

Newbury Garden Club ~ 2026 Meetings at-a-Glance

All meetings start at 10:30 am. Workshops and lectures are at the Newbury Library. Field trip locations are noted.

- ✿ Please remember to RSVP (yes/no) to the meeting Coordinator, by the date requested!
- ✿ Home Hostesses or Co-Hostesses are responsible for finding a replacement if unable to fulfill their commitment, and notify the Hospitality Co-Chair (Jill Gourley) of the change.
- ✿ Carpooling with other members is highly recommended for the Movable Feast & Garden Tour and Field Trips.

| Date | Event | Coordinator | Home Hostess | Co-Hostesses |
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| March 12 | WORKSHOP Spring Flowers for Seniors | Jill Gourley jillgourley1958@gmail.com (978) 491-8801 | Gerry Heavey 43 Main Street Byfield | Nancy Blais Charleen Maunsell Jill Sczepanski |
| April 9 | LECTURE Tim Lamprey | Hilda Parrott hparrott1@gmail.com (978) 505-0478 | Erica Swanson 39 Riverview Drive Newbury | Elaine Schafer Lauren Jurgelon Lynne Peabody |
| May 14 | LECTURE Bethany Groff Dorau /Laura Coombs Hill | Kathy Lord Kml10025@gmail.com (914) 525-0832 | Allison Lehane 198 High Road Newbury | Ellen Fitzgerald Jill Gourley Hilda Parrott |
| June 11 | MOVABLE FEAST & GARDEN TOUR | Nancy Chmielinski nanski25@yahoo.com (508) 873-4482 Jill Gourley jillgourley1958@gmail.com (978) 491-8801 | Appetizers Tina Gibson, 115 Caldwell Farm Road, Byfield | Leslie Eckholdt Charleen Maunsell Linda Miller |
| | | | Main Course Lynda Alford, 19 Myrtle Avenue, Newburyport | Juliet Alsina Lauren Jurgelon Denise Grenier |
| | | | Dessert Donna Seim 168 Middle Road, Byfield | Donna Cognac Trish Robinson Ellen Fitzgerald |
| July 9 | WORKSHOP A Petal Unfolds | Jill Sczepanski jisczepa@gmail.com (978) 835-2147 | Amy Knowlton 188 Middle Road Byfield | Kathy Lord Tam Schwartz Carole Ward |
| August 13 | FIELD TRIP Castle Hill/Crane Estate 290 Argilla Road, Ipswich | Member needed | • Lunch to follow at a local restaurant | |
| September 10 | FIELD TRIP Farm to Table Luncheon 163 High Road, Newbury | Rebecca Foley rebecca@foley.org (617) 513-5726 | • Lunch at farm | Rebecca Foley Allison Lehane Erica Swanson |
| October 8 | FIELD TRIP Cider Hill Farm Tour 45 Fern Avenue, Amesbury | Allison Lehane highroad198@icloud.com (617) 735-7133 | • Lunch at farm | |
| November 12 | WORKSHOP Evergreen Bouquets for Newbury Seniors | Donna Seim dseim@comcast.net (978) 259-8604 | Diane Murphy 5 Brown Square Newburyport | Lynda Alford Mary Duggan-Gilbert Dianna Kinosian |
| | ANNUAL MEETING ~ <i>At this meeting:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Nominating Committee will present the 2027 Executive Officers nominees • The Executive Officers will be elected • A draft of the 2027 budget will be presented • Club dues of \$80 will be collect by the Treasurer (Bernadette Powers) | | <i>Members will sign-up for the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2027 Hostess and Co-Hostesses • 2027 Club Committees • Christmas Party Buffet: appetizer, salads, entrees or dessert | |
| December 10 | CHRISTMAS PARTY | Nancy Chmielinski nanski25@yahoo.com (508) 873-4482 | Nancy Chmielinski 123 Elm Street Byfield | Bernadette Powers Mary Duggan-Gilbert Member needed |
| Members are asked to bring a dish for the buffet (sign-up November meeting) and a \$10 – \$20 wrapped gift if they wish to participate in the Yankee Swap. | | | | |