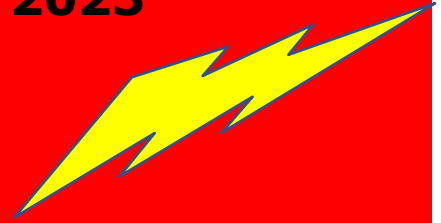


September 15, 2023

Friday Flash



**September Meeting**

**Topic:**

Native Carnivorous Plants

**Speaker**

Jeffrey Popp, WSA

**Date**

Tuesday  
October 10<sup>th</sup>

**Time**

7:00

**Location**

Zoom

<https://umd.zoom.us/j/99439900369>



**Continuing Education**

Jeffrey Popp is the Director of Restoration at the Watershed Steward’s innovative restoration programs including RePlant Anne Arundel/Annapolis, RePollinate Anne Arundel, and Stormwater Success, to improve the health of the county’s communities, greenspaces, and waterways. He enjoys helping community Stewards navigate and create successful, well-maintained restoration projects that benefit wildlife, water quality , and surrounding communities. Before coming to the WSA, Jeff led several restoration programs for the Chesapeake Bay Trust focused on forestry, land conservation and stormwater management throughout the Chesapeake Bay watershed. Prior to the Trust, Jeff was the Manager of Conservation Projects for the Wildlife Habitat Council where he combined his passion for wildlife and restoration to design and managed wildlife and restoration to design and managed wildlife habitat restoration projects on corporate-owned lands. Jeff has also served as Co-Director of the Terrapin Institute since 2003, where he continues to apply his passion for wildlife, especially his favorite group of animals-reptiles and amphibians!



In his spare time, Jeff enjoys gardening, fishing, hunting, herping, checking out local breweries, good food, and spending time in the outdoors with friends and family.

Favorite native plant: Winterberry (Ilex verticillate)

Fun fact: Jeff was the editor of an educational children’s book focused on Diamondback Terrapins.

From the WSA website.

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Find recordings of previous meetings at [Just for Master Gardeners | University of Maryland Extension \(umd.edu\)](https://www.justformastergardeners.org/) Scroll to the bottom of the page.

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## Volunteer Opportunities

### Homeowner's Expo



Tickets & Times  
**Sept. 30- Oct. 1, 2023**  
Sat. 10 am-6PM, Sun. 12 noon-5PM  
Admission is FREE Compliments of our sponsors

Address and Directions  
2747 Riva Road, Annapolis, MD 21401

We have been asked to set up our Ask a Master Gardener table and volunteer Sept 30th from 10 - 6. Volunteers can work 4-hour shifts, 10 - 2, and 2 - 6. Contact [Sharon V. Smith](#)

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### **Tawes Garden Native Plant Festival A Celebration of Native Plants**

Saturday, September 16th  
10am to 2pm.

Tawes Garden is located adjacent to the Department of Natural Resources building off 580 Taylor Ave. in Annapolis, right next to the Naval Academy Stadium. There is free parking along Herbert M. Sachs Dr., off Taylor Avenue. the street fronting the DNR building.

Tawes Garden is a 5-acre mix of forest, streams, a pond, and cultivated gardens showcasing native plants, shrubs and trees representing each of the unique regions of the state. It is also

home to the Plant Mural, filled with flowering plants that are native to Maryland.

At this time of year, many gardeners think about changes to their landscape. The Festival offers a special opportunity to explore this gem of an urban garden to gain inspiration and knowledge about incorporating native plants into the mix.

Native plants are of special interest because they are adapted to the local climate. "They provide year-round food and habitat for a host of native pollinators and are easier to maintain", said Kathy Devine, an Anne Arundel County Master Gardener and co-chair of the Tawes Gardener project.

Representatives and booths from local groups supporting native plants and sustainable gardening, including Bay Wise, Project Butterfly and Bumblebee, Chesapeake Coastal Services, Master Gardeners Native Pollinators Group and Chesapeake Conservation Landscaping Council will be there. Tawes volunteer Master Gardeners will be available to help answer gardening questions and help attendees learn about the many native plants that are in the Plant Mural demonstration garden.

Visitors can also take advantage of a short self-guided QR-based tour which describes the different geographic areas represented within the garden. And if QR codes are still a mystery volunteers will be there to help people navigate them!

The Festival is free and open to all. The Garden is wheelchair and stroller accessible. The Tawes Garden in Annapolis, MD forms the campus of the Maryland Department of Natural Resources. The Garden is a valuable natural resource for the people of Maryland. It is a destination for visitors and a sanctuary for wildlife. For volunteer opportunities, contact [Catherine Crowley](#)

[Ask-a-Master-Gardener Plant Clinic Training](#) is available for a refresher or for anyone who is interested in working at the Farmers' Markets. Additionally, this link will take you to the state meetings.

