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Please call 303-690-4722 Ext. 101 or register online at [www.TagawaGardens.com](http://www.TagawaGardens.com) 'Classes & Events' page. You will receive an e-mail notification ONLY if the class for which you are registering is full. A reminder call is given the week of the class, your spot will be filled if we do not hear back within 48 hours. **Materials fees are payable to the instructor in the form of cash or check and collected at the beginning of the class. Please check TagawaGardens.com often for information and additional classes—our website is updated once or twice a week and we are always adding more for you!**

**Sat., Apr. 2:**

**10-11 AM, Salad in a Container,** Suzy, Vegetable Garden Coach. "Rows" are definitely passé. Why hike to the back yard for those tender, sweet leaves when you can just reach out your door and have all you want? Replant a crop in the time it takes to finish your salad.

**11:30AM-12:30 PM, What's Bugging Your Roses?** Allow Lynn to help you nip your rose bush problems in the bud! Discover how easy it can be to keep insects and disease issues at bay and away! Conventional and organic controls will be discussed along with effective cultural practices.

**1- 3 PM, Cutting-Edge Perennials for 2011,** Lina, our veteran perennial expert, will present new and exciting perennials, as well as others that you just can't live without.

**Sun., Apr. 3:**

**10 AM-Noon, The Natives Are Restless Lecture Series; Part 1- Native Trees,** Arapahoe County Master Gardeners Colorado. Native trees are naturally adapted to our Colorado climate, soil and environmental conditions in addition to requiring less maintenance. They also attract a wide variety of wildlife including mammals, birds, and butterflies. Native trees are part of our natural heritage and the eco-systems of Colorado. Come learn about some of the great native trees and their benefits in your landscape.

**1-2 PM, Pond Filtration,** Shane Hastings & Zack Ploen of Professional Ponds LLC. A pond filter is the back bone of any pond. Learn about the importance of pond filtration and its key role in lowering maintenance and keeping your pond beautiful with minimal work and additives. Filtration differs between applications, so learn what is going to work best for your situation. We will cover all 3 major types of essential filtration.

**2:30-3:30 PM, Fire Resistant Landscaping,** Einar Jensen, Fire & Life Safety Educator. What you do with the 30 feet of landscaping around your home can influence whether your home burns or survives a wildfire (or other natural disaster). We'll discuss wildfire behavior in order to determine how to landscape for safety and aesthetics based on characteristics of fire resistant plant species. We'll also review mitigation strategies and the tax deduction for mitigation.

**Fri., Sat., & Sun. Apr. 8, 9 & 10:**

**9:00 AM - 4:00 PM, Rocky Mountain Society of Botanical Artists Exhibition & Sale**  
This Society is a non-profit organization dedicated to creating public awareness of and appreciation for botanical art, historical and contemporary, in our community. This show features original art, prints, cards and calendars, all created by members.

**Sat., Apr. 9:**

**10 AM – 4 PM, Belly-Up to the Woolly Bar—Vertical Gardening Demos.** Featuring the '2010 Best of Show' Independent Garden Center Winning Product 'Woolly Pocket.' by an associate of Woolly Pocket.

**11 AM-2 PM, Colorado House Rabbit Society!** Visit with the House Rabbit Society members and bunnies to find out if a rabbit is a "fit" for your family—at Easter or anytime! Learn about proper

care, feeding and tips for successfully introducing bunnies to your home.

**Sun., Apr. 10:**

**10 AM-12 PM, The Natives Are Restless Lecture Series; Part. 2- Native Shrubs,** Arapahoe County Master Gardeners. Using Colorado native shrubs will reward the homeowner with their natural beauty. Because native shrubs are naturally adapted to our climate, soil, and environmental conditions they generally require less watering, fertilizing, and pruning. Native shrubs also serve as habitats for bees, birds and butterflies while contributing to the biodiversity of our state. Pull up a seat and together we will discuss the rewards of native shrubs in your landscape.

**1– 2 PM, Planning Your Glorious Wedding,** Pam Brown, Floral designer and event planner of *Next Great Idea Designs* will help you develop the magic, beauty and practicality you need for a picture perfect wedding. From do-it –yourself decorations to once-in –a lifetime transformations, Pamela invites you to share her expertise designing hundreds of weddings and large events. She promises plenty of time for Q & A!

**2:30– 4 PM, Going Wild in the 'burbs',** Leslie. Create a "Wild Corner" in a suburban backyard; learn how much wildlife you can attract by planting varieties that attract birds, butterflies, hummingbirds & more!

