

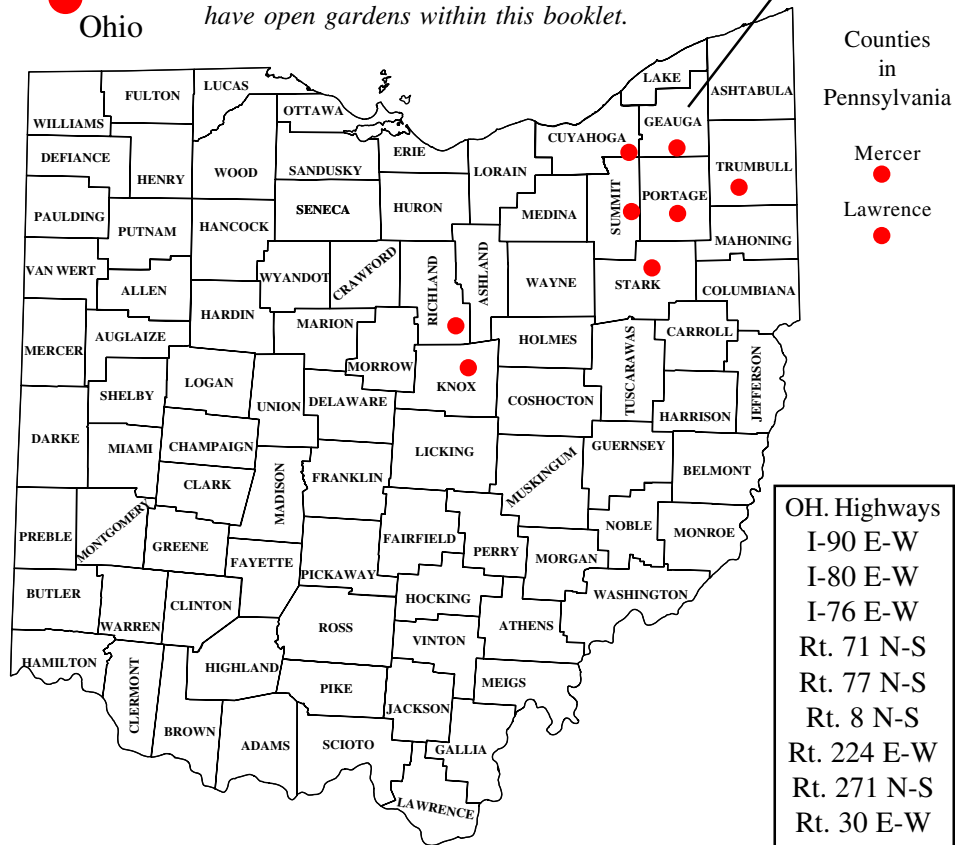
Experience Amish Ohio,
Geauga County



Counties

● in
Ohio

The RED dots indicate which counties
have open gardens within this booklet.



Counties
in
Pennsylvania

● Mercer
● Lawrence

OH. Highways
I-90 E-W
I-80 E-W
I-76 E-W
Rt. 71 N-S
Rt. 77 N-S
Rt. 8 N-S
Rt. 224 E-W
Rt. 271 N-S
Rt. 30 E-W

CUYAHOGA COUNTY

David Bowe & Beth Sedlak

28 Sugar Bush Ln. • Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

Open: Friday, July 8th • 10 am - 6 pm

440-364-3800

“Camp David” was named by his nieces and nephews who like to fish and paddle around the lake in the development. I have been collecting Hostas since about 2001 and started hybridizing about 2004. I moved three times in the years 2006-2008, and have around 800 named varieties in my collection. My garden is shaded by large trees, constantly a work in progress, and never pristine! Netting surrounds the yard to keep deer out. The attraction is seeing hundreds of unregistered seedlings in development. Most of the seedlings are in pots.

Parking on the street • Front yard is handicap accessible, the back is accessible by stairs or steep slope. • Bathrooms available.

