

MAINE  
GARDEN  
*and*  
LANDSCAPE  
TRAIL



COME WANDER THROUGH A selection of Maine's gardens and landscapes and you'll discover a passion for horticulture that has thrived since the 19th century. The Maine Garden and Landscape Trail will allow you to experience landscapes challenged by the rocky Maine Coast, gardens filled with colorful varieties of hardy plant material, and notable historic gardens and designed landscapes. Maine also has amazing nurseries and garden centers with display gardens, as well as unique specialty growers and several seed companies with national reputations.

Some gardens, such as the Hamilton House Garden in South Berwick, represent historically accurate preservations of an earlier era. Others, including the Coastal Maine Botanical Garden in Boothbay, showcase the spirit of the local community that has worked tirelessly in the past decade to preserve public spaces. Plant material is a blend of native and exotic plants, all carefully selected to endure the rugged winter temperatures. Some gardens, including The Kennebec Valley Garden Club Park in Augusta, offer a variety of perennial borders, butterfly and hummingbird gardens, along with numerous trees and a pond. Other gardens specialize, including St. Anthony's Shrine & Franciscan Monastery in Kennebunkport with its rhododendron collection, or the Stone House on Wolf Neck with its beautiful heather garden.

Between the 1860s and the 1940s, at least 13 professional landscape designers consulted on about 150 private estates in Mount Desert Island as Maine was at the forefront nationally in formal landscape architecture. For a sampling of this era, visit the Colonel Black Mansion in Ellsworth, or the Asticou Azalea garden in Northeast Harbor.

Maine also has a number of vernacular landscapes and gardens that developed without the aide of professional planning. Some of those sites include Ecotat in Hermon, with more than 1,500 varieties of perennials, and the McLaughlin Foundation garden in South Paris, which features more than 100 varieties of lilacs.

If you travel just north of Bangor, to the state university in Orono, you'll find internationally renowned hardiness research displayed in lavish gardens. The Roger Clapp Greenhouses and the Lyle E. Littlefield Ornamental Trial Gardens are such special places.

So wander, explore and enjoy the color, the history, the scent and the view of this selection of Maine gardens and landscapes!



a selection of

# MAINE GARDENS & LANDSCAPES

## Kennebec Valley / Moose River Valley

### Blaine House, The Governor's Mansion

Corner of State & Capitol Streets, Augusta 287-2121  
Grounds designed in 1920 by the Olmsted Brothers, renovated in 1987-93, now include the stately front entrance as originally planned. National Historic Landmark.

### Coburn Park

Lower Water St., Skowhegan 474-3324  
www.skowhegan.com/coburnpark/  
12 acres along Kennebec River with more than 200 species of trees and a pond with fountain. Since 1903, citizens have improved the park by planting flowers, shrubs & trees.

### Kennebec Valley Garden Club Park

Augusta Civic Center, Augusta  
Designed in 1974 by Lyle Littlefield, Professor of Horticulture at University of Maine. Two acres located in a former field that now has perennial borders, children's butterfly and hummingbird garden, birdhouses, trees, and a pond.

### Mary Ann Lancey Manson Park

Pittsfield  
A 40-acre park along the Sebasticook River with sports fields. Originally designed by Olmsted Brothers circa 1941.

### Perkins Arboretum

Mayflower Hill Dr., Colby College, Waterville  
A national wildlife refuge dedicated to the preservation of Maine's varied bird species. The entire 714-acre Colby campus is a designated State Wildlife Management Area.

### Pine Tree State Arboretum

153 Hospital St., Augusta 621-0031  
www.pinetreestatearboretum.org/index.php?section=1  
Established in 1981 on 224 acres. Collections include more than 300 trees and shrubs, a rock garden, rhododendrons, lilacs, hostas. Trail system of 3.5 mi. for hiking, jogging, skiing, snow-shoeing, mountain biking and horseback riding.

### State House Grounds & Capitol Park

Capitol & State St., Augusta  
Designed in 1920s by Olmsted Brothers as a dignified setting for the Capitol. Recent efforts to rehabilitate this important site, including the State House, are underway. National Register of Historic Places.

## Southern Maine Coast

### Hamilton House

Vaughn's Ln., South Berwick 384-2454  
www.historicnewengland.org/visit/homes/hamilton.htm  
C. 1785 museum house, c. 1898 Colonial Revival garden, restored in late 1990s, overlooking Salmon Falls River. Self-guided garden tour with map and historic photos. 35 acres with walking trails. National Historic Landmark.