**Fri., Apr. 15:**

**4-7 PM, Night of Wine & Roses & 20% OFF EVERYTHING\* IN OUR STORE THIS EVENING ONLY!!!!** This annual event celebrates the first time this spring that our potted roses will be available for sale! Enjoy wine-tasting from Ballistreri Vineyards (wines available for purchase, also!), fruit and gourmet cheeses, compliments of the Tagawa Family, plus a special presentation by 9NEWS Rob Proctor! (\*see TagawaGardens.com for details.)

**4-6 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor presents...Growing Roses in Containers.** Got Sun? Delight in your scents of smell and plant an English Rose or choose one of The Patio and Miniatures—their small exquisite blooms are simply "Perfection in a Pot". Learn how you can enjoy roses on your patio, deck or balcony!

**Sat., Apr. 16:**

**10 AM-Noon, Charity Garden Party,** hosted by Luan Akin, Garden Ambassador. Be invigorated, excited, inspired, educated and have good old-fashioned, hands-in–the-dirt fun! You will enjoy planting with the expertise of our knowledgeable staff that will help you through every step of planting your hanging basket. Your planted basket will grow to perfection in our greenhouse and be ready for pick up after May 29. Complimentary refreshments and door prizes provided by local merchants. **Limit: 50, Mat. Fee \$89 (\$9 goes to Children's Hospital Foundation), please register for this class!**

**11 AM – 2 PM, Square-Foot Gardening Demos,** Joel Uhler, Square Foot Gardening Master. 12 X 12 is the magic formula for increasing both variety and production in your home garden! Don't worry about planting and hoeing all those 'rows' ... you can grow great veggies, one foot at a time!

**1– 2 PM, Cast-Iron Roses,** Lynn. All rose bushes are not the same and some

don't like to play nicely! Join us for a insightful discussion on which roses have the metal to make gardening in Colorado a joy

**2:30-PM-4:30 PM, Build Your Own Terrarium,** Dee. Think layered, like building a lasagna! Find the container that inspires you then, add drainage, soil & plants that you love and require similar conditions. Handout is included.

**Sun., Apr. 17:**

**10:30 -11:30 AM, Planting A Container Garden to Attract Hummingbirds For Kids,** Miss Becca & Grandma Mimi. Did you know that Hummingbirds are attracted to red flowers? In this fun & informative class, kids will learn about the wonderful little hummingbirds and how to attract them to your yard. Each child will plant and take home a small pot of flowers that will entice the hummingbirds to you. **Limit: 15 children, max. three kids per adult, Mat. Fee \$10, please register for this class!**

**10 AM-12 PM, The Natives Are Restless Lecture Series; Part 3- Native Herbaceous Perennials,** Arapahoe County Master Gardeners. Our native plants make Colorado visually distinct from other parts of the country. Native perennials are naturally adapted to our climates, soils and environmental conditions and offer many benefits including reducing the need for maintenance, fertilizers and pesticides. Once established, native plants also help conserve water and attract a variety of wildlife including mammals, birds, butterflies and other beneficial insects. Share an hour with us and learn about some of the great native perennials and their benefits in your landscape.

**1 – 2 PM, Pruning 101,** Craig Miller. So, how do you properly prune that tree or shrub in your yard? Why and when should you prune? What should you look for when contracting with a tree care professional? These and other questions will be answered during the course of this enlightening class.

**3-5 PM, All Natural Skin Care,** Christina Blume. See how easy and inexpensive it is to make your own facial steams with herbs, cleansing grains and creams, wonderful masques, including alpha hydroxy, herbal toners and astringents, and a rich cream moisturizer that contains far more nutrients and anti-oxidants for your skin than anything available commercially. You'll also learn how to make a profoundly healing cream for damaged skin and premature wrinkling. Learn a few tricks for blemishes and how to make a creamy, healing lip balm. Take home an extensive handout, bag of steaming herbs, a month supply jar of moisturizer and a pot of lip balm. After using the moisturizer from class, you and your skin will never again be satisfied with anything less. **Limit 30: Mat. Fee 25, payable to the instructor, please register for this class!**

**Sat., Apr. 23:**

**9:30 – 11 AM, Welcome Back Hummingbirds,** Leslie, Renew your passion for bird feeding and attracting wildlife. Annual plants that attract hummingbirds will be featured.

