

Connecticut Horticultural Society Presents

Massachusetts South Coast Visit

Thursday, August 17, 2023



Your Guide for the Day will be:
**Nancy DuBrule Clemente, Author & Founder
of Natureworks Horticultural Services**

Allen C Haskell Public Gardens

Explore a storied former New Bedford nursery turned vibrant park and South Coast horticultural gem. The late Allen C. Haskell, a lifelong New Bedford resident and famed horticulturist, assembled these six acres—the site of a traditional New England-style common, beautiful historic gardens, and one of the oldest homes in the city—over more than 30 years. Today, it's a public park and unlikely botanical respite, blooming in the heart of New Bedford.



Avant Gardens, Inc.

Join Katherine Tracey of Avant Gardens as she demonstrates **how to transform your container gardens for late summer and fall**. Avant Gardens is famous for their unusual annuals, perennials, and exotic succulents and houseplants. You will be inspired by this creative workshop. You may then wander the paths to discover new plants and get ideas on planting combinations. Here you will find an array of uncommon and rare trees, shrubs, perennials, and cottage garden annuals. Their greenhouse is stocked with exotic succulents and uncommon but easy to grow houseplants.



\$150. per person
\$145.pp w/ CTHort Mbr. Discount

Price Includes: Nursery Stop at Avant Gardens, North Dartmouth, MA; Visit at Allen C Haskell Public Gardens, New Bedford, Buffet Lunch, Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation and Tour Director.

Depart

8:30am Commuter Lot across from Target, Village Sq Rd & Hartford Road, New Britain

9:00am Commuter Lot, 171 Eastern Dr, Middletown (Rte 9 @ Silver St - exit 22)

Estimated Return

7:30pm

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