### Fairy Garden at Kennebunk Free Library

112 Main St., Kennebunk 985-2173  
Children's garden designed by Seacoast Garden Club includes herbs, flowers and a "touch & sniff" section. 1999 national library beautification contest 2nd place winner.

### St. Anthony's Shrine & Franciscan Monastery

Beach Ave., Kennebunkport 967-2011  
Former estate designed by Olmsted Brothers in 1906-17. Rhododendron collection, walking paths, boardwalk and pavilion overlooking marsh and Kennebunk River. 25 acres.

### Sanford Parks

Main St., Sanford 324-9130  
Visit two parks designed by Boston landscape architect Arthur Shurcliff in the 1930's: Gowen Memorial Park with impressive stone gazebo, and Central Park with recently restored statue of mill founder Thomas Goodall.

### The Wells National Research Reserve

at Laudholm Farm  
Route 1, 1.5 miles north of Wells Corner 646-1555  
www.wellsreserve.org  
Historic saltwater farm with 1,600 acres of fields, forest, wildlife habitats, wetlands and beach on the coast of southern Maine. 7 miles of trails.

## Aroostook

### Lyndon Park

Main St., Caribou  
A grassy half-acre spot bordered by busy South Main St., Caribou Stream, and a hillside garden of perennials. Dedicated in 1989.

## Downeast / Acadia

### Acadia National Park

Mt. Desert Island 288-3338  
www.nps.gov/acad/  
From 1913-40 J.D. Rockefeller, Jr. was designer, general contractor and patron for 57 miles of carriage roads, featuring granite bridges designed by N.Y. architects Bosworth & Stoughton, with landscape consultation by Beatrix Farrand and the Olmsted Brothers. National Register of Historic Places. Contemporary flower gardens at Jordan Pond House. Visit The Wild Gardens of Acadia at Sieur de Monts Spring, featuring 12 typical area habitats.

### Amen Farm Gardens

Naskeag Point Rd., Brooklin Featuring newly planted arboretum with 150 uncommon trees.

### Asticou Azalea Garden

Corner of Routes 198 & 3, Northeast Harbor  
www.asticou.com/gardens.html  
Japanese-inspired garden designed by Charles Savage in 1956, with numerous plants from Beatrix Farrand's Reef Point.

### College of the Atlantic

Eden St., Route 3, Bar Harbor 288-5015  
COA's library grounds include terraces for gardens designed by Beatrix Farrand in 1928 and restored in 1990. A courtyard garden has been added in the modern era.

### Colonel Black Mansion

81 West Main St., Route 172, Ellsworth 667-8671  
www.woodlawnmuseum.com/park.html  
1824 house museum on 185 acres with community walking trails. Formal garden laid out in 1903 was restored in the 1990s based on original plans. National Register of Historic Places.

### Cottage Garden

Lubec, North Lubec Rd. 733-2902  
Located just around the corner from Cobscook Bay, this 2-acre cottage garden is full of old fashioned roses, delphiniums and the aroma of pinks.

### Thuya Gardens & Thuya Lodge

Route 3, Northeast Harbor  
www.asticou.com/gardens.html  
Gardens designed by Charles Savage in 1956, with long beds of perennials and annuals, outstanding specimen trees and many shrubs from Beatrix Farrand's Reef Point collection. Lodge contains botanical library.

## The Maine Highlands

### Ecotat

Route 2 at crest of Miller Hill, Hermon 848-3485  
<http://simplerite.hermon.net/ecotat/home.html>

*Continuing the life's work of the Crosby family, who have lived here for 50 years. 89-acre land trust with developed gardens and trails. More than 140 species of trees, 1,500 perennials. Library for gardeners and birdwatchers.*

### Fay Hyland Botanical Plantation

College Avenue, University of Maine at Orono

*10-acre tract along the Stillwater River, established in 1934. Dry hillsides, rock outcrops, swampy sites, periodically flooded areas and shady crevices. Many woody plants are labeled with scientific and common names.*

### Lyle E. Littlefield Ornamentals Trial Garden

University of Maine, Orono 581-3112  
[www.umaine.edu/lhc/ornamental.htm](http://www.umaine.edu/lhc/ornamental.htm)