**10:30-11:30 AM, Kids Fairy Garden,** Miss Becca & Grandma Mimi. Kids get to discover the magical world of fairy gardens! Each child will put together their very own fairy garden to take home. **Limit: 15 children accompanied by adults, max. three kids per adult,**

**Mat. Fee \$20, please register for this class.**

**12 – 1 PM, New & Recommended Trees for the Front Range,** Jim Ord, Sales representative for J. Frank Schmidt Nursery. Come and learn all the basics you need to know about these popular and exciting breeds, types, and styles of trees that are not only fresh ideas for planting along the Front range, but recommended for our climate and altitude!

**1:30-2:30 PM, Container Gardens for Small Spaces,** Learn how to grow vegetables and herbs on your deck, patio or balcony. Lindsey & Kris will help you choose the best plants and plant practices to grow your own.

**Sun., May 1:**

**11 AM – 12 PM, Alpine Plants in a Trough.** Denver Botanic Gardens' renowned Plantsman and Director of Outreach, Panayoti Kelaidis will discuss the broad spectrum of miniature plants offered at Tagawa Gardens. He will demonstrate how these little plants can be used in a variety of ways, especially in Hypertufa or troughs where you can have alpine flowers blooming in the early spring on your patio or deck! Issues of soil, exposure and plant care will be discussed and you will learn how you can bring the magic of the mountains to your home!

**2:00 – 3:00 PM, Choosing the Right Tree for the Right Location & How to Plant that Tree,** Craig Miller. This class will help you make the right decision when it comes to tree selection and planting. We will explore environmental factors that influence tree selection, what you should look for when purchasing a tree, tree placement and proper planting techniques.

**Fri., May 6:**

**8 AM, Our Annual Buy One Get One Free Hanging Basket sale begins!** 10" potted (1.5 gal/5.87 l) only, with orange price tags, while supplies last, see TagawaGardens.com Weekly Special page for details.

**11 AM – 1 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Roses in Container Gardens Demonstration.**

**May 7 & 8:**

**Our 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Mother's Day Spring Open House!** Hot dogs, soft drinks & popcorn, compliments of the Tagawa Family. Plus, free concerts and our annual Buy1, Get 1, FREE 10" potted (1.5 gal (5.87 l)) hanging basket sale (orange price tags only, while supplies last, see TagawaGardens.com Events page for details).

**Sat., May 7:**

**9:30 – 11:30AM, Reckless Abandon,** This local four person band delights us with toe-tapping harmonies! A Tagawa favorite!

**1:30-3:30 PM Dakota Blonde.** This trio performs originals and songs that are a unique combination of folk, bluegrass, and country with a little Celtic tinge!

**Sun., May 8:**

**Mother's Day Our 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Mother's Day Spring Open House** Free hot dogs, soft drinks & popcorn, compliments of the Tagawa Family as a "Thank You" to our community. Plus, free concerts and our annual 'Cat's Meow Special' — Buy 1, Get 1, FREE 10 "potted (1.5 gal (5.87 l)) hanging basket sale (orange price tags only, while supplies last, plus other specials, see TagawaGardens.com for details.

**10:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Kantankerous,** This local high energy, bluegrass band delights us with toe-tapping harmonies!

**2, 3, & 4 PM, Denver Taiko.** Our greenhouses will rock with the heart-felt sounds of this exciting group! They'll perform a 20 minute mini-concert on the hour!

**Fri., May 13:**

**11:00 AM – 1:00 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Tropical Plant Container Garden Demo.**

**Sat., May 14:**

**10:00-11:00 AM, How to Successfully Grow Container Gardens in the Hot Sun,** Patty. Everything you need to know to grow beautiful container gardens that thrive in the hot summer sun! A number of 'tried and true' heat loving flower varieties will be showcased, along with some new and unusual plants. Learn techniques for choosing containers, selecting soil, watering, and fertilizing to ensure your success.

**12 PM -2 PM, Garden Demos,** Luan Akin. See website for topics!

**Sun., May 15:**

**11 AM – 1 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Perennial Garden Layout Demo.**

**11 AM - 2 PM, Square Foot Gardening Demo,** Joel Uhler, Square Foot Garden Master. 12 X 12 is the magic formula for increasing both variety and production in your home garden! Don't worry about planting and hoeing all those 'rows' ... you can grow great veggies, one foot at a time!

**Fri., May 20:**

**11:00 AM– 1:00 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Tree & Shrub Container Garden Demo.**

**Sat., May 21:**

**11 AM-12 PM, Vertical Gardening,** Kris & Patty. Trellises, nets, strings, cages and poles are the usual vertical gardening supports. See what can be done to acquire more space for growing and what fun there is in discovering new fangled gizmos!

