



**Wollaston Garden Club: Fall Floral Design Workshop
Wednesday, September 26 (7 - 9 pm)**

At Houghs Neck Community Center, 1193 Sea Street, Quincy, 02169

Join us for a hands-on floral design workshop for novices and beginners in which participants will learn the basic elements and principles of good floral design, led by club designers. This workshop series is being led by Pat Artis, graduate of Cass School of Floral Design, 4th year auditing student of the Flower Show Judge's School of the National Garden Club, Inc, and Second Level student of the Sogetsu School of Ikebana.

"The Colors of Autumn" A capsule, functional table design for one person, incorporating fall colors into the table setting design (on a table cloth of sage green provided by club).

*****You** bring your own table setting (plate, saucer, bowl, charger...), beverage container (cup, glass...), napkin and napkin ring, and place mat in harmonious fall colors. Important: No silverware is required. You should bring your own design tools (clippers, scissors) and materials (tape, wire). The club will provide a container for an accompanying floral arrangement in fall colors, with plastic insert/oasis, and also provide flowers of orange, gold, burgundy, and rust, and foliage, in a variety of textures. The cost for each participant is \$15 and sign-up is required. Maximum of 12 Wollaston Garden Club members will be accommodated.

Good sources for acquiring these dinnerware items: your own or borrowed dinnerware, Goodwill, Marshall's, TJ Max, Home Goods, Christmas Tree Shop, and Pier 1 (amazing array of napkins/placemats).

Internet ideas and pictures on how to compile elements/arrange elements of your table setting: There are a number of web sites which show samples of "flower show - capsule, functional table design" that might help you visualize this design task better.

www.lavgc.org/SpecialInterests/Floral/TableSettings.html

http://gci.esiteasp.com/garden_glories/floral_design6.htm

<http://www.schuylervillegardenclub.org/testimonials.html>

<http://theoutdoorgardeners.org/April's-Designs.php>

<http://gcfm.org/FlowerShows/ShowPhotos/tabid/135/AlbumID/406-14/Page/1/Default.aspx>

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