

LET'S GROW TOGETHER



**2022 ORCAS ISLAND  
GARDEN TOUR**

**Saturday, June 25th  
& Sunday, June 26th  
11:00am to 5:00pm**

**Enjoy six beautiful gardens  
on Orcas Island**

**This ticket is your passport for admission.**

**Valid both days.**

**Ticket is nonrefundable.**

**Supervised children age 12 and younger are free.**

**Ticket #** 19



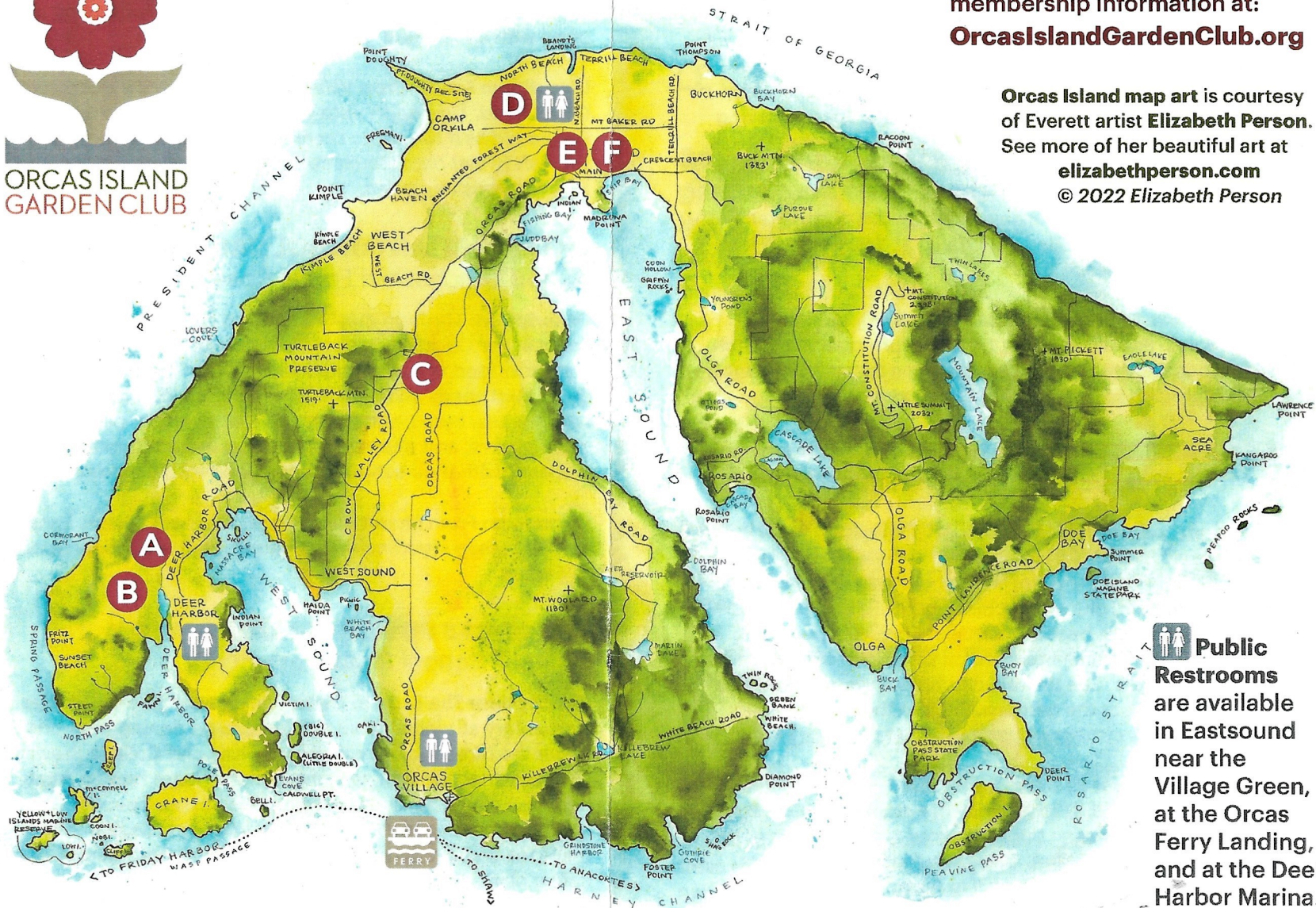
**ORCAS ISLAND  
GARDEN CLUB**






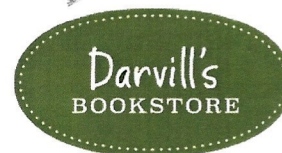
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**[OrcasIslandGardenClub.org](http://OrcasIslandGardenClub.org)**

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 **Public Restrooms** are available in Eastsound near the Village Green, at the Orcas Ferry Landing, and at the Deer Harbor Marina.

- A. Laura Ludwig Garden:** 385 Cormorant Bay Road (Deer Harbor)
- B. Patricia Flores Garden:** 437 Potlatch Drive (Deer Harbor)
- C. Crazy Crow Farm:** 1841 Crow Valley Road (Eastsound)
- D. Stephanie Susol Garden:** 1646 Mount Baker Road (Eastsound)
- E. Christian School Garden:** 107 Enchanted Forest Road (Eastsound)
- F. Orcas Public School Garden:** 557 School Road (Eastsound)



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## GARDEN TOUR 2022: LET'S GROW TOGETHER



**As you explore each of the six lovely gardens,** enjoy all the beautiful plants and learn how each garden reflects the garden owner's unique vision and style. Each garden demonstrates unique aspects for growing a wide variety of plants.