*Begun in 1960s, the 16-acre tract includes 2,500 woody and herbaceous plants, with extensive collections of crabapples, lilacs, rhododendrons and magnolias.*

### Mt. Hope Cemetery

State St., Route 2, Bangor

*Established in 1834, recognized as America's second cemetery garden. 300 acres with ponds, historic monuments. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Roger Clapp Greenhouses

University of Maine, Orono 581-3112

*Built in the 1920s, the 10,000 sq. ft. glass structure has more than 200 species of tropical and desert plant species from around the world. Plants from greenhouses are used in adjacent designed gardens.*

### Rogers Farm

U. of Maine, Stillwater Ave., Stillwater 942-7396

*Penobscot County Master Gardener Demonstration Garden, with a white garden, children's garden, perennial border, annuals, vegetables, herbs, small fruits, All-America winners and other perennials.*

## Western Lakes & Mountains

### Butterfly Habitat Garden

Route 302, Bridgton 647-3472

Greater Bridgton Lakes Region Chamber of Commerce  
[www.mainelakeschamber.com](http://www.mainelakeschamber.com)

*This 200 sq.ft. garden designed by the Lakeside Garden Club, provides the perfect environment for the metamorphosis of the butterfly with scientific selection of shrubs, annuals, perennials and herbs. A PETALS Project of the Shell Oil Co.*

### Marrett House

Route 25, Standish 642-3032

[www.historicnewengland.org/visit/homes/marrett.htm](http://www.historicnewengland.org/visit/homes/marrett.htm)  
*1700s museum house with extensive perennial garden laid out in the 1920s and 1930s. National Register of Historic Places.*

### The McLaughlin Foundation Garden & Horticultural Center

97 Main St., South Paris 743-8820

[www.mclaughlingarden.org](http://www.mclaughlingarden.org)  
*1840s farmstead, 2-acre perennial garden and arboretum begun in 1936. Extensive lilac, wildflower, hosta, sedum, sempervivum, daylily, astilbe and iris collections. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Norlands Living History Center

290 Norlands Rd., Livermore 897-4366

[www.norlands.org](http://www.norlands.org)  
*Museum/living history center of 18th and 19th century rural life. 1867-1870 mansion with outbuildings on 445 acres of farm and woodlands. National Register of Historic Places.*

## Greater Portland / Casco Bay

### Deering Oaks

At Deering & Forest Ave., Portland 874-8300

*1870s design by William Goodwin, 51 acres, part of Portland Parks System. High canopy of oaks, pines, spruce and other ornamental trees. Also includes hybrid tea rose garden with more than 600 species, recently-built pedestrian walkway on the former Bowling Green Road, and newly planted ravine with spray pool. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Evergreen Cemetery

672 Stevens Ave. Portland 874-8300

*19th century romantic landscape laid out in 1854. 300 acres. Master plan completed in 1994 for cemetery's rehabilitation. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Gilsland Farm Sanctuary

Maine Audubon Society 781-2330

[www.maineaudubon.org](http://www.maineaudubon.org)  
*65 acres of wildlife sanctuary, wildflower meadows, peony gardens, woods, and marsh along the Presumpscot Estuary.*

### Harrington House

45 Main St., Freeport 865-3170

*C. 1830 Federal period building, now home to Freeport Historical Society. Courtyard gardens with antique roses and perennials commonly used in the 1860s, including a 150-year-old lavender. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Pettengill Farm Gardens

45 Main St., Freeport 865-3170

*C.1810 saltbox house on 140 acres of fields, woods, salt marsh and antique apple orchards on Harraseeket River estuary. Walking trails. Gardens with historic wild roses, lilacs, cedars, and new plantings of old-fashioned perennials. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Post Office Park

Corner of Exchange & Middle St., Portland 874-8300

*Portland's newest park, on the site of the city's first post office. Boulder display represents the major islands in Casco Bay. Designed plantings of native trees and shrubs.*

### Spring Point Arboretum

SMTC Campus, South Portland 767-7670

*One-acre arboretum along the shoreway, created by the City of South Portland in 1981. 70 species of trees, shrubs, vines and groundcovers that can withstand strong winds and salt spray. Walks, picnic areas, scenic views, with access to shore nearby.*

