

Programs and Speakers

We invite interesting speakers to address a wide variety of horticultural topics.

- Plant Propagation
- Water Conservation
- Container Gardening
- Garden Design
- Native Plants,
- Sustainable Soils
- Floral Design
- Backyard Birding

Field Trips

We explore gardens, plant nurseries, greenhouses, parks, fairs and other places of horticultural interest. Many are arranged by invitation only. During field trips we often enjoy a brown bag lunch.

Annual Garden Tour

We organize an Annual Garden Tour of spectacular privately-owned gardens in our community. This event is open to members and their guests.

Social Gatherings

We are friendly and love to socialize. We have annual potluck luncheons in December and in May. We also have a late summer luncheon or tea at the home of a member.

Community Projects

- **Aqua Hedionda Lagoon Foundation**
We help maintain the native plants.
- **Petals for Patriots**
We arrange and deliver floral bouquets in bright blue vases along with seasonal fruit to the Wounded Warriors at nearby Camp Pendleton.
- **Cole Library Plant Sales**
We meet the public while selling plants propagated by our members. The fundraising from this sale, which occurs every October and May, allows us to grant charitable donations.

Membership

**We invite you to join the
Carlsbad Garden Club!**

A membership form is provided in this brochure. Our annual dues are just \$20.00. Please complete the form and make check payable to The Carlsbad Garden Club. (After January 31, 2011, prorated dues for the remainder of the year are just \$10.00. Enroll by mail, or better yet, attend one of our meetings as our guest. We welcome new members at all of our meetings.

Membership Form

Name:

Mailing Address:

Home Telephone:

Cellular Telephone:

Email Address:

Gardening Interests: (circle all that apply)

- **Landscape Design**
- **Flower Arrangement**
- **Container Gardening**
- **Water Wise Gardening**
- **Composting and Worms**

Other:

Please share any other gardening interests you may have and/or anything else you would like us to know about you.

Our Purpose

- To stimulate the knowledge and love of gardening among amateurs.
- To aid in the protection of native plants, trees and birds.
- To aid and encourage civic planting and beautification.

Our Theme 2010-2011

Growing Together

Our theme for this year is growing together in our club, our gardens, our friendships, our knowledge, and our community.

Our History

Celebrating 78 Years!

The Carlsbad Garden club originated as part of the Carlsbad Women's Club. In 1932, interested members formed the as a separate entity. The Carlsbad Garden Club is a 501(c)3 domestic non-profit corporation. Contributions to the charitable activities of the Carlsbad Garden Club are tax deductible.

Our Charitable Donations

- Aqua Hedionda Lagoon Foundation
- Mira Costa College Horticulture Scholarship
- Pennies for Pines
- Carlsbad School Gardening Projects
- Rancho Carlsbad Boys and Girls Club Community Garden

Inspiration

The Flowers

All the names I know from nurse:
Gardener's garters, Shepherd's purse,
Bachelor's buttons, Lady's smock,
And the Lady Hollyhock.

Fairy places, fairy things,
Fairy woods where the wild bee wings,
Tiny trees for tiny dames –
These must all be fairy names!

Tiny woods below whose bows
Shady fairies weave a house;
Tiny tree tops, rose or thyme,
Where the braver fairies climb!

Fair are grown-up people's trees,
But the fairest woods are these;
Where, if I were not so tall,
I should live for good and all.

By Robert Louis Stevenson from
"A Child's Garden of Verses".

Affiliations

California Garden Clubs, Inc.
National Garden Clubs, Inc.
Pacific Region

Visit our website for more information and a complete calendar of Carlsbad Garden Club programs, activities and events.
www.carlsbadgardenclub.com

Carlsbad Garden Club

Join us the first Friday of each month, September through June for interesting and fun gardening presentations and activities.

Meeting Location & Format

The Dove Library
George and Patricia Gowland
Meeting Room
1775 Dove Lane, Carlsbad, CA

Club Business 12:30 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.
Social and Refreshments 1:15 to 1:45 p.m.
Gardening Presentation 1:45 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.



*Red Geranium
Carlsbad Garden Club Flower*

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