**11 AM – 2 PM, Square-Foot Gardening Demos,** Joel Uhler, Square Foot Garden Master. 12 X 12 is the magic formula for increasing both variety and production in your home garden! Don't worry about planting and hoeing all those 'rows' ... you can grow great veggies, one foot at a time!

**1 -2 PM, Build Your Own Wormery for Composting.** Luan Akin shows how easy it is to recycle kitchen scraps into wonderful, rich compost in a small space with the help of our worm friends—perfect for any size garden, patio or balcony!

**Sun., May 22:**

**11 AM – 1 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Sunny Container Garden Demo.**

**Fri., May 27:**

**11 AM– 1 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Shady Container Garden Demo.**

**Sat., May 28:**

**10 – 11 AM, 'Made in the Shade' Perennials for your Shady Garden Spaces,!** Presented by Linda and Jill, two of our wonderful perennial experts! Do your shade areas leave you feeling puzzled and unsure about what to plant for the best color and beauty? Come to this class for inspiration and ideas!

**12 PM -2 PM, Gardening Demos,** Luan Akin, see website for topics!

**Sun., May 29:**

**11 AM – 1 PM, 9NEWS Rob Proctor Presents...Succulent Container Garden Demo.**

**Sat., Jun. 4:**

**10 AM-12 PM, Kaleidoscope of Color Lecture Series; Part 1- Spring Color,** Arapahoe County Master Gardeners. Learn to create interest in the garden year around. For the fresh, sunny spring bring your landscape to life with the colorful flowers of bulbs, perennials and flowering trees and shrubs. In this first of three series, learn how to say good-bye to winter with a rich kaleidoscope of color for the spring season in your landscape.

**1– 3 PM, Four Seasons in the Dry Perennial Garden.** We kick off 'June is Perennial Gardening Month' with renowned writer and perennial gardener Marcia Tatroe, who will be share with us how to have four seasons of beauty in your perennial garden. You won't want to miss this!

**Sun., Jun. 5:**

**10– 11 AM, B.E.S.T. Plants for Colorado Water Features,** Cyndie Thomas. How and what plants to buy for your water garden that flourish in our climate. Learn the benefits of plants in the pond, preparing your pond for the winter. All you need to know to winterize your pond & information on the special needs of fish & plants to over-winter successfully.

**12 – 2:30 PM, Principles of Xeriscape, Part 1; Basics & Design,** Craig Miller. Xeriscape is not just rocks and cactus, but a colorful, lower maintenance alternative to the water hungry landscape we are most used to. Learn the 7 principles of xeriscaping, and take away some great ideas for retrofitting your existing landscape, or installing a new one! Xeriscaping offers a way to have beautiful, livable landscapes without excess water use, and all good Xeriscapes begin with a good design. Learn the basics of xeric yard and garden design in this instructive class.

**Sat., Jun. 11**

**10 AM-12 PM, Kaleidoscope of Color Lecture Series: Part 2- Summer Color,** Arapahoe County Master Gardeners. Learn to create interest in the garden year round. For the sizzling, hot summer use the vibrant colorful and fragrant flowers of perennials, annuals and shrubs. In this second of three series, we move to summer and discuss which plants will provide a kaleidoscope of color for the summer season in your landscape.

**1– 2 PM, Rejuvenate Your Landscape with Perennials,** Suzy S. Is your landscape too dreary for words? Tired and Trouble-some? This class will teach you everything you need to know to make it beautiful again! Taught by our Nursery Expert Susy, whose knowledge of landscape and design will make this project actually doable.

**2:30 – 3:30 PM, Herb "Walk",** Jackie Robb. Have you ever wondered how herbs can be used medicinally or how to know which herb to choose? It is easy to become overwhelmed by all the choices of plants! Come take a stroll through the herb section at Tagawa's and learn how these beautiful plants can be used to help you feel better. Learn how to choose herbal plants based on their healing qualities and how to grow some of these incredible plants in your very own garden. **Each participant will take home a 2 1/2 in. organic herb plant of choice. Mat. Fee \$6**

