The Garden of Theresa & Doug Gardiner

212 Rockwell Terrace

This modern, yet classic, garden overlooks Memorial Park, a peaceful public space that features memorials to World War I, World War II, the Korean War, Vietnam War, D-Day Invasion and George Washington. Whether it be enjoying a leisurely dip in the swimming pool or listening to the Sunday evening Summer Concert Series performances at the Baker Park Band Shell, the Gardiners take great pleasure in sharing the space with family and friends. The garden offers a variety of plant life, including stunning Spirea White Gold, vibrant Japanese Maples, boxwood, and a rich, green 60-year-old Boxwood Fastigiata. Travertine pavers surround the pool area, which features a large fountain. The garden creates the perfect backdrop for warm summer evenings in downtown Frederick.



# GARDEN MAP

## GARDENS

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The Garden of Nyk Englander

### **303 College Place**

The Garden of Margaret & Don Hindman

### **301 College Place**

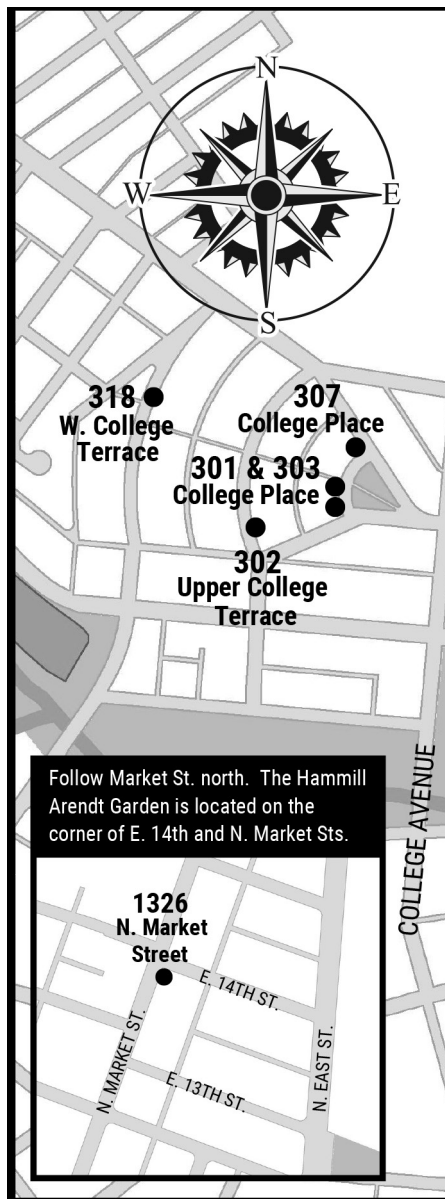
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The Garden of Tom Meacham & Diane Ferren

