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Encinitas Garden Festival Blossoms April 20th

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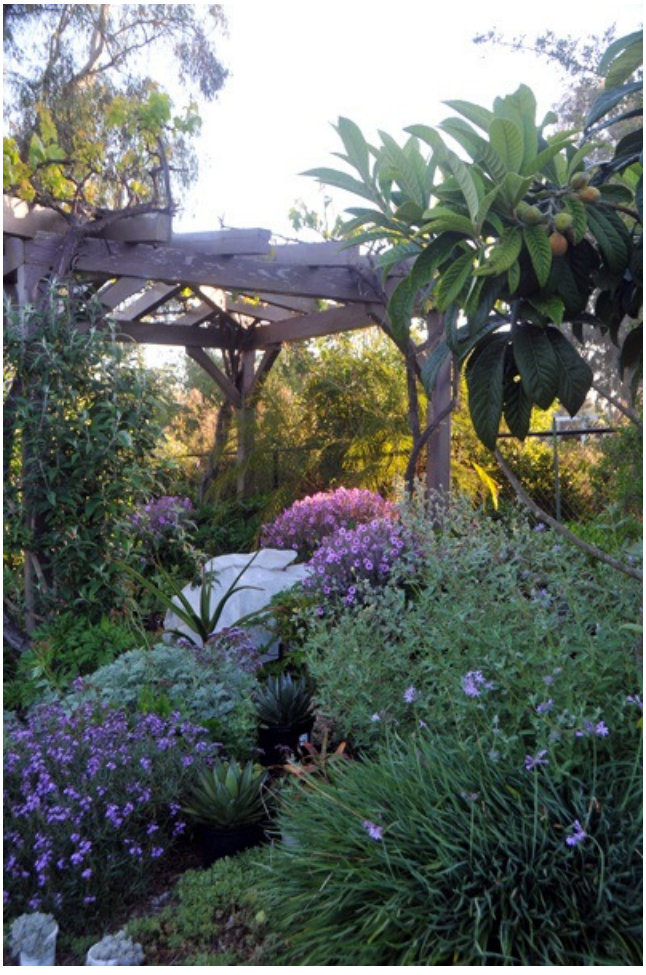


A vibrant natural meadow. Tranquil water features. Meandering paths. Birds flitting amidst mature trees and citrus groves. All of this and more await you at the Encinitas Garden Festival and Tour taking place on April 20, 2013 from 10:00 am-4:30 pm.

This year's event opens the garden gate to more than 20 Olivenhain private outdoor spaces, with a focus on how homeowners use areas large and small to their best and most beautiful advantage. Advance admission (reserve here) is $23 for adults and $7 for children 10 and under. If space is available on festival day, admission is $30 for adults and $10 for children.

Festival Celebrates Encinitas' Horticulture Heritage

According to Jana Weiner, spokesperson for the nonprofit Encinitas Garden Festival, the day offers two events in one. She notes, "Before and after their self-guided walking tour, participants can visit the all-day Gardeners' Marketplace. There, they will enjoy presentations on topics such as backyard chickens, beekeeping and container gardening while viewing and purchasing unusual plants, vegetable seedlings and unique garden art."



Event-goers park free off-site and shuttle to and from the Marketplace. Comfortable shoes, sunscreen and cameras should be part of the day's gear.

Proceeds Nourish Local Programs

Event proceeds are reinvested throughout Encinitas in the form of gardening books for local libraries,



funding for public landscaping, school gardens and other garden-related projects.

If you'd like to see how your Olivenhain neighbors' gardens grow, visit the website or call 760-753-8615.

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