



Garden Happenings

Zilker Botanical Garden, 512-477-8672; ADA, 512-974-2914

Gates open daily 9:00 am - 6:00 pm, last admission 5:30 pm

Purchase Admission at <https://zilker garden.org/hours-admissions/>

Admission Fees: Austin Resident \$6 Adult , \$5 Senior \$3 Child

Non-residents \$8 Adult, \$7 Senior, \$4 Child

Parking: Front Gate 2220 Barton Springs Rd, Austin, TX 78746

Free Day and Over-flow Parking: 2300 Stratford Dr., 78746

Texas Redbud, *Cercis canadensis*

Day, Date	Time	Topics and Speakers	Information & Links
Monday, 4/05/2021	10:00 am - 10:45 am	 AAGC Executive Committee Meeting on Zoom - Club Representatives, Presidents, and interested club members are invited to attend a 45 minute question and answer session. Forms and instructions can be found at http://zilker garden.org .	For Club Reps and Presidents and all club members, the link to the Zoom meeting will arrive by email. For other interested parties, ask for link at aagc@zbgconservancy.org subject line of "EC Meeting Q&A".
Tuesday, 4/06/2021	10:00 am - 11:30 am	Managing Pain and Inflammation Using Natural Techniques , by Fai Chan, a clinical aromatherapist and AHS member who owns Deli Aroma LLC. Sponsor - Austin Herb Society.	Email for login information and link at theaustinerbsociety@gmail.com . For information, go to the website at https://www.austinerbsociety.org/ .
Thursday, 4/08/2021	10:00 am - 12:00 pm	Practical Lawns Webinar , by Dr. Chrissy Segars, Turfgrass Specialist with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, will help area residents manage lawns for pests and diseases while maintaining water efficiency. Sponsor: Travis County AgriLife and Travis County Master Gardeners.	Registration required. Click on the link or Copy and paste this link into your browser: https://traviscountytx.gov.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/8516147239488/WN_cNqr3PwSTtuxsxIV7J392A
Saturday, 4/10/2021	10:00 am - 11:15 am	Propagating African Violets , by Marie Miller, award winner of African Violet shows who worked at Hill Country African Violets in Boerne. Sponsored by First Austin African Violet Society.	For registration and link, contact Mary Husk at maryhusk411@hotmail.com or at 512-925-7637.
Monday, 4/26/2021	7:00 - 9:00 pm	Butterflies of Kansas , by Betsey Betros, author of A Photographic Field Guide to Butterflies in the Kansas City Region . Sponsor - Austin Butterfly Forum.	Click to join the Zoom meeting at http://austinbutterflies.org . For more information go to butterfliesaustin@gmail.com .
Usually on Wednesday Saturday Sunday	To be announced	Volunteers Welcomed at Zilker Garden *Contact Merrideth Jiles about 24 hours in advance to ask about tasks. *Park free at the Bev Shed near the Oak Grove. *Follow COVID19 guidelines. *Bring your own tools or use Garden's tools. https://austintexasgov.givepulse.com/login	Zilker Botanical Garden Vol Corp Merrideth Jiles, ZBG Coordinator, PARD/City Of Austin, 512-563-4653 merrideth.jiles@austintexas.gov
On sale now in 2021		From Drought to Deluge: The Resilient Central Texas Garden , by Travis County Master Gardeners and Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, is a guide to help gardeners build and sustain gardens in Central Texas soil, water, climate.	Purchase online for \$27.95 plus \$7.00 for shipping and handling at https://tcmastergardeners.org/drought-guide/ . Items are generally shipped within 1 business day.

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