



Please join us for our annual  
**WILDFLOWER  
FESTIVAL**  
**Saturday, May 22nd**  
**10:00 - 3:30**  
**at Catskill Native Nursery**

607 Samsonville Rd, Kerhonkson NY. (4.5 miles north from Route 209)

On-going talks and demonstrations about native wildflowers, herbalism, gardening and land preservation.  
Plants, pottery & garden art for sale. Rare and limited stock will be offered.  
**FREE admission to all events.**

**UNDER THE TENT - FEATURED SPEAKERS:**

**11:00 *DESIGNING YOUR NORTH AMERICAN GARDEN***

**with Carolyn Summers, Author of *Designing Gardens with Flora of the American East*,**

Learn from a professional ecological landscape designer how to design healthy, beautiful and biodiverse landscapes that provide habitat and food for a myriad of critters. This talk will be illustrated by an inspirational selection of beautiful gardens, both traditional and unique, that incorporate native plants in place of the more commonly used exotics.

**12:30 *GROWING NUTS IN THE HOME GARDEN***

**with Dr. Francis Groeters of Catskill Native Nursery**

Before chestnut blight, our forests were very different - in many places dominated by the chestnut - a tree that provided food for both wildlife and humans. Learn about efforts to develop blight-resistant chestnuts and find out about other native species of nuts, including hazelnuts and pecans, that make great additions to the edible landscape.

**2:00 *INTRODUCTION TO PERMACULTURE***

**with Adriana Magana of The Center for Bioregional Living**

Many people have heard the term but do not know the philosophy. Adriana will explain some of the main principals of permaculture design and help you learn how to apply them around your home and garden. She will also talk about how she and her partner Andrew Faust are developing their 14 acre property in Ellenville, NY to be a hub for permaculture and bioregional education that will serve the outlying community and New York City as well.

***Tomatothon!*** - 20 Varieties of heirloom & disease resistant organic tomato plants.

***Ask The Gardeners:*** Professional gardeners will be available to answer your questions.

**ALL EVENTS ARE FREE!** Happens Rain or Shine.

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