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Free Gardening Lecture

Janet Macunovich

FREE Lectures: Saturday, September 19, 2009, 10 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.
Reservations Required (708) 725-2450 – Space Limited

Discussion Topics

- Clay Soil Gardening
- Perennial Gardening
- Putting your Garden to Bed

The Oak Park Conservatory is happy to present a free lecture by **Janet Macunovich**, a professional gardener, author and educator recognized for her engaging how-to presentations, innovative hands-on workshops and down-to-earth writing and speaking style.

Janet loves to see more people garden and enjoy their landscape and works toward that end by taking the mystery out of gardening and garden design. She replaces it with practicality and fun.

Since 1990, Janet has written nine books and hundreds of how-to articles for print and Internet publications, answered a broad spectrum of questions on regular radio shows and internet forums, and addressed thousands of gardeners both amateur and professional throughout the U.S., Canada and England.

She uses experiences from her own gardens, clients' gardens and a 5,000 square foot garden she designed and maintains at the Detroit Zoo where she is a 21-year veteran of that park's Adopt-A-Garden program.

Janet develops and presents her garden and landscape seminars and workshops to meet the specific needs of an audience. She has worked in this way to train, entertain and motivate professional groups, homeowner and volunteer gardeners and students in horticultural programs all over North America.

Her education in horticulture includes extensive coursework through botanical gardens, professional associations and universities. She is an Advanced Master Gardener through Michigan State University, and owner-operator since 1981 of the garden design and maintenance company Perennial Favorites serving clients in Michigan and several other States.

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**Oak Park Conservatory, 615 Garfield Street in Oak Park
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membership, donation, and volunteer opportunities OR visit the Oak Park
Conservatory between 10 am and 4 pm to register.**

The historic Oak Park Conservatory, owned and operated by the Park District of Oak Park displays a wide collection of exotic plants, animals and environments. Friends of the Oak Park Conservatory (FOPCON) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization whose mission is to support the conservatory through recreational activities that are educational and fun for Oak Park and the surrounding communities.

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