

Wildflower Garden Club Meeting/Programs 2017

- March 23** **Petals & Pickin's Floral, Gifts and Workshops**
4616 E State Street, Rockford; 815-977-4883
Cost: \$28.00
Lunch: Mary's Café, 4431 E State Street; 815-397-7291
Co-hostess: Sarah Britton, Shirley Engelbrecht
- April 4** **Council of Rockford Gardening GoC (Gathering of Clubs)**
(Formerly known as the 'General Meeting')
Meet at Gensler Gardens. Hosted by Plantaholics.
Details at www.councilofrockfordgardeners.org
- April 26**
11 a.m. **Council of Rockford Gardeners Spring Luncheon/
Scholarship Fundraiser**
Hoffman House, State St. and Bell School Road, Rockford
Presenter: Michelle Cox, owner of The Landscape Connection
Topic: "What's Trending in the Garden for 2017"
Details: www.councilofrockfordgardeners.org
- April 27** **Sand Bluff Bird Observatory, Colored Sands Forest Preserve**
10602 Hass Rd., Rockton; 815-629-2671
Lunch: Ray's Family Restaurant, 815-624-2822
108 W Main Street, Rockton
Hostess: Lynn Connelly
- May 25** **Pesche's Greenhouse, Floral Shop and Gift Barn**
W4080 Wisconsin 50, Lake Geneva, WI *and*
North Winds Perennial Farm
7074 Hospital Rd., Burlington, WI
Lunch: Oak Fire Restaurant
831 Wrigley Dr., Lake Geneva, WI
Co-hostesses: Anita Wetzberger, Carol Edson
- June 21**
Noon to
8 p.m. **Council of Rockford Gardeners FREE Garden Walk**
Visit gardens throughout the Rockford area.
Open to the public.
Details: www.councilofrockfordgardeners.org
- June 22** **Hubbs Greenhouse, 815-568-7312**
947 E. Grant Hwy, Marengo, IL
Lunch: Fire & Ice Smokehouse & Creamery,
104 W. Railroad #A, Marengo, IL; 815-568-7337
Co-hostesses: Pat Bellezza, Irene Vella
- July 27** **Tours of Wildflower members' gardens**
Lunch: Jessica's Café, 815-623-2223
5091 Edgemere Ct., Roscoe
Co-hostesses: Cindy Piper, Irene Villa
- August 24** **Wildflower potluck and tour at Joyce Lillie's Garden**
6656 Cunningham Road, Rockford.
Co-hostesses: Sharon Bramel, Joyce Lillie

September 28 **Nachusa Grasslands**, 708-406-9894
8775 S. Lowden Rd., Franklin Grove, IL
Lunch: TBA
Co-hostess: Judy Schellenberger, Alice Pearce

October 26 **Nick's Grandview Folk Art Environment**
State Hwy 39, Hollandale, WI; 608-967-2151
Lunch: New Glarus Hotel, 608-527-2544
100 6th Ave., New Glarus, WI
Hostess: TBD

November 30 **Planning Events for 2018**
Place & Time TBA

December 6 **Council of Rockford Gardeners Christmas**
11 a.m. **Luncheon/Fundraiser**
Location: TBA