### The Stone House Conference Center

University of Southern Maine 865-3428

*642 Wolf Neck Rd., Freeport  
Former seaside estate near working farm and Wolfe's Neck State Park. Demonstration center for organic gardening. Perennial and tulip beds, heather and rhododendron gardens. Views of Harraseeket River and Freeport Harbor.*

### Tate House Museum Herb Garden

1270 Westbrook St., Portland 774-6177

[www.tatehouse.org](http://www.tatehouse.org)  
*This eighteenth-century style herb garden contains more than 50 herbs which correspond to varieties the Tate family may have used while they occupied the house from 1755-1803. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Tidebrook Conservation Trust

38 Bartol Island Rd., Freeport 865-3856

*Established in 1974. 45 acres in conservation easement. Entrance to paths and upper woods trail through old orchard. Crabapple slope underplanted with daffodils and summer wildflowers. Pond, saltmarsh, native and ornamental flowering shrubs with formal gardens near house.*

### Wadsworth-Longfellow House

487 Congress St., Portland 774-1822

[www.mainehistory.com](http://www.mainehistory.com)  
*1785 house, now a museum, was childhood home of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow. Adjacent Longfellow Gardens, laid out in 1920s and rehabilitated in mid 1990s, are an oasis in Portland's urban core. National Historic Landmark.*

## MidCoast

### Belfast City Park

Northport Rd., Belfast

*Recreational park of about 18 acres, established in 1907, with areas for softball, basketball, tennis, swimming pool. Overlooks Belfast Bay.*

### Camden Hills State Park

Route 1, Camden 236-3109

*Depression era CCC and WPA project with remaining rustic elements designed by Hans Heistad in 1935-42. 6,500 acres with hiking trails, picnic and camping areas, drive to top of Mt. Battie, dramatic views of Camden Harbor.*

### Camden Public Library Grounds, Garden Theater, and Harbor Park

Main St., Camden 236-3440

*Elegant amphitheater designed by Fletcher Steele in 1929. Park designed by Olmsted Brothers, 1928-31 offers scenic views over the harbor. National Register of Historic Places.*

### Christina's Garden at Olson House

Hawthorne Point Rd., Cushing 354-0102

[www.farnsworthmuseum.org/general/olson.html](http://www.farnsworthmuseum.org/general/olson.html)  
*Acquired in 1991. Farnsworth Museum reestablished this small annual garden based on historic research. The site also has extremely old lilacs and roses.*

### City Park

Summer St., Bath

*Town park of 5 acres, with an 1880s Victorian style landscape, pond and fountain, mature shade trees, and bandstand built in 1989. Overlooks Kennebec River.*

### Coastal Maine Botanical Garden

Barter's Island Rd., Boothbay 633-4333

[www.maine gardens.org](http://www.maine gardens.org)  
*Begun in 1992. Woodland paths through 128 acres and 1 mile of tidal shoreline. Some areas are planted and labeled. Long term plans include display gardens, native plant collections, library and visitor center.*

### Farnsworth Art Museum Campus

352 Main St., Rockland 596-6457

*Two intimate gardens built in late 1990s. Study Center Garden includes native plants such as ferns and birches, plus perennials. Farnsworth Homestead Garden is Victorian in style. National Register of Historic Places.*

### The Garden Institute at Merry Gardens

Upper Mechanic St., Camden 236-9064

*A non-profit preserve, offering educational and horticultural opportunities for the mid-coast area. Large herb garden, perennial gardens, a children's garden, test garden of annuals, abundant wildflowers, trees and shrubbery and pond.*

### Heather Garden at Walker Art Building

Bowdoin College, Brunswick 725-3000

*Established in late 1980s. Hardy heaths and heathers surround classic art museum. Visit nearby historic Brunswick Mall with stately trees and bandstand.*

### Merryspring Horticultural Nature Park

Route 1, Conway Road, Camden 236-2239

*66-acre park with gardens and trails through undeveloped fields and woods, 10-acre arboretum of native species, woodland garden with vernal pool, and spectacular vistas of surrounding mountains. Gazebo surrounded by herb, rose, perennial gardens, raised beds.*

### Nickels-Sortwell House

Main & Federal St., Route 1, Wiscasset 882-6218

[www.historicnewengland.org/visit/homes/nickels.htm](http://www.historicnewengland.org/visit/homes/nickels.htm)  
*1807 museum house with landscape designed by Charles Eliot II in 1926. National Historic Landmark. Also visit nearby Sunken Gardens.*