### **318 W. College Terrace**

The Garden of Peter Brehm & Jack Day





## MAP KEY



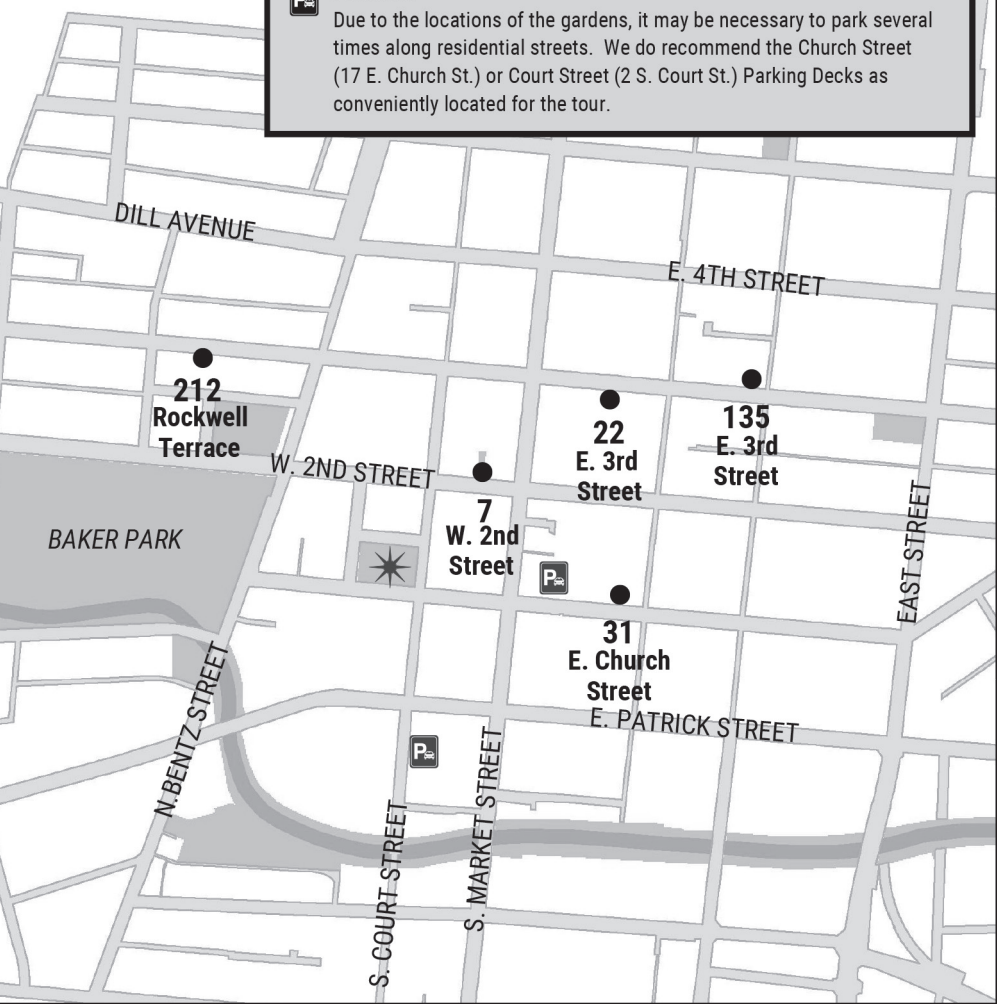
### HOSPITALITY CENTER

Located at Frederick City Hall, 101 N. Court Street. Enjoy complimentary refreshments courtesy of Roy Rogers. Restrooms available.



### PARKING

Due to the locations of the gardens, it may be necessary to park several times along residential streets. We do recommend the Church Street (17 E. Church St.) or Court Street (2 S. Court St.) Parking Decks as conveniently located for the tour.



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# The Garden of Nyk Englander

307 College Place



This casual yet eclectic garden serves as a pollination station for honey production. Barbecues, hammock lounging, and evenings by the fire pit are also warm-weather favorites. A variety of plant life bloom throughout the seasons, including beech trees, ironwood saplings, cork screw hazel, perennials and annuals for color. A circular pond with a fountain is home to iris, lilies, and fish. A large, winding paver patio leads to bee hives, where fresh honey is harvested throughout the summer season.



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# The Garden of Margaret & Don Hindman

303 College Place

This inviting garden is a wonderful spot to entertain friends and chat with passers-by. Native perennials, which thrive on the sunny side of the backyard, were chosen primarily for their value to birds, bees and butterflies as sources of shelter, food, and breeding sites. Non-native favorites include hydrangeas and azaleas. Dozens of species of native bees gather nectar and pollen from early spring through late fall. It is a special thrill when the monarchs, swallowtails, and other butterflies arrive in mid-summer. Shaded areas that feature ferns and other woodland vegetation surround a large, old silver maple, named county co-champion "Big Tree" in 2015. This garden boasts both bay-wise and pollinator friendly certifications from the Maryland Master Gardener Program.

# The Garden of Bob & Carol Lewis

301 College Place



Good environmental practices, along with providing food and water for wildlife, are the primary focus of gardening for the Lewis family. Composting and lasagna gardening enrich the soil. Lasagna gardening is a no-dig, no-till organic garden method that results in rich, fluffy soil with minimal work from the gardener. Layers of organic material are added to the garden and “cook down” over time, resulting in a soil that is ideal for plants to thrive. Native plants, milkweed and other flowers can also be found in abundance, attracting Monarch butterflies as well as other pollinators.

Side and back porches, and a stone and brick patio, serve as welcoming gathering places for family and neighbors. The family also enjoys the benefits of fresh produce and herbs for their kitchen.



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# The Garden of Tom Meacham & Diane Ferren

302 Upper College Terrace

This whimsical, cottage garden is nestled in the outskirts of Downtown Frederick. Imagine yourself enjoying a late spring brunch on the patio, or exploring the secret alleyway in this charming space. The garden is ornamented with bluebells and bleeding hearts, and features mature boxwood and a topiary caterpillar. The garden is also adorned with azaleas, rhododendrons, and six Japanese Maples, and is home to larger trees such as a London Plane, Lindens, and a Pin Oak. The family enjoys strolling along the scenic walkway and birdwatching; or simply relaxing on the patio after a long day.



