

## Pacific Region Garden Clubs, Inc.

# 77th Annual Convention - April 27 - 30, 2020

# Connecting in a Kaleidoscope of Colors Silverton, Oregon

Oregon Garden Resort – 895 W Main Street, Silverton, Oregon 97381 503.874.2500 Parking – Free Telephone: 1.503.874.2500 Ext 0 or online www.OregonGardenResort.com

Group attendee code is "PRGC" to obtain the special group rate. Deadline March 27, 2020

Room rate - \$109/night (includes breakfast) – Rate is good 3 days before and 3 days after convention Post-Convention Tour – optional. Be sure to extend your stay for the Post-Convention Tour!

**Exhibits** – To reserve table space and set up an exhibit, contact Tiffany Olley. Email: oregongirl1487@yahoo.com or telephone 503.784.6186

Sunday, April 26 - Browse and Break Bread - Silverton Stroll and Dinner (on your own) - 4:00 p.m.

#### **Convention Activities**

Monday, April 27 – Place Photo Phundraiser entries, exhibits, Committee and Team Meetings, Lunch, Life Members and Recycled Fashion Show Banquet

**Tuesday, April 28** – Pre-Convention Board Meeting, Workshops, Lunch, Convention Opening Ceremonies and Meeting, Design Banquet

**Wednesday, April 29** – Convention Meeting, Lunch, Workshops, *What is Jeopardy?* Banquet **Thursday, April 30** – Convention Meeting, Post-Convention Tour begins

### **Convention Workshops**

**Tuesday, April 28** – "Colorful Tissue Paper Flower Wreaths for any Season" – Kathy Taylor de Murillo, PRGC Amenities and Protocol Chairman, will demonstrate and help you create your own brilliant wreath. This is a great idea to take home to your club or district.

**Tuesday, April 28** – "6-Pack Snowflakes" – Gail Vanderhorst, PRGC Recording Secretary, will show you how to repurpose plastic 6-pack rings into snowflakes for your garden.

**Wednesday, April 29** – "Membership" – Gaye Stewart, PRGC Membership Chairman, will conduct an interactive program brainstorming membership increase ideas.

**Wednesday, April 29** – "Hearts and Flowers" – Gudrun Kimmel, Interactive Horticulture Chairman, will demonstrate and help you make woven hearts to use as a garden therapy activity or as gifts.

**Wednesday, April 29** – "Fabulous Flexible Flax" – Monica Lewis, PRGC Edible Plants Chairman and Gloria Aminian, PRGC Recycle, Reuse, Repurpose Co-Chairman will demonstrate and walk you through flax-weaving, curling and everything else they know to do with flax.

**Post-Convention Tour** (stay at the convention hotel – not included in tour price)

Thursday, April 30 – Post-Convention Tour begins after Lunch – Tour The Oregon Garden

Scavenger Hunt – The Oregon Garden – 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Dinner on your own in Silverton or at the Lodge

### Friday, May 1 -

Depart at 9:00 a.m. for the Evergreen Aviation & Space Museum Lunch with the McMinnville Garden Club Visit Durant Olive Mill – tasting, nursery, gift store, fabulous view Return to our hotel for a pizza party

## Saturday, May 2 -

Depart at 9:00 a.m. for the Chintimini Wildlife Center <u>Light</u> lunch on your own in charming Corvallis Victorian Tea and floral demonstration at the Hudson Victorian home Return to our hotel for a fond farewell!

#### **Airport Information**

We recommend flying into Portland (PDX). If not renting a car or having someone pick you up, it is recommended to take Uber or Lyft. The Oregon Garden is 48 miles south of Portland.

Questions? Contact Robin Pokorski, Director, <a href="mailto:PRGCDirector@gmail.com">PRGCDirector@gmail.com</a> or 818-361-7873 or 818-425-3247 (cell) Or Peggy Olin, Convention Chairman, <a href="mailto:PeggyOlin@msn.com">PeggyOlin@msn.com</a> or 503-666-4083 or 503-975-7782 (cell)