### Vesper Hill Children's Chapel

Chapel Rd. off Calderwood Ln., Rockport

*Non-denominational chapel in a garden setting, situated on a rocky ledge overlooking the ocean.*

# DIRECTORY OF MAINE GARDEN CENTERS

Reflecting the independent spirit of the people who live and work in Maine, the state boasts an exceptional number of innovative garden and plant centers. Though all the establishments listed here are unique, they share the common bond of a true love of plants and horticulture — which is often reflected in the display gardens that will be a highlight of your visit.

## GREATER PORTLAND / CASCO BAY

**Estabrook Farm & Greenhouse** • 337 East Main St., Yarmouth • 846-4398 • *A garden center for all seasons, large selection of trees, shrubs and perennials.*

**Fox Hill Nursery** • 347 Lunt Rd., Freeport • 729-1511 • lilacs.com • *Lilacs and heather nursery. Growing over 90 varieties of lilacs.*

**The Gardener's Barn** • 272 Middle Rd., Cumberland • 829-5549 • *Large collection of uncommon and hard to find perennials and seasonal flowering plants.*

**Harraseeket Inn** • 162 Main St., Freeport • 865-9377 • stayfreeport.com • *Luxury country inn, fine dining, extensive perennial gardens, wild woodland garden, 3 waterfalls.*

**O'Donal's Nurseries, Inc.** • 6 County Rd., Gorham • 839-4262 • odonaldsnurseries.com • *Garden center & nursery, 60 acres specializing in hardy trees, shrubs & perennials.*

**Ossipee Trail Garden Center** • Rt. 25, 333 Ossipee Trail, Gorham • 839-2885 • *Full service garden center, excellent selection of trees, shrubs, perennials & annuals.*

**Plainview Farm** • 529 Mountfort Rd., North Yarmouth • 829-5004 • dpalmer@gwi.net • *Nursery specializes in over 2000 varieties of perennials. Extensive mature gardens.*

**Skillin's Greenhouse Inc.** • 89 Foreside Rd., Falmouth • 781-3860 • www.skillins.com • *5th generation Maine-owned business dedicated to ornamental agriculture.*

## WESTERN LAKES & MOUNTAINS

**Deerwood Gardens** • 51 Weston Farm Rd., Harrison • 583-6748 • *"The Daylily Place" Field grown perennials, display gardens and mountain views.*

**Harnden's Harvest Hutch** • McLaughlin Rd., Wilton • 645-2433 • harnnp@exploremaine.com • *English cottage-style garden. Pick your own flowers and produce in season.*

**Hedgehog Hill Farm** • 54 Hedgehog Hill Rd., Sumner • 388-2341 • hedgehoghillfarm.com • *Plants, herbs & everlasting shop, workshops, free garden lectures on Sundays.*

**Kingfield Flower Farm & Nursery** • Route 27, Kingfield • 265-2248 • kingfieldflowerfarm.com • *Cutflower grower, retail nursery, annuals, perennials, Flower Fest each June.*

**Maine Cottage Garden** • RR 1, 6 Dodge Rd., Strong • 684-3400 • mainecottagegarden.com • *Naturalized hilltop gardens, perennial nurseries, fresh flowers, natural Maine artwork.*

**Marrett House** • 40 Ossipee Trail, Standish • 642-3032 • www.spnea.org • *Museum house, weekend tours 11am-4pm, June-October; Restored garden open daily.*

**Pooh Corner Farm** • 436 Bog Rd., Bethel • 836-3276 • poohfarm.com • *Greenhouses/garden center growing annuals, perennials, herbs & containers. Gift Store. Animals.*

**Pray's Perennial Gardens** • 1437 Pownal Rd., Auburn • 784-6152 • *Specializing in over 100 varieties of hardy field grown perennials- display gardens.*

**Roundabout Farm Perennials** • 452 North Hill Rd., Buckfield • 336-2086 • *Nursery offering hundreds of varieties of perennials, shrubs, lilacs, roses and trees.*

**Shaker Hill Nursery** • Rte 26, Poland Spring • 998-5390 • shakerhillnursery.com • *Water and display gardens featuring unique trees, shrubs and perennials.*

