



Ackworth Garden Club is a federated garden club admitted in 1937. We meet the 4th Wednesday of each month at Scotch Ridge Presbyterian Church in Carlisle, Iowa. Meetings begin at 11:00 am followed by a lite lunch and a program at 1:00 pm. Guests are welcome. If you are interested in joining, dues are \$20 annually.

Ackworth Garden Club proudly sponsors the following:

Plant and Garden Treasures Sale
2nd Saturday in May at Moat's Park in Indianola

Youth Container Gardening Class
For Warren County Youth K – 12
3rd Tuesday in May

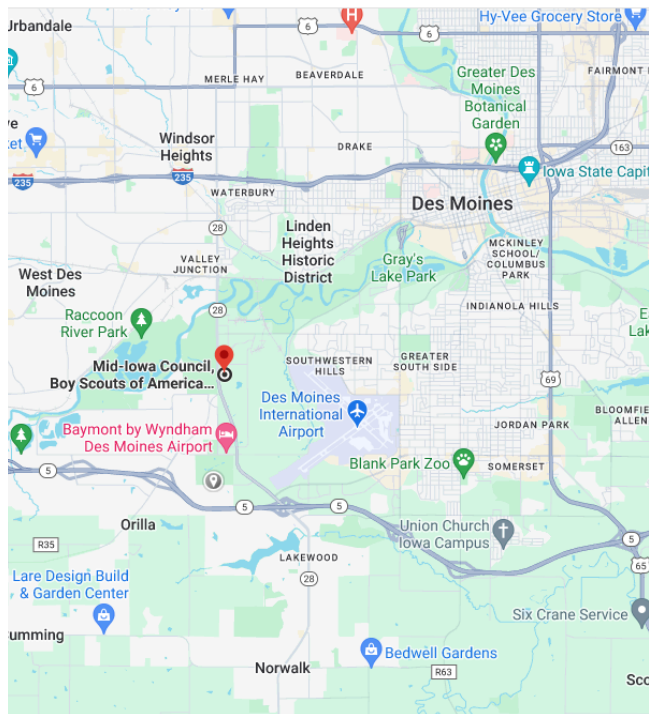
Scholarship
Ackworth Garden Club offers a scholarship for Warren County students majoring in Horticulture at Iowa State University

- Gardens**
We maintain several community gardens:
- Carlisle Historical Randleman House
 - Norwalk Brownie Park & Magnolia Arboretum
 - Warren Co. Fairgrounds
 - Warren Co. Justice Center Remembrance Garden

For more information on any of these programs, please visit:
www.ackworthgardenclub.blogspot.com

Schedule

10:00 - 10:30 AM	Doors open for registration check-in, shopping, and beverages
10:45 - 11:45 AM	Speaker
11:45 AM - 1:00 PM	Lunch, shopping, raffle, make & take and door prizes
1:00 - 2:00 PM	Keynote Speaker
2:00 - 2:20 PM	Break for shopping, raffle, make & take and door prizes
2:20 - 3:20 PM	Speaker
3:20 - 4:00 PM	Closing - raffle winners, door prizes, and final shopping



Ackworth Garden Club Presents

AUTUMN FEST GARDENING SEMINAR



October 5, 2024
10:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
(doors open at 10:00 a.m.)

**Mid-Iowa Council
Boy Scouts of America
6123 Scout Trail
Des Moines, Iowa**

SPEAKERS:

Kelly Jensen, *Edibles in the Landscape: perennials and annuals make beautiful landscapes but can also make unique foods.*

Kelly has worked at Ted Lare Garden center for 11 years. He has 108 different varieties of trees on his property. He also has a large garden containing over 60 tomatoes in addition to other veggies. He has a large collection of irises. He also raises and shows chickens. He's a busy guy!

David McKinney, *Non-native plant heroes: an ecological and phenological argument for planting cultivars and non-native plants*

David is a horticulturist, ecologist, entomologist, and plant physiologist currently working as the curator at the Iowa Arboretum and Gardens where he manages 160 acres of gardens, prairie restoration, and native woodland. Originally from Colorado, he received three degrees in horticulture from Colorado State University while also coordinating extensive perennial trials and demonstration gardens. He is passionate about native plants, and the interactions between plants and wildlife. On top of his curatorial work David is a writer, speaker, serves on the AmericanHort Landscape Community Connectors group, and is on the Garden Review Board for Better Homes and Gardens.

Katie Flinn, *My Experience as an Iowa Honey Sommelier*

Katie is a honey sommelier and curator of artisanal foodie goods and unifloral honey. She is the owner of Milk & Honey Orchard and Apiary. Katie is a honey educator and some of Milk & Honey services include Honey Tasting that can be catered to your special event and a Honey Farm to Table dinner filled with honey adorned dishes.

DETAILS:

- Registration: \$45 (includes lunch) - nonrefundable. Coffee, tea, and water will be available during event check-in and throughout the morning prior to lunch.
- Vendors! Shopping time is slotted before, during, and after the seminar
- Contact **your** county Master Gardener Coordinator to determine the approved continuing education hours you can earn by attending this gardening seminar.

REGISTRATION:

Complete the form on the right and return with a check made payable to Ackworth Garden Club. Or you may register online at www.ackworthgardenclub.blogspot.com and pay electronically.

Registration deadline is September 27, 2024.

For questions, please email ackworthgardenclub@gmail.com

Registration
Autumn Fest
October 5, 2024

Name:

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Phone:

Email:

Master Gardener County:

Food Allergies/Dietary Restrictions:

Please detach and return with a check for \$45 made payable to Ackworth Garden Club and mail to:

Ramona Parkin
Ackworth Garden Club Treasurer
8412 Beardsley St.
Norwalk, IA 50211
515-689-3072

**Registration Deadline:
September 27, 2024**

Online registration is available at:
www.ackworthgardenclub.blogspot.com