Midland Hosta Society Welcomes YOU! to the GLR 6th Annual HOSTA TAILG8 WEEKEND

2016



Schedule of Events

• Kick-Off! Friday, July 8

Cherokee Park Family RV & Campground
3064 State Route 43, (Brimfield) Mogadore, OH 44260

• Limited Garden Tours 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

(Check website for info re: gardens)

• Opens for Registration 3:30 pm

• Socialize, Games, Etc. 3:30 - 7:00 pm

• Vendors Open 3:30 - 6:30 (plus 9:00-9:30 pm)

• **DJ's Greenhouse • Emerald Forest • Joan's Country Gardens •**

• Food 4:00 - 7:00 pm

• Auction 7:00 - 9:00 pm

• Bonfire & S'mores 9:00 - 'til ??? pm

• GLR HOSTA Garden Tours!

Saturday, July 9 & Sunday, July 10

Days Open and Times vary ... please check
garden listings inside this booklet.



Midland Hosta Society Committee Members:

Donna McMillen • Priscilla Kiehl

Marjie Jeffries • Dave Jeffries

Sarah McMillen-Gore • Cindy Wieland

Please patronize our MHS Vendor members: (* indicates will vend at KICK-OFF)

***DJ's Greenhouse** [Dennis James] 724-962-1230
1004 East Lake Rd., Transfer, PA 16154
Open: Fri/Sat 9-5 • Sun 10-4

Five acres of gardens and shopping to explore. 100's of hostas & daylillies plus other assorted perennials, trees & shrubs.

• Restroom available • Refreshments • 27 Parking spaces.

***Emerald Forest Nursery** [Tom Rabung] 440-552-7851
13260 Station Rd., Columbia Station, OH 44028
Open: Fri, too until after noon • Sat/Sun 9-8

Specializing in hostas & perennials!

***Joan's Country Garden** [Joan & Herbie Altman] 724-791-9998
300 N. Market St., New Wilmington, PA. 16142-1135 724-946-3328
Open Fri. 8am-1:30 pm • Sat. 8am-6 pm • Sun. 8am-5 pm.

Specializing in hostas. (Please see page 3 for more garden description)

Our website is www.joanscountrygarden.com. We are open to visitors throughout the spring and summer by appointment.

Kridler Gardens [Barrie Kridler & Barry Nichols] 330-525-7914
4809 Homeworth Rd., Homeworth, OH 44634
Open: Fri. • Sat • Sun • All 3 days 8 am - 6 pm

110+ Acre Garden Center & Cultivated as as Arboretum. Parts of the gardens, the Store & Greenhouse are handicapped accessible. Bathrooms are available. Refreshments & parking available. (Please see page 3 for more garden description) **20% Discount to Hosta Tailg8 Weekend participants.**

Wade & Gatton Nureries [Van & Shirley Wade] 419-883-3191
1288 Gatton Rocks Rd., Bellville, OH 44813
Open: Fri. • Sat. • 8 am - 5 pm • Closed Sundays

American Hostas, Daylilies, and other perennials. Botanical Gardens await.
Website: www.wadeandgattonnurseries.com • 24-Hr. Fax: 419-883-3677

TRUMBULL COUTY

Carol A. Knock 330-565-5497
6470 Mahoning Ave., NW • Warren, OH 44481
Open: Fri. 9am - 1pm • Sat & Sun. 9am -4pm

The One Woman Garden

For years the garden has grown and changed but it wasn't until after I retired (20 yrs. ago) that it became an obsession to design and collect all those plants I've always admired. The plan was to plant the entire perimeter of the yard. The house and gardens sit on 2 acres and an additional acre is woods. Last year I completed the perimeter. You can view several hundred Hostas, ferns, sedums and numerous shade plants. As you walk around the brick walk and through the gardens you will encounter whimsical characters inviting you to look more. You will see a very large rock garden, just one of my favorites, daylilies, flowering shrubs, trees, roses, ornamental grasses, different media for borders, park lights, benches, many containers, and way too much to put in this description.....And of course my mind is always designing another bed.