**Sunnyside Gardens** • 500 North Parish Rd., Turner • 225-3998 • sunnyside@tka.com • *One of Maine's largest selection of hardy natively grown perennials.*

**Swallow Song Farm** • 1460 Intervale Rd., Bethel • 824-0634 • *Certified organic produce & 200+ perennial varieties-historic farm, panoramic view on Androscoggin River.*

**Western Maine Nurseries** • 4 Nursery Lane, Fryeburg • 775-5227 • westernmainenurseries.com • *Wholesale grower of conifer and woody ornamental seedlings & transplants.*

**Wolf Cove Inn** • 5 Jordan Shore Dr., Poland • 998-4976 • wolfcoveinn.com • *Bed & Breakfast on a lakeside setting, herb garden, perennials, something in bloom Spring to Fall.*

## SOUTHERN MAINE

**Moody's Nursery & Garden Center** • 82 Ferry Rd., Saco • 284-7233 • moodynursery@lamere.net • *Year-round: annuals, perennials, trees, shrubs, herbs, design & installation.*

**Snug Harbor Farm** • 87 Western Ave., Kennebunk • 967-2414 • shf@ispchannel.com • *Choice perennials, unusual annuals, different shrubs, topiaries and knowledgeable help.*

**Steeplebush Farm Herbs** • 102 Staples Hill Rd., Limington • 637-2776 • *Quality herbs, uncommon perennials, heather, garden needs, herbal products, everlastings.*

**Werner's Picket Mountain Farm** • 305 Bridge St., Newfield • 793-8360 • werners@cybertours.com • *Home & garden plants, full outdoor spring line, indoor tropical & foliage.*

## DOWNEAST / ACADIA

**College of the Atlantic** • 105 Eden St., Bar Harbor • 288 5015 • coa.edu • *A liberal arts college of human ecology featuring a series of gardens designed by Beatrix Farrand.*

**Rocky Ridge Perennials** • 323 Back Ridge Rd., Orland • 469-3254 • beargrdner@aol.com • *Hardy and unusual perennials & annuals. Large display garden, 2 large rock gardens.*

**Woodlawn Museum/The Black House** • 19 Black House Dr. (off Rt 172-Surry Rd.) Ellsworth • 667-8671 • *1824 house on 180 acres w/hiking trails and 1903 formal gardens.*

## THE MAINE HIGHLANDS

**Country Junction** • Route 11, North Bradford • 327-1398 • countryjct@msn.com • *Family farm selling naturally raised perennials, annuals, vegetables, herbs, milk and butter.*

**Countryside Greenhouses** • Rt. 2 Box 564, Newport • 368-4456 • *Trees, shrubs, perennials, annuals, hanging baskets, fall mums.*

**Snow Brook Gardens** • 315 Bridge Rd., Parkman • 876-3220 • *Perennial nursery, display gardens, open seasonally. Large Iris display in June.*

## KENNEBEC VALLEY / MOOSE RIVER VALLEY

**D.R. Struck Landscape Nursery** • Route 202, Winthrop • 395-4112 • drstruck@ctel.net • *Garden Center, nursery, garden gift shop, landscape design and installation.*

**Longfellow's Greenhouses** • 81 Puddledock Rd., Manchester • 622-5965 • *Maine's largest greenhouse and garden center open year round.*

## MID-COAST

**Blue Castle Farm** • 1248 North Pond Rd., Warren • 273-2894 • *Display gardens. Perennial nursery. Greenhouse with unusual annuals and containers. Cut flowers.*

**Blueberry Hill Farm Bed & Breakfast** • 101 Old Madden Rd., Jefferson • 549-7448 • sbf@gwi.net • *Working farm built in 1774. Offers variety of animals, gardens & nature trails.*

**Boothbay Region Greenhouses** • 35 Howard St., Boothbay Harbor • 633-2400 • *Full service florist shop and greenhouses. House plants. Weddings, Funerals.*

**Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens** • Barter's Island Rd., Boothbay • 633-4333 • dyersgreenhouse.com • *Walks and trails through a coastal woodland site. Free.*

**Dyer's Greenhouse & Nursery** • 490 Harpswell Rd., Brunswick • 729-3722 • dyersgreenhouse.com • *Garden center offering large selection of annuals, perennials, trees & shrubs.*