# The Garden of Peter Brehm & Jack Day

318 West College Terrace

Originally designed by a garden professional, this Country style garden has since been enhanced by the homeowners. Boasting an impressive variety of trees, visitors will find an Okame cherry, several types of magnolia, a three-story native holly tree, Japanese Sno-bell, Katsura, Venus dogwood, and Green and Purple ash trees that are being treated to prevent infestation by the Emerald Ash Borer. A treat for the senses, the lush landscape also features over 10,000 spring bulbs and a budding rose garden. Typical of Country style landscaping, the space is also home to a vegetable garden that yields a delicious bounty of home grown flavor. An extension of the homeowners' living space, the garden invites meandering strolls along a charming brick walkway and lazy afternoons on the patio. An enchanting space filled with myriad fragrances (ask about the viburnum, sweet box and daphne!) and color, this lovely garden is maintained and nurtured by the homeowners.



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## A Note from the Green-walled Garden Club, the 2019 planning partner for the Beyond the Garden Gates Garden Tour.

Established in 1956, the Green-walled Garden Club started with 12 women who collaborated to meet the criteria of the Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland and the National Council. As a result of their efforts, the club joined Maryland's 5th district in 1958. Inspired by John Greenleaf Whittier's famous poem, "Barbara Fritchie," the club created the name Green-walled from a line in the poem. The club currently has 28 active members and 14 associate members.

Members of the Green-walled Garden Club actively support civic projects in Frederick City and the outlying county. They help beautify Frederick by contributing to various projects, including:

- Financial and committee support for Flowers over Frederick, a beautification project to fund hanging baskets that adorn light posts in downtown Frederick;
- Maintenance of public gardens on 6th and 7th streets;
- Youth therapy at Rock Creek School. Rock Creek School features individualized special education programming for students with severe intellectual, physical, emotional, hearing, visual and learning disabilities from age 3 to 21;
- Landscape contributions for the Delaplaine Visual Arts Education Center, Montevue Assisted Living facility, Catoctin Creek Nature Center, Fountain Rock Park and Nature Center, The Frederick County School's Arboretum and The Healing Garden at Bonita Maas Park;
- Partnerships with Catoctin Furnace Historical Society and Silver Oak;
- Academy to create a vegetable and herb gardens, as well as a butterfly garden, at the Way Station, Inc.;
- Financial support for the Culler Lake renovation and the Carroll Creek Linear Park in downtown Frederick.

In addition, the club participates in Celebrate Frederick's annual Candlelight House Tour, transforming a private home into a holiday treat inside and out with fresh greens and seasonal décor. The organization is proud of the efforts and contributions they have been able to make in Frederick thus far and, with your support of the Garden Tour, hope to continue these efforts in the future.



# GREEN-WALLED GARDEN CLUB

# Craft and Bake Sale

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## IN SCHLEY PARK

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Come join the Green-walled Garden Club as they celebrate spring with a **handmade crafts and home baked goods sale** in Schley Park. Crafts featuring garden motifs include **sachets, wearable art, small handbags, notecards, pretty pillows and specialty yard art**. Planters include **terrariums, succulent and herb gardens**. In addition, **baked goods featuring savory herbs** will provide a welcome treat as you walk from garden to garden.

We hope our beautiful handmade creations become a part of your memories of the Beyond the Garden Gate tour. Come join us in Schley Park!

*Items may be held till end of day while on tour.*

### SCHLEY PARK

Schley Park is an oft-overlooked gem established in 1913 located at the intersection of College Place, N. College Parkway and Rockwell Terrace. The small oasis featured a contest to pick its final name. One of two choices included Scott Key Park, named for Frederick's favorite son, Francis Scott Key of Star-Spangled Banner fame or Schley Park, a nod to another Frederick native Winfield Scott Schley, naval hero of the 1898 Battle of Santiago in the Spanish American War. The latter choice won at the ballot box, and it's been Schley Park for more than a century.

The park created by renowned landscape architect George Elberton Burnap, (1885-1938) who also designed the Washington DC tidal basin with its surrounding cherry trees. Burnap likely took the Frederick job in an effort to spend additional time with his sister Grace, who worked in Hood College's music department.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.historysharkproductions.com/>

# THANK YOU

The Beyond the Garden Gates Garden Tour Committee is a sub-committee of Celebrate Frederick. The committee worked hand in hand with Green-walled Garden Club to organize the self-guided tour you are taking today. Celebrate Frederick would like to thank the following individuals for their commitment to volunteerism and contributing to the success of the tour this year.

**Carol Lewis**, Committee Chair • **Shelley Johnson**, Green-walled Garden Club President  
**Barbara Maghan**, Artists Coordinator • **Lois Loudermilk**, Committee Member  
**Bonita Quashnick**, Committee Member

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# BEYOND THE GARDEN GATES GARDEN TOUR

# TICKET

Advance Ticket - **\$25** | Tour Day Ticket - **\$30**

Advance Package - **\$40** | Tour Day Package - **\$50**

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*Tickets are non-refundable and valid for both days of the tour. Present at the entrance to each garden for admission. Tour will be held rain or shine.*

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