

From the Potting Shed

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Rutgers MG apparel for sale through Aug. 19

Attention MGs: Rutgers Master Gardener apparel features the new Block R Rutgers logo. Click [here](#) to visit the RMG store to order short- and long-sleeved shirts, hoodies, three styles of hats, an apron, or a tote bag. Your order will be shipped to your home within three to five weeks after the RMG store closes Aug. 19.

Note: The Rutgers MG apparel is different from the MG of BC apparel with our logo (above). The deadline to order MG of BC T-shirts and hoodies has closed.

Hummingbird Day at the Butterfly Garden Aug. 25

The Butterfly and Native Garden will sponsor its third annual Hummingbird Day Aug. 25 from 10 am-1 pm. Learn about hummingbirds and how to attract them to your garden. The Butterfly Garden is located in Overpeck Park, 40 Fort Lee Road, Leonia. Park in the Bergen Equestrian Center lot, walk to the dirt road, and follow the signs to the Butterfly Garden.

Listen to Lourdes Osorio's podcast: Drought-tolerant native plants

Lourdes Osorio, Passaic County MG, was a guest on the GardenDC podcast speaking about drought-tolerant native plants. Lourdes is the host of the Native Plant Channel on YouTube. Click [here](#) to listen to the podcast. Click [here](#) to visit her Native Plant Channel.

Webinars!

All times are Eastern

- **Aug. 15, 10-11 am:** North Carolina Cooperative Extension, Buncombe County, sponsors Fantastic Ferns. Free. Click [here](#) for more information and to register.
- **Aug. 28, 6-7:15 pm:** The Nature Conservancy and Ohio State University Extension sponsor the Good, the Bad, and the Hungry: Dealing with Wildlife in the Garden. Free. Click [here](#) for more information and to register.

Sad news

Anna N. Chan, wife of Jeffrey Chan, Class of 2011, died Aug. 4. Click [here](#) to visit the Beaugard-McKnight Funeral Home website for the obituary and information about visitation Aug. 23 and memorial service Aug. 24 in River Edge.