

2026 UPCOMING PROGRAMS



- 3 & 10 JANUARY** **Annual Pruning Workshops:** January 3 & 10
9am-noon. Educational presentation; Hands-on pruning instruction.
- 19 FEBRUARY** **Q&A with our Rosarians.** February 19 | 6:30pm-8pm
Ask the experts all your rose growing/care questions. Interactive session with knowledgeable rosarians sharing practical advice on rose selection, care, pest problem-solving, seasonal tasks, and more.
- 19 MARCH** **Identifying Your Roses:** March 19 | 6:30pm
Inherited a rose garden in your new home? Gifted a rose without a label? Bring a stem/bloom with you (don't forget the leaves!) or a high-quality picture and our rosarians will help determine your rose variety.
- 16 APRIL** **Guest Speaker: Photographing Your Roses:** April 16 | 6:30pm
Marin County Rose Society Rosarian, Betty Mott, will present tips for capturing the beauty of roses, printing your images and framing them.
- 2 MAY** **59th Annual Rose Show:** May 2 | Entries 7am-9am; Viewings 1pm-4pm.
Complete Rose Show Guide and entry information at sonomaroses.org/spring-rose-show
- 18 JUNE** **SPECIAL PRESENTATION: An Afternoon with David Austin® Roses | 2pm-3:30pm**
Join us for a special daytime presentation at 2pm with a representative from David Austin® Roses covering the history, the art and science of rose breeding, an introduction to new and notable varieties.
- 16 JULY** **Summer Maintenance Tips for Rose Gardens:** July 16 | *Special time of 5:30pm
Hands-on instruction in the rose garden; bring shears and gloves!
- 20 AUGUST** **Member Summer Picnic:** August 20 | 1:00pm
Celebrate summer with Rose Society Members at our annual picnic!
- 17 SEPTEMBER** **Virtual Garden Tour: The Lake District, England.** September 17 | 6:30pm
Our Master Rosarian, Barbara Ellis, will offer a personal glimpse of her rose/garden tours of the region. Slide presentation with personal highlights of the trip.
- 15 OCTOBER** **Artistic Designs with Roses:** October 15 | 6:30pm
Led by RERS Co-President and Horticultural Judge, Martin Kooi. Learn the basics of rose design and how to create eye-catching displays.
- 19 NOVEMBER** **Fall Potluck Dinner/2027 Officer Installation.** Nov 19 | 5:30pm -8:30pm
Potluck-style Dinner to celebrate harvest and usher in the holidays.
- 9 & 16 JANUARY 2027** **Annual Pruning Workshops |** January 9 & 16, 2027
9am-noon. Educational presentation; Hands-on pruning instruction.

Programs held at Luther Burbank Art & Garden Center
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