**Sun., Jun. 12:**

**9:30 – 11:30 AM, Luxurious Lotions,** Jackie Robb. Diethanolamine(DEA), lodopropynyl Butylcarbamate, Magnesium aluminum silicate. Are these ingredients in your lotions or moisturizers? Are they safe? Have you noticed that the 'natural' ingredients are listed towards the end of ingredients, meaning they are in the smallest

amounts? Come learn how to make your own moisturizing lotions without irritating and harmful chemicals at a fraction of the cost you would pay at the stores. You will learn how to make lotion that are nutritious to the skin using truly natural and organic ingredients that will leave your skin feeling soft and supple. Learn how to incorporate your favorite healing and moisturizing herbs you can grow in your own garden. Participants will go home with samples of a lotions made in class as well as a handout with many terrific recipes to try at home. **Limit 30; Mat. Fee \$15, payable to the instructor, please register for this class.**

**12 – 2:30 PM, Principles of Xeriscape, Parts 2, 3, & 4; Soil Preparation, Appropriate Use of Turf, & Plant Selection,** Craig Miller. Next to design, soil preparation is the most important part of successful xeriscaping and gardening. We will dish out the "dirt" on amending soil for a water-efficient and healthy landscape. The most controversial and misunderstood of the Xeriscape principles is the concept of appropriate turf. Turf grasses have a place in the landscape, even in a Xeriscape. We will provide you with guidance on this aspect of landscaping, as well as cover plant selection and proper grouping of plant materials in this informative class.

**Sat., Jun. 18:**

**10 AM. – 12 PM, Gardeners "Kaleidoscope of Color" Lecture Series; Part 3- Fall & Winter Color Kaleidoscope.** Arapahoe County Master Gardeners. Learn to create interest in the garden year round. For the crisp, chilly autumn increase your garden palette with flowering perennials, brilliant colorful foliage and ornamental grasses while in the winter the berries, evergreens and showy twigs and bark provide color and interest. Then we will continue the season of color INDOORS and talk about coloring up your home with beautiful houseplant selections. In this last of three series, learn which plants will provide a kaleidoscope of color for fall, winter and indoors!

**1:00 PM -2:30 PM, Create a Flagstone Patio or Pathway with Perennials,** Have you been picturing a stone path or patio in your yard but don't know where to start? Mike Maroney from Bighorn Landscape Materials, will show you what you need to know about construction and Lina our perennial expert will show you what perennials will embellish it!

**3:00 – 4:00 PM, Create a Perennial Cutting Garden,** Ginger. Part of the fun of perennial gardening is being able to cut some of the flowers and bring them into your home for beautiful floral displays. Learn which perennials work best for this as well as tips for making them last.

**Sun., Jun. 19:**

**12 – 2:30 PM, Principles of Xeriscape, Parts 5, 6, & 7; Irrigation, Mulch, & Maintenance,** Craig Miller. Irrigation is necessary in a xeric landscape, at least during the first few years while the plants' root systems are developing. And critical to making efficient use of that water is the appropriate use of mulch. Find out what you need to know about these two xeric principles in this class. Maintaining the landscape cannot be forgotten, even in a Xeriscape. Pruning, occasional weeding and pest management, checking that the irrigation system is functioning properly, and adjusting automatic irrigation systems as the seasons change will be needed. Come learn what you need to know to maintain your Xeriscape properly!

**Jun. 25 & 26:****Herb Festival****Sat., Jun. 25:**

**Sat., Jun. 25: 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM, Herbs for Women's Health and Well-Being,** Tammi Hartung. Herbs hold a special place for women's health and well-being. Herbs can be helpful and supportive to young women going through puberty, women of childbearing age, and to assist with premenstrual challenges, and as women begin

and complete their menopausal years. Tammi will discuss all of these cycles in a woman's life during this workshop.

**9:30 AM – 10:30 AM Walk on the Trailhead,** Kris. Let's go for a walk on the Cherry Creek Nature Trail. We can learn what grows naturally in this riparian environment and how these plants have been used traditionally and historically.

**11:30 AM –12:30 PM, Planting an Herb Garden for Kids,** Miss Becca & Grandma Mimi. Children love to grow their favorite flavors! Kids will plant a small container of herbs to take home. **Limit: 15 children accompanied by adults, max. 3 children per adult, Mat. Fee: \$10 per child, please register for this class!**

**2 – 3 PM, How to Grow Herbs,** Learn how to grow culinary or medicinal herbs in pots or in your garden. This class will cover the basics and you will learn how adaptable and easy herbs are to grow.

