

## You're Invited!

The Garden Club of York is a group of civicminded garden enthusiasts, from novice to expert, that promotes interest in gardening, native plants and conservation issues.

The Club meets October through April, except for the December holiday luncheon. Other special meetings are the September picnic and the May luncheon.

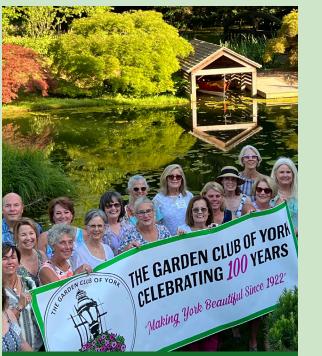
We welcome you to join us in growing a more beautiful community.

For more information & membership application:

#### website: GardenClubofYork.com

Email: info@gardenclubofyork.com





# Making York beautiful!



#### GCY affiliations:

National Garden Clubs, Inc. (NGC) www.gardenclub.org

Central Atlantic Region/State Garden Clubs (CAR-SGC) www.car-sgc.org

> Garden Club Federation of PA (GCFP) www.pagardenclubs.org

District IV (Garden Clubs of District IV) www.districtivgcfp.org



The purpose of The Garden Club of York is to:

- stimulate and develop the spirit of gardening,
- encourage interest in decorative flower and plant arrangement,
- promote interest in home and civic gardening,
- aid in the protection of native plant and bird life

#### Hanging Baskets & Containers of Downtown York

Admire over 250 gorgeous hanging baskets each spring that the club places in Downtown York.

Basket sponsorships are available on our website. We also partner with Downtown, Inc to plant almost 100 containers.

#### **Public Plantings**

Visit some of the club's projects, which include:

- Blue Star Memorial By-Way Garden at the Rev's Stadium
- 15 Victorian-era cradle-shaped graves at Prospect Hill Cemetery
- Plant-it-Pink gardens at UPMC Hospital and John Rudy Park to honor those touched by breast cancer
- Annual holiday decorating of historic homes
- Herb garden at the Golden Plough Tavern

#### Garden Faire Plant Sale

Come purchase colorful annuals and perennials supplied from members' gardens and local nurseries on the first Saturday in May.

Ask experienced gardeners for advice.



# Projects and Activities of The Garden Club of York



#### Flowers & Fellowship/ Horticulture Therapy

Join other club members to help residents from local senior living communities create flower arrangements. We also work with the Jessica & Friends community at Jeremy's Garden and the York daycare facility.

## Programs and Workshops

Participate in interesting programs and workshops provided for members by experts including professional speakers and GCY designers who share their knowledge.

## Growing the Future with Scholarships and Youth Activities

GCY awards annual scholarships to deserving college students majoring in areas that support our mission.

Members also engage in projects that foster youth interest in, and knowledge of gardening.

#### Conservation and Environment

GCY shares the importance of conservation and a healthy ecosystem.

Join members in learning about practical ideas that lead to a garden-and-human-friendly environment.