



Become a Member

Interested in joining us? The Hanover Garden Club, Hanover, NH, was established in 1936 with the purpose of promoting the knowledge and love of gardening; participating in civic beautification; and promoting conservation and sustainability.

The Hanover Garden Club is a volunteer-based 501(c)(3) organization with membership open to **any resident of the Upper Valley** who may be interested in the purposes of the Club.

Meetings are held on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 1:00 PM, except in September when the date may vary. There is no club meeting in December. All monthly meetings are held at the Montshire Museum of Science, Norwich, VT, and more recently also via Zoom, except as otherwise noted.

Programs start with a short business meeting followed by a guest speaker and end with social time and refreshments, when possible.

Annual dues are \$35 for the 1st family member and \$25 for the 2nd family member.

Garden Club Projects

Service:

- Provide small floral arrangements to Upper Valley hospitals and nursing homes
- Distribute holiday arrangements to seniors and Meals on Wheels recipients at holidays
- Provide gardening assistance and advice for novice gardeners
- Sponsor a yearly plant sale

Education:

- Support Horticultural Activities at the Montshire Museum of Science
- Hold monthly meetings related to gardening
- Conduct workshops

- Distribute information on invasive plants
- Donate funds to Upper Valley libraries
- Maintain an active web site
- Participate in and support conservation efforts

Beautification:

- Operate and maintain an active greenhouse
- Plant town gardens in Hanover
- Provide holiday wreaths to Hanover town offices
- Offer an open garden program during the summer months

For more information visit our website: www.hanovergardenclub.org

If you wish to become a member, please complete the form below and mail with a check for \$35 for 1st family member and an additional \$25 for the 2nd family member, **payable to The Hanover Garden Club.**

**The Hanover Garden Club
c/o Membership Chair
P.O. Box 726
Hanover, NH 03755-0726**

New Member Interests & Skills

To you, as a new member of the Hanover Garden Club, **WELCOME!**

We want to be sure that you become as involved as you want to be in our organization. In order for you to do that, we need to know your specific interests and where you would like to focus your expertise. Once this questionnaire is returned, the membership committee will pass your responses on to the appropriate committee chair, who will then be in contact with you.

Club Activities:

- _____ Arrange small flower arrangements for patients at DHMC
- _____ Help with bulk mailing (2-3 times a year)
- _____ Help with publicity (includes social media)
- _____ Help with newsletter
- _____ Help with Tiny Tins Project – mid Dec.
- _____ Provide refreshments for a monthly meeting
- _____ Wish to support the Club **only** with my yearly membership dues
- _____ Willing to show off my garden to club members

Conservation:

We encourage new members to learn more about these projects and become involved either in your own gardens or on a local level.

- _____ Plant pollinator gardens with native plants
- _____ Identify and remove invasive plants
- _____ Help with the Deer Management Trillium Project

Greenhouse Activities:

- _____ Work in the greenhouse watering plants Sept-May
- _____ Pot and/or repot seedlings that will be sold at the Plant Sale -Sept.-May

Holiday Sale:

(1st Sat. in Dec.-fundraiser)

- _____ Make Boxwood trees
- _____ Make Christmas Crackers
- _____ Bake and/or decorate holiday treats
- _____ Contribute costume jewelry, scarves, purses, wallets & attic treasures
- _____ Sell raffle tickets
- _____ Contribute to Artisan 50/50 table
- _____ Work at the sale
- _____ Help with set-up and/or clean-up

Plant Sale in May:

(3rd Sat. in May-fundraiser)

- _____ Pot perennials in preparation for the Plant Sale – 1st 3 weeks in May
- _____ Help the day of the sale

Town Gardens

(Planted @ 4th weekend in May)

- _____ Help design the town gardens
- _____ Help plant the town gardens
- _____ Adopt a town garden to weed – June – Sept.

If you have a particular topic of interest you would like to see presented at a monthly meeting, please indicate what it is on the reverse side. The Program Committee tailors the programs to the interest of the members of The Hanover Garden Club.

NAME(S): _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: Home _____ Cell _____

E-MAIL: _____