



**Ecological Landscape Alliance (ELA)
Celebrating Natives Garden Tour
Registration Form**



Instructions

The ELA Celebrating Natives garden tour will be held rain or shine on Saturday, June 22, 2019 from 12:00noon to 4:00pm. Applications are due by 5:00 pm on June 1st. In order to prepare PR materials in a timely manner.

Dan Jaffe Photo

To register your garden for public viewing in this year’s event, please complete each section of this form and sign and date the rules and guidelines agreement. Email both of these forms to ELA at ela.info@comcast.net. If you have a question about registering your garden, please call 603-490-2700.

Garden Information

Property Owner Name: _____

Celebrating Natives Tour June 22nd (Yes/No): _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____ Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Company/Designer (if applicable): _____

Maximum Number of Guests

Although attendees will visit at different times of the day, what is the maximum number of registration you want to offer for this tour? _____

Garden Description

Please provide a brief description of your garden for inclusion in the garden tour booklet. We kindly ask that you limit your description to approximately 25-50 words, which may be edited for content or length prior to publication. (For reference, the previous instruction description is 38 words.)



Ecological Landscape Alliance (ELA) Celebrating Natives Garden Tour Rules and Agreement



Dear Celebrating Natives Garden Tour Participant;

The Ecological Landscape Alliance (ELA) welcomes your participation in the Celebrating Natives garden tour, to be held on Saturday, June 22, 2019 from 12:00noon to 4:00pm. The Celebrating Natives garden tour includes designer-guided, homeowner-guided, or self-guided tours of private and public gardens that celebrate the beauty and ecosystem value of native plants and ecological practices. With the permission of generous homeowners, native plant gardens become inspiration and education for tour guests. Your participation in this year's Garden Tour by opening your own garden to visitors is greatly appreciated. Participating gardens will be identified on a map with an accompanying description in the ELA Celebrating Natives garden tour guide, which will be made available to registered guests only; personal information will *not* be published. These Celebrating Natives tours will:

- Feature gardens designed entirely or primarily with native plants.
- Educate attendees about the increasing options and applications for native plants.
- Demonstrate that native plant gardens can be beautiful as well as functional.
- Share insights into native plant combinations and gardening techniques.
- Discuss strategies for transforming sections of lawn into a native plant oasis.
- Promote native plant gardens as a safe haven for birds, butterflies, and native pollinators.
- Answer questions about native plants and habitat restoration.

Below are some rules you, as a participant, must abide by to in order to participate:

- Agree to welcome visitors to your garden during the set hours and days of the event.
- Agree to display the ELA Garden Tour sign on your property during the set hours and days.
- If you sell native plants at the tour, ensure that sales are handled by someone else so that you are always accessible to guests.
- You are under no obligation to serve refreshments, but if you choose to do so, do not serve alcohol.
- Confine any pets to areas away from visitors, and be sure your garden is free of animal droppings.
- Be sure that paths are clear of equipment, toys, etc. and safe for visitors.
- Please do not allow visitors to enter your home for any reason such as to use the restroom.
- Keep your property secure during the event and lock all doors to your home
- Do not leave your garden unattended during the set hours and days of the tour.
- Rope off any areas of your property that you do not want visitors to walk on.
- In the event of an emergency, call 911 immediately.

By signing below, you agree to the items set forth above, and certify that all information on this application is accurate. You further agree to hold the ELA harmless for any claims made against it, which arise out of your participation in the Celebrating Natives Garden Tour.

Homeowner's Name: _____ Signature: _____

Garden Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____