- **All gardens are open on both Saturday and Sunday.**
- Each garden offers different fun experiences for guests to enjoy.
- Bring your boots and rain gear—the event will take place rain or shine.

**Disabled parking areas marked with signs.**

**PLEASE:** No dogs, strollers or smoking in gardens.

**CLOSELY SUPERVISE CHILDREN** especially around water features.

**Watch for signs with yellow arrows to show you the way.**

### **A** | LAURA LUDWIG GARDEN

385 Cormorant Bay Road (Deer Harbor)

**Description:** As you wander through this delightful garden, you will be amazed at the incredible variety of flowers, veggies, fruit trees and herbs tucked into all of the spaces. Look for hydrangeas, lilacs, David Austin roses, peonies, irises, phlox, hostas, columbine, veronica and allium. Beds of veggies offer squash, peas, broccoli, garlic, asparagus, herbs, spinach and cauliflower. Fruit trees include peach, pear, fig, plum and hardy kiwi. Check out the new greenhouse to see the lovely subtropical flowers.

**Directions:** From the ferry, take Orcas Road to Deer Harbor Road. Turn left onto Deer Harbor Road and follow for 4.2 miles. Turn right on Cormorant Bay Road and continue to #385. Follow signs to park.

### **B** | PATRICIA FLORES GARDEN

437 Potlatch Drive (Deer Harbor)

**Description:** A dramatic Japanese Tori gate welcomes you as you enter this charming hillside garden designed by Robin Kucklick. Enjoy watching water tumble down a water-carrying sculpture that turns figure eights into a pond surrounded by deer-resistant plants. Stroll past clematis, lilacs, golden chain trees and bamboo. Learn how this garden has been transformed and rejuvenated with new plants and design. Check out the landlocked boat filled with garlic and flowers and look for allium along the fence line.

**Directions:** Take Deer Harbor Road and turn right onto Channel Road. Follow for about 1/4 mile. Turn right at Potlatch Drive just past bridge over estuary. Drive on Potlatch Drive for about 1/4 mile and follow signs to reach garden.

### **C** | CRAZY CROW FARM

1841 Crow Valley Road (Eastsound)

**Description:** Located in a picturesque valley, Crazy Crow Farm demonstrates how permaculture can enrich the land and produce healthy organic fruits and vegetables. In the orchard, look for apple, pear, plum, and cherry trees. Raised beds produce veggies such as beans, cucumbers, squash, potatoes, kale, broccoli and herbs. Interspersed throughout are a variety of perennial flowers. See the rain catchment system that uses a big pond to irrigate the gardens. Explore the large greenhouse that houses citrus, peppers, and fruit.

**Directions:** Drive east on Deer Harbor Road until it intersects with Crow Valley Road. Turn left (north) onto Crow Valley Road and follow to Frances Lane (located about 1/4 mile south of the trailhead for Turtleback Mtn). Turn right (east) onto Frances Lane and follow signs down the hill to farm.

### **D** | STEPHANIE SUSOL GARDEN

1646 Mount Baker Road (Eastsound)

**Description:** Once you enter the gate, you are surrounded by a lovely garden in the round bordered by large cedars. Follow the pathways to explore a variety of flowering perennial beds that feature clematis, fuchsia, hydrangea, weigela, roses and zinnias. Spend some time with the crown jewel of the garden

—dahlias. See different varieties and learn how to plant, grow and stake dahlias. Don't miss visiting the charming pond with its resident goldfish.

**Directions:** Follow Crow Valley Road north until it intersects Orcas Road. Turn north onto Orcas Road and follow into Eastsound as it turns into Lover's Lane. Continue north and turn left (west) onto Mount Baker Road. Drive past NAPA and look for signs to garden.

## **E** | CHRISTIAN SCHOOL GARDEN 107 Enchanted Forest Road (Eastsound)

**Description:** Through the *All Hands on Earth* program, students at the Christian School learn how to care for gardens and grow food under the guidance of Alex Tamayo-Wolf. Students start seeds and help to raise a variety of perennial flowers, veggies, herbs, and berries as well as apple, pear, peach, quince, olive, and plum trees. Food harvested from the garden is shared with their school cafeteria and with the community.

**Directions:** From Mount Baker Road, turn onto Lover's Lane. Turn left (east) onto Enchanted Forest Road and follow signs to garden.

## **F** | ORCAS PUBLIC SCHOOL GARDEN 557 School Road (Eastsound)

**Description:** The Farm to Classroom school garden teaches elementary students about sustainable gardening methods under the direction of Lydia Dennee-Lee and Colleen Stewart. Using a variety of mini-gardens, children learn how to create beautiful plants for birds, bees, butterflies, and people. They learn to plant seeds, eat what they grow and use plants to make tea and dye fabric. Visit the medicinal herb garden and native plant garden. Stroll past sunflowers, berry and veggie beds and enjoy the colorful wall mural. See the pizza oven, meet the resident chickens, and explore the greenhouse and worm bin.

**Directions:** From Enchanted Forest Road, turn right (south) onto North Beach Road. Turn left (east) onto School Road. Follow signs to garden just west of school buildings.

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