

Naples Garden Club

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MISSION: Provide opportunities for sharing and learning about horticulture, floral design and the environment in a congenial supportive atmosphere



ABOUT US:

Year established: 1953
Annual revenues: \$179,882
Total members: 270

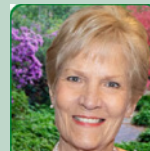
GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA(S):

The entire state of Florida

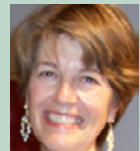
TOP FUNDING SOURCES:

House & Garden Tour
 Charitable Gifts
 Sponsorships

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:



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The Naples Garden Club was one of the first environmental organizations in Collier County spearheading one-time civic improvements such as Gore Nature Education Center's indoor and outdoor classrooms and establishing long-standing commitments. One of special note is our support of the Naples Botanical Garden since its inception partnering in 2010 to establish the Idea Garden. That same year we endowed an annual research fellowship with Florida Gulf Coast University. This year's recipient studied the relationship of nutrients in constructed wetlands.

GRANTS PROGRAM

Our grants and donations have supported initiatives and opportunities partnering with over 50 civic and non-profit organizations. These partnerships are great examples of what can be accomplished when groups with similar missions work together toward a common goal providing information,

inspiration and enjoyment of our surroundings to people of all ages.

GOALS

Our goals are to connect people to the extraordinary landscape of Florida; share our love of gardening; provide learning opportunities in horticulture, design, and the environment; protect the diminishing number of our natural spaces; and expand our donor base to support these goals and deliver on our mission.

HOUSE & GARDEN TOUR

Our annual House & Garden Tour is our major fundraiser which supports our grants and educational programs. For over 65 years this event has developed into an intricately planned production requiring complex coordination. Originally staffed by 33 members it is now conducted by all 270 members who contribute to its preparation and success.

"Blooming Delights"

House & Garden Tour
 February 3, 2024

FLOWER SHOW

The Naples Flower Show™ is a joint venture between the Naples Garden Club and the Naples Botanical Garden receiving state and national recognition. The Show is a spring-time tradition and part of our commitment to foster appreciation and understanding of horticulture, design, and the environment. This event strengthens our community connections, encourages new endeavors, promotes new discoveries and learning experiences. It is the largest juried flower show in SW Florida welcoming over 5,000 visitors.

"A World of Wonders"

Naples Flower Show
 April 5 & 6, 2024

Nurturing the seeds of new ideas, bringing community projects to full bloom and conserving our environment for future generations for 70 Years and still counting!