



Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden

January 2017

Dear Vendors: It's our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary! Let's celebrate!

In honor of this special occasion we are doing a few new things as highlighted below; with more to be determined.

Spring PlantFest will be Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m., Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**We will host an exclusive, Members ONLY pre-sale, Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Personal invitations will be sent to over 13,000 households. Vendors are NOT required to participate in Thursday night's sale, however this exclusive event is expected to expand our customer base and increase vendor sales.** Note: This will impact vendor setup time as noted on the included vendor agreement.

**Registering early could save you money! In order to qualify, all forms must be received by March 1, 2017. One lucky vendor will receive free registration. A refund will be issued to the winner.**

The deadline for vendor registration is **April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017**. If you have any questions, please call 804-262-9887 Ext: 335 or email: [plantfest@lewisginter.org](mailto:plantfest@lewisginter.org).

**We will also be giving away various door prizes every hour as another way to celebrate our anniversary.**

**ATTENTION: Due to the current Boxwood Blight outbreak and the safety of our vendors, boxwoods will not be allowed on the premises.**

We look forward to your participation, support and to another successful Spring PlantFest event.

Sincerely,

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**SAVE THE DATE: Fall PlantFest September 15 - 16, 2017**