GEAGA COUNTY

Clara Miller, (Perennial Post) Open: Friday & Saturday • 9am - 5pm
An official American Hermerocalliss Society Display Garden.
7751 State Rd. 534 • Middlefield, OH 44062

All 3 Gardens in KNOX County • Open Sat. 10am-5pm • Sun. Noon-5pm
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Daniel Behr 740-398-8162 (c) • 740-392-1125 (h)
990 Winesap Drive, Howard Ohio, 43028 SKYPE # 740-358-0231 (always active.)

My garden's name: It doesn't need a name. It knows who it is.

Over 400 hosta varieties are featured in 10 beds. They are laid out in a British style, to be viewed from the house, deck, and sitting areas in the yard; unlike most American Gardens that are used as architectural landscaping or walking gardens that unfold along pathways. Dan's garden features a variety of container grown hostas, bonsai, and container gardens/miniature landscapes, which have earned international recognition. (*His Japanese friends love them*). Also there are several perennial gardens, including a garden featuring Asiatic, trumpet, and hybrid lilies. The gardens are accented by ornamental trees and shrubs." **Additional info:** Parking in the driveway and on the street. Gardens are handicap accessible, restrooms are in the house and steps are involved. Refreshments will available.

Debbie Hurlbert & Jon Minard 740-393-3817
35 Crestwood Court • Howard, OH 43028-9693

Beautiful gardens with lots of hostas. Picture Perfect!

Judith Golas 740-392-7995
20301 Fredericktown-Amity Rd, • Mt. Vernon, OH 43050

Beautiful Hosta gardens and should not be missed!

All these gardens close together and just 15 minutes from *Wade & Gatton Nurseries!
*Wade & Gatton not open Sunday.

STARK COUNTY

Marjie & Dave Jeffries

330-454-1090 (h)

4404 Harmont Ave., NE • Canton, OH 44705

Open Days/Times: Sat. 10am - 4pm

This garden has 300 Hosta, 5 different Buckeye trees, and 17 Hydrangea.

Gardens are flat, no hills or steps. Very handicap accessible.

NOTES: Will have drinks, bathroom available.

(1/2 mi. south is a K-Mart, Walmart, fast food & Bob Evans.)

Rufus & Patty Gehman

330-875-8396(h)

7650 Willow St. • Louisville, OH 44641

Open Day/Times: Sat. 10am - 4pm Sun. 10am - 4pm

Our gardens have hostas and perennials, a backyard Koi and goldfish pond with a waterfall and 2 streams going around an oak tree. We are located at the end of a short street .2 mi long. *The bus can park down the street and would have enough room to turn around there.* At our property there is lots of room for cars to park; drive back on the driveway to near the barn.

For anyone who may not want to do much walking we have a golf cart to ride on and an electric scooter. We have a restroom available and will have bottled water.

Rita Mullet

330-756-2773(h)

10455 Justus Ave., SW • Beach City, OH 44606

330-309-5063(c)

Open Day/Times: Sat. 9am - 2pm Sun. 10am - 2pm

I have well over 400 hosta with some being in just hosta beds and some in mixed beds. Also, I have over 350 daylilies which should be in bloom and 12 or 13 different hydrangeas, many other perennials as well as about 40 flats of annuals planted throughout. There are many containers planted as well as several fairy gardens, a koi pond, a garden shed, butterfly garden in raised beds, Ohio natives and pollinator plants and my new addition - bees.

Hopefully all will enjoy strolling though our property. We own 2-1/2 acres with approximately 1-1/2 acres of flowers and I like to think there is something of interest for everyone. Thanks again for thinking of our garden for your group to visit and I hope everyone enjoys it.

BUS & Parking Notes:

Also, I believe you said some would be on a **bus**. *We will not have parking here at the house, but they can unload here in front of the house and then we have two places the bus can park and my husband will then pick up the driver. There is a truck garage across from us up a short lane where there is plenty of parking for the bus or two other places that are also close by.* We will have parking across the street in our neighbors field for those that are driving. Of course, drivers can pull in the drive, unload and then park if necessary.

Will have a port-a-potty and water available.

More about these Vendor Gardens which will be open...

