



**LECTURES | DEMONSTRATIONS | WORKSHOPS
2020-2021**

Dear Garden Club Program Chair –

I'm Michele Schuckel, MBA, BS, Certified Master Gardener and owner and principal designer of Natural Selections Gardens. I'm an experienced, detail oriented and organized public speaker and I present with an eye toward the art and science of horticulture and the passion and joys we can find around all-things-plants! Below you will find a list of my program offerings. Details are on my website and I'd be pleased to answer your questions – just call me at 617-417-0784 or send an email to Michele@NaturalSelectionsGardens.com

Lectures:

Native Plants, Natural Selections: Survival of the Fittest **(Most Popular Program)**

Gardening for Pollinators: Draw Birds and Butterflies

Field to Fork: The Horticulture of the food we eat **(New Program)**

Composting How-to: Hands in the Dirt

Winter in the Yard: Plants and Animals that Thrive and Survive in the Cold **(New Program)**

Demonstrations:

Everyday Centerpieces & The Art of Easy Entertaining

The Botany of Beverages **(Great Couples or New Member Event, can include a tasting)**

Winter Blooms: Amaryllis & Paperwhites

Pruning - Remove the mystery

Healthy Gardeners: Mindfulness in the Garden & Elsewhere.

Workshops:

Winter Blooms: Amaryllis & Paperwhites **(Also available as a demo)**

Yankee Containers for Sun and Shade **(Fall/Spring).**

Details:

- Pricing available on my website or via phone/email
- Workshops/tastings start at standard rates with an additional, reasonable fee
- Handouts and mileage inside Rt. 495 included
- Let's talk about an opportunity drawings or ways to customize a program for your club
- Having run a small garden club with a limited budget and a large group with many members I understand the constraints of budgets, boards, and community organizations. References available or check out my [video](#)
- It's best for all of us to have great communication so I always work with a contract; flexibility and backup dates around Coronavirus changes welcome and encouraged