**Sun., Jun. 26:**

**10:30-11:30 AM, Presto! Chango! Easy Throw -Together Feasts from Raw Herbs,** Deb Whittaker. Learn how to use fresh herbs to transform the foods you eat everyday into gourmet fare! Pasta Al Fresco: European Preboggin; Root Slaw; Mint Mojito; Tarragon Chicken Salad; Lemon Thyme Chick Pea Salad; Vietnamese Spring Rolls and more. **Mat. Fee \$5 per person, payable to instructor. Please register for this class at least a week ahead so we can be sure we have enough for tasting.**

**10:30 – 11:30 AM, Planting a Patriotic Pot for Kids,** Miss Becca & Grandma Mimi use the colors of the U.S.A to teach little gardeners about planting a container garden. Kids plant a small pot of red, white and blue flowers to take home. **Limit: 15 children accompanied by adults, max. 3 children per adult, Mat. Fee: \$10 per child, please register for this class!**

**1 – 3 PM, Indoor Herb Walk,** Christina Blume. In this class you'll get to see and learn about all the herbs Tagawa has for your home garden. We'll discuss a little of the growing requirements, medicinal and culinary properties of the herbs and some fun folklore as well. I always learn something new myself in this class! You'll leave with a fat notebook and lots of ideas for the herbs you want to add to your summer gardens. **Limit: 20 Mat. Fee \$5 payable to instructor, please register for this class!**

**Instructors:**

**Becca,** Co-Supervisor of Tagawa's Garden Supplies Dept. and 10 year Tagawa Team member.  
**Carole Kastler,** Landscape Designer and Owner of CamelotDesign.net.  
**Christina Blume,** Certified Herbalist and instructor at Tagawa Gardens for over 15 years.  
**Craig Miller,** Arborist and Water Conservation Specialist for the Parker Water & Sanitation District

**Cyndie Thomas,** Professional author for Pond Trade Magazine  
**Deb Whittaker,** Herb Gourmet, author and culinary herb expert.  
**Dee,** Tropical Plant Horticulturist, Tagawa Gardens Indoor Plant & Water Gardening Dept. Supervisor and 20 year Tagawa Gardens team member.  
**Ginger,** Perennial Department Supervisor and 17 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Grandma Mimi,** Tagawa's Children's Garden Ambassador and 3 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Jackie Robb,** Herbalist and instructor for Tagawa Gardens for 5 years.

**Jill,** Perennials Specialist and 6 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Kris,** Certified Herbalist, Tagawa's

Annals/Production Dept. Co-Manager and 12 year Tagawa Gardens team member

**Leslie,** 10 year Tagawa's Garden Expert, Naturalist and National Wildlife Federation Habitat Steward.

**Lina,** Perennials Expert and 19 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Linda,** Perennials Specialist and 7 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Lindsey,** Annals Specialist and 2 year Tagawa Gardens Team member.

**Luan Akin,** Tagawa's Garden Ambassador since 2008 and former TV Reporter.

**Lynn,** Rose Department Supervisor and 14 years Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Marcia Tatroe,** Author and Professional Gardener.

**Marge,** Garden Expert and 17 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Panayoti Kelaidis,** Senior Curator & Director of Outreach for Denver Botanic Gardens

**Pam,** Floral Designer and Event Planner for *Next Great Idea Designs,* and 3 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Patty,** Annals Specialist and a 6 year Tagawa Gardens team member

**Rob Proctor,** 9News Garden Expert and author, artist, garden designer extraordinaire.

**Suzy S.,** Garden Designer and 12 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Suzy C.,** Annals Specialist and 5 year Tagawa Gardens team member.

**Coming in****July, August & September 2011**

**July 16 & 17,** Grey Kitty® Birthday Party/Pet Rescue Information Event

**July 23,** Mountain & Plains Iris Society Annual Rhizome Sale

**Aug. 13 & 14,** Tomatopalooza Weekend

**Sept. 3 & 4,** Chile Pepper Fiesta!

**Sept. 10 & 11,** Colorado Dahlia Society Show

**"Gardening with Ginger & Friends"** This is FREE, half-hour consultation at Tagawa Gardens with Ginger our Perennial Department Supervisor or another Perennial Team Member. They can help you with perennials, annuals, garden prep or just take you on a personal shopping trip around our greenhouses to find the plants you need. This service is by appointment only. Please call 303-690-4722 ext 100 or 101 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

**"Garden Designs with Carole" A \$400 value for \$300!** Meet for one-hour, here at Tagawa Gardens, with Landscape Designer, Carole Kastler, of Camelot Design. Bring the required materials and you'll receive a **sketch for an area of your backyard or front yard,** complete with a **plant list,** plus a **\$150.00 Tagawa Gift Certificate** to help you realize your landscape dream. This service is by appointment only, 303-690-4722 ext 100 or 101. If you need landscape design service for a larger area, a more formal plan, or would