JOAN'S COUNTRY GARDEN

Joan and Herbie Altman live in New Wilmington, PA in a quaint community in Western Pennsylvania. Located in the heart of New Wilmington, the home was built in the 1850's. The grounds include almost three acres of gardens complete with over 2,000 varieties of Hosta.

The natural features of the garden include a fresh water spring and a stream called Old Quarry Run. A covered bridge crosses the stream to allow visitors access to both banks and different views of the garden. From a gazebo, guests can listen to the babbling water and enjoy the view of hostas, liliun, and daylillies. Surrounding the gazebo are Victorian Cast Iron Swing Arm Planters, perfect for displaying Joan's collection of mini hosta.

While Joan collects hosta, Herbie collects stone and architectural features for the gardens. During your visit, look for stone hitching posts, water troughs, and dated stones.

Our garden is located about 80 miles south of Erie. We are approximately a 15 minute drive from the Grove City Outlet Mall. Our town has a fabulous restaurant (The Tavern On The Square), serving the very best sticky buns on the planet which is only one block away. The area also is home to a thriving Amish community perfect for a relaxing day of shopping.

We hope to have you as a guest visiting our garden and enjoying the quaint area where we live.

KRIDLER GARDENS • Barrie Kridler & Barry Nichols

We are a 100+ acre garden center and our grounds are cultivated as an Arboretum. We have extensive plantings of shade plants and hosta gardens in our mature woods. We have planted on our grounds most of the trees that we sell. We sell rare trees, shrubs, perennials and tropicals as well as unusual annuals. We have the "The Little House" which is our overnight rental. We also host weddings in our Gabezo area.

Parts of the gardens, the store and greenhouse are handicapped accessible. Bathrooms are available. We will have refreshments and parking.

We will give a 20% discount to participants of the Hosta Tailg8 Weekend!.

Barrie Kridler & Barry Nichols



**2016 HOSTA of the Year
Curley Fries**

SUMMIT COUNTY • OHIO

Donna McMillen

330-671-0263 (c)

2964 Greenleaf Rd., Akron, Oh 44312

Days/Times open: Friday (9am-1pm), Sat. (9am-6pm), Sun. (9am-5pm)

“Donna’s End of the Road Garden” Please come and enjoy! I’m located at the end of a 1/2 mile dead-end road. I moved to this one acre property about 12 years and I have lots of gardens with a bunch of perennials and about 300 varieties of hosta. I also enjoy playing with concrete, so there are lots of stepping stones, mushrooms, and various garden art including an “Alice in Wonderland” area. Main yard areas are flat, but the back areas involve using steps or a hill.

NOTES: Easy parking on the street. Bus can turn around at the end of the street. I will have a snack/drink available. Bathroom available (dogs inside—so ask first !)
Closest food/public bathrooms would be near Canton Rd./Rt. 224 intersection - lot of fast food places, etc. (about 2 1/2 miles north from me on Canton Rd.)

Kathi Jo & Marty Lappin

330-316-0132 (c)

2520 Myersville Rd. • Uniontown, OH 44685-8319

Days/Times Open: Saturday 9am-6pm • Sunday 10am-5pm

“Millheim Retreat” will be time well spent strolling the grounds of this enchanting retreat. The owners stopped here seventeen years ago for a yard sale, and ended up buying the yard! They instantly fell in love with the property, and bought it the next week. The Victorian farmhouse was built in 1873 which the owners have lovingly restored as well as the pre-Civil War barn (*where the gardener will have her jewelry for sale*), and have created incredible, eclectic garden spaces by combining stone, great plants (at least 160+ hostas) and a garden with shade-loving perennials, trees and shrubs in a style all their own. Areas in which you should check out is her potting shed where she creates garden art. Just into the woods lies quite possibly one of the most enchanting garden spaces ever created, housing a colony of fairies and gnomes...you might catch sight of these elusive creatures busy at work or play! Enjoy your time spent here...they will have bottled water for you. *p.s. The owners do have a very loved, large, gentle dog.*

NOTES: Bus should park at the lower parking lot at Nativity Catholic Church on corner of Killian and Myersville Rd. Gardeners will walk across Killian Rd. and up the hill to 2520. (less than 1/2 block)

