International Herb Day Celebration

Hidden Lake Gardens, Tipton MI
Saturday, April 26th from 10am - 3pm
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Herb Day is an international celebration of herbs and herbal products. This one-day event is aimed at educating and sharing ideas about the many ways herbs bring joy and well-being into our daily lives. We celebrate herbs' use in food, beverages, medicine, beauty products, and crafts, along with the art of growing and gardening with herbs. There will be cooking demonstrations, gardening tips, educational seminars, activities for kids, and a wide array of plants and products for sale.

$5 per person, free for HLG members. No registration required.

Education Presentations

11 am Scott Stokes: The Summer Garden: Planting for Purpose and Pleasure
Acclaimed speaker Scott Stokes will share over 50 creative ideas for your summer garden
Southern Exposure Herb Farm - www.southernmoon.com

1 pm Mary Ann Menck: Herbal Qualities of Native Trees for Your Yard
Mary Ann Menck will share tips of growing beautiful and useful trees to enhance your landscape
Mary Ann’s Michigan Trees & Shrubs – www.native-landscapes.org

2 pm Sue Becker: Soaps and Salves: Using Your Herbal Harvest
Soap-maker Sue Becker will share her secrets for making delightful herbal soaps and salves
School House Soaps - www.SchoolHouseSoaps.com

Family-friendly Displays and Hands-on Activities

Children’s Activities Tent: Branch County Herb Questers & Tecumseh Girl Scout Troop

Native Michigan Trees Display: University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens Herb Study Group

Herbal Dyes, Spinning & Felting Demonstration: Katja Szarafinski - East of Eden

Hidden Lake Gardens Walks

Native Michigan Trees: Gerry Donaldson, HLG Grounds Foreman
Wild Weed Walk: Brenda Wyatt, Herbalist

Vendors

- Fresh Start Herbs - Herb plants
- Prairie Springs Pottery Garden Art & Accessories
- Gary Scoville - Honey Hoes
- Schoolhouse Soaps - Herbal salves, soaps & blends
- Sunrise Farms - Herbal products
- Mary Ann’s Michigan Trees and Shrubs
- Ogden Station Daylilies
- My Bec’s Herb Seasonings & Mixes
- Eby Farms - Herbal products, repurposed items
- East of Eden - Candles, handspun fabrics

Additional vendors anticipated, 2014 Herb Guide available in Hidden Lake Gardens’ Gift Shop!

This event is part of a national organization – www.herbday.org

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