

# MSU Horticulture Garden News

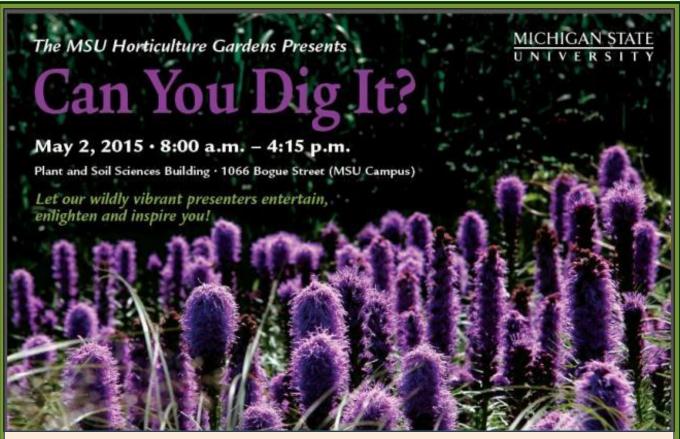
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Let our wildly vibrant presenters entertain, enlighten and inspire you! Whether your interest is sparked by creative design, woodland wonders, plant propagation or herbal recipes, at Spring Program 2015, we will teach you how to **Dig It All!** 

**Barry Glick**, Owner of Sunshine Farm and Gardens and renowned plant guru, will present on "**Woodland Wonders from the Wild**" and "**The Joy of Propagation**". Learn some great new plants and some of the fascinating techniques of plant propagation in these entertaining presentations. Barry will also have many rare and unusual plants for sale during the lunch hour. Go to <a href="http://www.hrt.msu.edu/barry-glick-s-plant-sale/">http://www.hrt.msu.edu/barry-glick-s-plant-sale/</a> for more information

Jessica Wright, Education Coordinator, Michigan 4-H Children's Garden, and Val Albright, Program Associate, MSU Extension, will help you "Cultivate Your Recipe Garden" in this fast-paced tour into your favorite seed catalogs. Learn the best cultivars to match some of their favorite recipes!

**Art Cameron**, Director of the MSU Horticulture Gardens, will take you on an imaginative and colorful journey into the "**Art of Gardening**"! Join Art on this magic carpet ride around the world and right back home to gather ideas for your next creative garden project!

For more information and to register online: <a href="http://www.hrt.msu.edu/spring-program/">http://www.hrt.msu.edu/spring-program/</a>



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## 2015 MSU Plant Sale!

Find unique and common plants for your garden! At the same time, support the MSU Horticulture Gardens! Plan ahead to attend our annual MSU Horticulture Gardens Plant Sale.

Saturday May 16, 2015, 7am to 2pm General Public Sale

Friday May 15, 2015 – Member's Only Sale

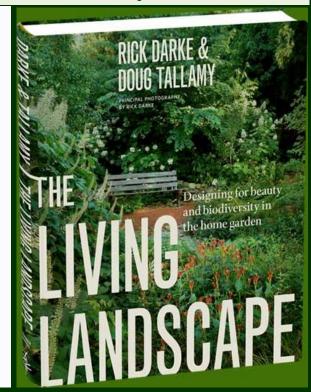
Become an <u>MSU Garden member</u> and participate in this special sale the evening before our general public sale!

## 2015 Garden Day!

#### Saturday August 1

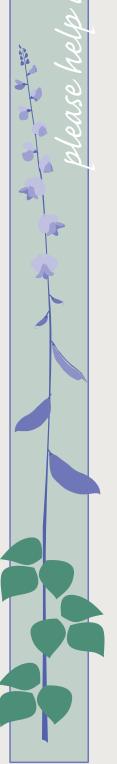
We are very excited to host **Rick Darke** as the key-note speaker for our 2015 Garden Day. Rick has recently teamed with Doug Tallamy to co-write "**The Living Landscape: Designing for Beauty and Biodiversity in the Home Garden.**" The book has just been released and reviews are excellent. Rick is an amazing photographer and plant expert (what a combination of talents!) and Doug's story of increasing our home biodiversity to support our local ecosystems is inspiring.

We will have a wealth of Garden Day workshops and you will be able to select your two favorites. The complete program will be available this spring!



**Contact:** If you have questions on any of our garden programs, events, or memberships contact:

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### Weddings in the Gardens!

Although it is still winter, now is a great time to reserve a special place in our gardens for your wedding or event. If you would like to be married in the gardens, or host a special event in the gardens, please contact **Monica Blaze**, our wedding coordinator, at <a href="mailto:gardens@msu.edu">gardens@msu.edu</a>.

Check out some wedding photos and comments from recent happy couples on our Facebook Page.

https://www.facebook.com/pages/Michigan-State-University-Horticulture-Gardens-Weddings-Events/209959565692982

# Support the MSU Horticulture Gardens: Sponsor a Brick or a Bench

A \$250 donation to the Gardens will sponsor a 4" by 8" brick, a \$1,000 donation to the Gardens will sponsor a 8" by 8" brick, and a \$10,000 donation to the Gardens will sponsor a garden bench. Larger donations can sponsor individual garden beds or completely new gardens or garden features. Inscriptions can honor special person(s) or occasion(s) in your life. Benches can be placed in many locations throughout the gardens.

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