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OSU Professor Laura Deeter will speak about Perennial Garden Maintenance

Laura Deeter, Ph.D., an assistant professor of Horticultural Technologies at Ohio State University's Agricultural Technical Institute, will present a program titled "Perennial Garden Maintenance" on Thursday, September 11, at the Twinsburg Garden Club meeting at the Twinsburg Senior Center, 10260 Ravenna Road behind Chamberlin Middle School.

If you're the parent of lazy (floppy) perennials, or misbehaving (aggressive) "teenage" plants, she will show you how to get those "kids" to behave properly and become upstanding citizens in your garden. Whether you already have a garden or just want to get started, you'll learn good practical tips to improve your garden.

A big thank you to **Karen Labbe** for hosting our Annual TGC Potluck and Picnic!!! We had a great time and got to visit with our garden friends. We also enjoyed a tour of your beautiful garden.

WE NEED OFFICERS!!!! 2009 Officers are needed. We need to fill three (3) positions — president, vice-president, and treasurer. **Marlene Hatton** has volunteered to be TGC's secretary. It's a lot of fun and it's a great way to meet other members and it really does not require a large time commitment. If we do not get any volunteers, TGC will no longer exist.

Mark your calendars….Tuesday, September 23 — Akron District Fall Program and Meeting, 10:00 am—2:30 pm will be held at the Sheraton Suites in Cuyahoga Falls. There will be two programs. *Please complete the attached flyer and make the check payable to Twinsburg Garden Club and give to Jan Rolko our Treasurer and she will cut one check to the Akron District.*

DONATIONS... We have put aside $1,000 ($500—2007 and $500—2008) for the scholarships that we have not given out. If you would like to make additional community contributions, please bring your recommendations to the September meeting.

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This month members of TGC will receive via US Mail: the newsletter, minutes, National Garden Clubs, Inc. (NGC) Survey and the Akron District Fall Program and Meeting flyer. The newsletter and minutes will also be posted on our website.

It would be appreciated if you would complete the brief survey and bring it to our next meeting. I need to submit it to GCO. Also, please bring your completed registration form.

Upcoming events: 2008 TGC Garden of the Year; November Swag Making; and December XMAS Party at Catered D'Elegance.

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Thursday, October 9, Karen Labbe will present 2008 Twinsburg Garden of the Year. This is one of our civic roles we fill in our community. It's always exciting to meet many of the Garden of Week winners! As we watch Karen's slideshow, we wonder who is the winner!! I hope that everyone can attend.

Akron District News— Effective April 2009, Pat DiCola, former president of the Garden Forum of Greater Akron will be the new Akron District Director for 2009-2011. Pat will be an excellent Akron District Director. Please congratulate her when see her at the Forum meetings.

Meetings are held the 2nd Thursday of each month at the Twinsburg Community Center, 6:30 pm

Garden Club Website
twinsburg-garden-club.com