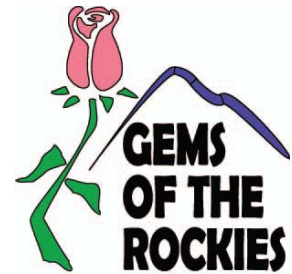


# THE DENVER ROSE SOCIETY WELCOMES YOU TO

## GEMS OF THE ROCKIES



### Wednesday, June 25

3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Registration and Information Open  
Cold storage available

### Thursday, June 26

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. **Preconvention Tour #1** South to Colorado Springs: Garden of the Gods, Air Force Academy, ForestEdge Garden, and the Macon and Godfredson private gardens (lunch included)

3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Registration and Information Open  
Cold storage available

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. ARS Store Open

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Trade Show / Quilt Show Open

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. ARS Finance Committee Meeting

7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. **Program:** Joan Franson, Rocky Mountain District Director: *"Beautiful Roses of the Rockies"*

### Friday, June 27

8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. **Tour #2** North to Boulder/Longmont: Dushanbe Teahouse Rose Garden, Longmont Memorial Rose Garden, and the Frechette private garden (lunch included)

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Registration and Information Open  
Cold storage available

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. ARS Executive Committee Meeting

8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. ARS Board Meeting

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. ARS Board Luncheon

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. ARS Store Open

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Trade Show / Quilt Show Open

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. **Consulting Rosarian Seminar:** *"Everything You Ever Wanna Know About Thrips...and More!"*  
Baldo Villegas and Dr. Whitney Cranshaw (2 credits) open to all

4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. **Program:** Don Julien: *"Starting Over: Planning Your Second (or Third!) Rose Garden"*

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. **Program:** Dr. R. Kenneth Horst: *"Diseases of the Rose and Their Control"*

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. "First Timers" Reception with ARS President, Steve Jones

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Opening Reception

### Saturday, June 28

4:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Rose Show Prep Area Open

5:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Registration and Information Open

6:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Rose Show Entries Accepted

8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. **Tour # 3** Denver City Tour: Molly Brown House, Denver Botanic Gardens, and driving tour of downtown (lunch included)

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Judges and Clerks Breakfast

10:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Rose Show Judging

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. ARS Store Open

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Trade Show / Quilt Show Open

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Rose Show Open to Convention Registrants

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Patrons' Fiesta (open to **all**; price includes 1 drink ticket)

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Rocky Mountain District Meeting

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Rose Hybridizers Association Meeting

## **Saturday, June 28 (cont'd)**

- 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Rose Show Open to the Public  
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. **Program:** Dr. Neville Arnold: *"Breeding Winter-Hardy and Disease Resistant Roses"*  
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. **Program:** Stephen Scanniello: *"Tales My Roses Told Me"*  
6:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. **Tour #4** Evening Fun Night: Lannie Garrett as the hilarious Patsy DeCline (buffet dinner)  
Lannie's Clocktower Cabaret downtown Denver

## **Sunday, June 29**

- 8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. **Tour # 5** East Denver Garden Tour: Fairmount Cemetery and Horovitz and Tatroe private gardens (lunch included)  
8:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Rose Show Open  
8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Registration and Information Open  
8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. **Arrangement Judges' Seminar:** *"The Duke in Flying Colors, Point Score the Ride"*  
Doug Helberg, National Arrangement Judges Chair (2 credits)  
10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Rose Show Awards Presentation  
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. **Horticulture Judges' Seminar:** *"Judging Challenge Classes"*  
Susan Clingenpeel, National Horticultural Judges Chair (2 credits)  
2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. ARS Membership Meeting  
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. ARS Committee Meetings, Convention Planning Committee Meeting  
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. **Program:** John Sheldon: *"Messenger® 101: Bringing Science into Your Rose Garden"*  
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. **Program:** Dr. Tommy Cairns: *"Evolution of the Rose"*  
6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. Cocktails  
7:15 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Awards Banquet: Comic Entertainment by Kevin Fitzgerald, DVM

## **Monday, June 30**

- 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. **Post Convention Tour # 6** Mountain Tour to Vail led by Joan Franson: Betty Ford Alpine Garden, Georgetown Loop Railroad, and private Fugere garden (lunch on your own in Vail)

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**CUT OFF DATE FOR CONVENTION RATE June 10**

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