Priscilla & Bob Kiehl

330-645-1740 (h) • 330-607-4761 (c) • 330-891-4100 (c)

3560-1/2 Portage Point Blvd. • Akron (Portage Lakes), OH 44319

Days/Times Open: Saturday 9am-6pm • Sunday 9am-5pm

Hostas at The Portage Lakes — Life is Good! We invite you to come and take a tour of our gardens taking you down four levels to the lake. Each level filled with hostas, ferns, mosses and perennials planted under large trees. The undersides of Hostas can be viewed from the front door level...its a good place for red petioles and fairies to be seen. Each level offers seating, lakeviews, plants, refreshments and bathrooms. Over the past 15 years many hostas have been divided, moved and/or shared with friends...therefore, not any or all hostas are labelled. You can help us by writing a name on a plant stake and placing under an unnamed HOSTA. *“We enjoy the gardens/lake and hope you will too.”*
Add'l. Info: ***Not handicap accessible. • Parking on East Side of Street only, or driveway limited to 6-8 cars. Please check with owners for help.***

SUMMIT COUNTY • OHIO

Mike & Karen Edgington

Day of: 330-289-5665 or 330-289-3009

1958 Brookshire Rd. • Akron, OH 44313

330-836-1836 (h)

Days/Times Open: Saturday 8am-6pm • Sunday 8am-5pm

“Brookshire Bloomery” invites you to tour. After their move from a country property seven year ago, these owners spent a year designing their city lot landscape. Most of the grass in the front of the home was replaced with shrub and tree gardens. Included are many of their favorite plants, but in small or miniature form. Troughs and stepping stones, made by the owners on site, connect the gardens. Note the standard form of the European Hornbeam called ‘Monument’ at the front garden entrance. Keep an eye out for wayward fairies, as you pass the fairy village on your walk to the back yard. A raised bed vegetable garden provides the owners with fresh food and rabbit watching. Hostas reign in the south shade garden. Look for the columnar trees that dot the back yard perimeter: Sweetgum, Bald Cypress, Fringe Tree, White Pine, Blue Spruce, and Beech. Give the fairy salute (*a wink of the eye*) as you leave the gardens.

Pat & B.G. Labbe

330-329-2561 (c) or 330-666-8058 (h)

280 Bittersweet Rd., • Akron (Bath) OH 44333

Days/Times Open: Saturday 9am-5pm

“A Woodland Garden” has been under development for seventeen years. It all began by removing about fifty trees over a ten year period and then clearing and planting for another six or seven years. The owners now have gorgeous gardens for peace and enjoyment. There are several themed gardens; a hosta garden, a white garden, a rock garden, a butterfly garden and a memory garden, dedicated to her mother, filled with her mother’s favorite plants. There are hostas, fall blooming crocus, European ginger, oakleaf hydrangea, sweet woodruff, ferns, alliums, black eyed susans and coral bells. One will also enjoy the many surprising sculptures in the gardens. As one walks through the garden spaces, it is obvious these gardeners also love birds. Notice the decorative bird houses throughout the space as well as the center island with feeders and baths. The weeping larch in the island is a very unique specimen tree. Flowers in this area include bee balm, lady’s mantle, brunnera, sedums and Asiatic lilies. Beyond the large hemlocks is a knot garden for vegetables. Also there are several interesting conifers on this property including a weeping Alaska cedar (*chamaecyparis nootkatensis* ‘Pendula’) in front of the house. Also notice the dawn redwood, star magnolia and green Japanese maples. *There is a dry creek bed in the back yard due to septic tank changes!*

Margie Garrand

Day of: 330-620-4277

455 Sandhurst Rd. • Akron, OH 44333

Days/Times Open: Saturday 9am-5pm

“The World of a Dedicated Gardener” invites you in to her wonderful garden world filled with over 160 Hosta (all labeled), other perennials and certainly her passion...the fairy garden!

NOTE: This is a small, not quite a full block long street. The Bus will need to stop on Revere Rd. and let the folks exit, they can walk to almost to the end for the garden, bus should continue North on Revere Rd. to Summit Co. Metro Park - Parking lot and await call.