**Entwood Farm & Nursery, Inc.** • 262 South Horseback Rd., Burnham • 948-3281 • entwoodnursery.com • *Bonsai trees & supplies, retail nursery, herbal gift shop.*

**Friendship Garden** • 117 Bradford Point Rd., Friendship • 832-7905 • *Cottage gardens featuring Japanese Iris, dephiniums and lavender, field grown perennials.*

**Kennebec Flower Farm and Nursery** • 50 Pork Pt. Rd., Bowdoinham • 666-3116 • *Retail/wholesale grower of specialty cut flowers & potted herbs. Also at Brunswick Farmers Mkt.*

**North Creek Farm** • Rte 217 Phippsburg • 389-1341 • *Unusual roses, perennials, produce and cut flowers all on a mid-1800's saltwater farm. Extensive display gardens.*

**Plants Unlimited** • US Route 1, Rockport • 594-7754 • www.plants-unlimited.com • *Growing Maine's largest selection of quality plants since 1978.*

**Spencer's Greenery** • 49 Center St., Damariscotta • 563-3999 • *A fine selection of annuals and perennials featuring both the newest varieties and your favorite standards.*

**Unity Gift Boutique** • Rte. 202, 9 Bangor Rd., Unity • 948-2101 • unitygift@uninets.net • *Field grown perennials, specializing in day lilies, garden companions in gift shop.*

**Windsong Herbs and Gardens** 26 Windsong Way, Walpole • 677-3770 • *Certified organic farm, greenhouse, pick-your-own and gift shop. Daily 8-5pm.*

## ANNUAL GARDEN AND LANDSCAPE EVENTS

### MARCH/APRIL

**Bangor Garden Show**  
Bangor, 990-1201

**Portland Flower Show**  
Portland, 775-4403

### MAY

**Lilac Festival**  
South Paris, 743-8820

**Maine Iris Society Show**  
South Paris, 345-9532

**Warblers & Wildflowers Festival**  
Bar Harbor, 288-5103

*\*call for exact dates of events*

### JUNE

**B & B Inn and Garden Tour**  
Arundel, Kennebunk, Kennebunkport  
967-0857

**Hidden Treasures of the  
Boothbay Peninsula**  
Boothbay, 633-4333

**Maine Iris Society Show**  
Auburn, 782-2645

**Summer Guided Tours**  
Pine Tree State Arboretum  
(ongoing thru August)  
Augusta, 621-0031

**Zonta Garden Tour**  
Bangor area, 942-5117

### JULY

**Camden-Rockport Garden Tour**  
Camden-Rockport, 236-9797

**Gardens in the Watershed**  
Georges River Watershed Region,  
594-5166

**Lewiston-Auburn Annual  
Garden Tour**  
Lewiston-Auburn, 782-1403

**Miles Memorial Hospital League  
House and Garden Tour**  
Damariscotta area, 563-8791

**Waldo County Hospital Aide  
Garden Tour**  
Waldo County, 338-3213

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**Maine Department of Agriculture**  
[www.mainefoodandfarms.com](http://www.mainefoodandfarms.com)  
207-287-3491

**Maine Office of Tourism**  
[www.visitmaine.com](http://www.visitmaine.com)  
888-624-6345

**Maine Olmsted Alliance for Parks and Landscapes**  
[www.maineolmsted.org](http://www.maineolmsted.org)  
207-761-8081

**McLaughlin Garden and Horticulture Center**  
[www.mclaughlingarden.org](http://www.mclaughlingarden.org)  
207-743-8820

**People, Places & Plants Gardening Magazine**  
[www.ppplants.com](http://www.ppplants.com)  
800-251-1784

**Pine Tree State Arboretum**  
[ptsaso@adelphia.net](mailto:ptsaso@adelphia.net)  
207-621-0031

## Regional Tourism Information

### Kennebec Valley / Moose River Valley

1-(800) 393-8629

### Western Lakes & Mountains

1-(207) 783-1986

### The Maine Highlands

1-(888) 876-2778

### Bangor

1-(800) 91-MOOSE

### Aroostook

1-(888) 21-MAINE

### Greater Portland / Casco Bay

1-(207) 772-5800

### Southern Maine Coast

1-(800) 639-2442

### Downeast / Acadia

1-(888) 665-3278

### MidCoast

Call local chamber