

boise ^{14th annual} Flower & Garden show

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SEE INCREDIBLE GARDENS AND EXCITING NEW PRODUCTS AT BOISE'S ONLY FLOWER & GARDEN SHOW

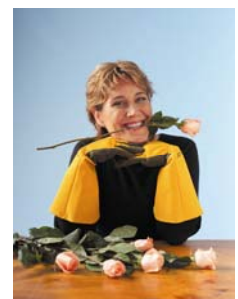
BOISE, ID - It's time to hang up the parka and shelve the snow boots. Grab a sunhat and put on the Crocs, spring is on its way with the 14th annual Boise Flower & Garden Show, March 26-28 at the Centre on the Grove. This show has become a more trustworthy source than the groundhog at announcing the arrival of spring to the Boise area. Thousands of attendees know that the Boise Flower & Garden Show is a one-stop resource for gardeners to obtain new products, awaken fresh ideas and gather a wealth of information from the area's top gardening experts.

Upon entering the building, get ready for an overdrive of the senses. From the sounds of soothing fountains to the fragrance of flowering annuals, this show will get you excited for spring. The lobby garden will inspire you to transform your own backyard into a vacation spot you'll enjoy year – round. Designed and constructed by The Nature Company, you'll be amazed at the many elements incorporated into this backyard oasis.

This is the one place that attendees can purchase products they won't see elsewhere. Great bulbs, yard structures, water fountains, pottery, iron art, outdoor furniture, tools, garden art, plants, and more! Plus, it is a great place to talk with landscapers and designers about your dreams.

Need help putting the ideas together? Turn to the experts! A stellar line up of gardening seminars will cover topics ranging from landscape design ideas to organic land and lawn care are offered all three days of the show. Melinda Myers, nationally known gardening expert, will offer great ideas that will enhance your garden. She has written over 20 gardening books, including **Can't Miss Small Space Gardening**. She is the host of the nationally syndicated "**Melinda's Garden**

Moments". She is also a columnist and contributing editor for *Birds and Blooms* who is sponsoring her appearance.



And, Boise's own lawn and plant care celebrity, Jim Zamzow, will make an appearance at the show on Saturday and Sunday. Always one to draw a crowd, attendees are encouraged to get there early to ensure they have get a seat.

Hungry from all the planning and shopping? Visit the Specialty Foods Pavilion sponsored by the Idaho Specialty Foods Association. Taste buds will be tickled with samples of spud fudge, mustards, gourmet barbecue sauces and rubs, salsas, marinades, candies and more. Items will be available for purchase to enjoy later.

Wine & Jazz Nights happen on both Friday and Saturday. Always a popular attraction at the show, wine tasting will take place from 4pm – 8pm with live jazz from 5pm – 8 pm.

Back by popular demand are the Bonsai Exhibition presented by the Boise Bonsai Association, and the largest Orchid Sale in Boise, presented by Jolah Orchids. Orchid lovers will be enticed with specimens they can't find anywhere else. And, the Lunaria League will hold a silent auction of interesting and outrageous planters. All proceeds go to the Lunaria League which supports horticultural projects in Idaho.

Visit the 14th Annual Boise Flower & Garden Show March 26-28 at the Boise Centre on the Grove. The show is sponsored by the Idaho Nursery and Landscape Association and KTVB Channel 7. Show hours are Friday, March 26th from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Saturday, March 27st from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; and Sunday, March 28th from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is \$7 for adults, \$2 for youth 7- 12, and free for children six and under. \$2 discount coupons good on adult regular price admission are available at all Zamzow Stores.

The show is produced and managed by The EVENT Group. For more information, please call (503) 335-3336 or visit www.gardenshowboise.com.

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