**Severna Park Farmers' Market** continues to need volunteers for the following dates: 9/16, 9/23, and 10/7. It is easy to sign up and we have a wonderful time! Go to: [Master Gardeners: Severna Park Plant Clinics \(signupgenius.com\)](#)



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The **Bay-Wise Program** is looking for someone to join our Administrative Team. We need a volunteer proficient in Excel, email and Facebook to help manage inquiries and the yard visit schedule. You would be communicating with the public and Bay-Wise teammates. If you are looking for regular, ongoing volunteer hours, please email co-chair [Robin Gill](#)

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### Native Plants are on their Way - The English Ivy Must Go!

#### English Ivy Removal Event

Sunday, September 24, 2023  
9 am to 12 noon

English Ivy pushes out and excludes most all other vegetation! It has overrun Forest Conservation Area #9 in Park Retreat subdivision for too long and is on its way out! Volunteers are needed to help remove the ivy and plant natives in its place (in the interest of full disclosure, there will be more pulling than planting). If you are thinning out shade-loving natives, feel free to bring your extras! Feel free to come late and/or leave early. Refreshments provided! Volunteer hours given for this project.

Contact information: [Andrea Weir](#)



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In search of a Master Gardener to speak about container gardening using native plants at the South County Senior Center. We want to have a make and take workshop where participants leave with a container garden. The seniors may be asked to pay a materials fee. Because the center is closed on weekends, the event must be on a weekday. Please contact [Ann Sawyer](#).

### For Your Information

[Goshen Farm](#) Join us for our Annual Fall Open House on Saturday, September 23rd from 10 am to 2 pm at Goshen Farm for our 9th Annual Fall Open House. We are located at 1420 Cape St. Claire Road. This is a free event that is full of fun, family activities, and food! There will be 2 scheduled Tours of the Historic House (circa 1780's). Explore the farm and see all the educational opportunities. We do encourage people to bring their phones as portions of the tour will be digital.





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## EVENTS

<b>Project/Activity</b>	<b>Date/Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
<b>Dairy Farm Veggie Garden</b>	Second Saturday & fourth Thursday (beginning 3/11)	AAMG Extension Office	<a href="#">Malcom Doying</a> <a href="#">Pat Shema</a>
<b>Hancock's Resolution</b>	9:30-12:30 first and third Tuesdays, 1:00 - 4:00 Sundays through October.	2795 Bay Beach Rd. Pasadena 21122	<a href="#">Sign-Up Genius</a> <a href="#">Loretta Gerbrick</a> <a href="#">Betsy Beck</a> <a href="#">Nancy Allred</a>
<b>Tawes Garden</b>	Tuesday morning, 8am-12noon	Tawes Garden 580 Taylor Ave. Annapolis, 21401	<a href="#">Cindy Wells</a> <a href="#">Kathy Devine</a>
<b>South County Senior Center</b> Educational Outreach Tabling and workdays	9/26, 5-7 PM (work day) 10/14, 10am-12pm( work day and tabling event)	27 <b>Stepneys Lane</b> , Edgewater, 21037	<a href="#">Elena Corbett</a> and <a href="#">Caroline Donovan</a>
<b>Tawes Garden Native Plant Festival</b>	<b>9/16</b> <b>10AM-2PM</b>	<b>Tawes Garden</b> <b>580 Taylor Ave.</b> <b>Annapolis, 21401</b>	<a href="#">Catherine Crowley</a>
Cape Conservation Corps Plant Sale	9/23 9AM-12PM	1223 River Bay Rd 21409	<a href="#">Native Plant Fest &amp; Sale 2023 – Cape Conservation Corps</a>
Providence Center Pottery Sale	9/23 10 AM-2PM	Pottery and Arts Studio 40 Church Rd., Arnold	442-955-6073
English Ivy Removal Event	9/24 9AM-12PM	103 Natalie Lane, Millersville, MD	<a href="#">Andrea Weir</a>
Lunch & Learn Fall Yard Maintenance	9/28; 11:30 AM -1:00 PM	Chase Garden 22 Maryland Ave. Annapolis 21401	<a href="#">Kim Forry</a>
Providence Center Plant Sale	9/30 10 AM-2PM	Providence Center Greenhouses 370 Shore Acres Rd., Arnold	410-766-2212 Ext. 450

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