

WEST VIRGINIA  
BOTANIC GARDEN  
*at Tibbs Run Preserve*

Dear Friends:

The West Virginia Botanic Garden (WVBG) will host its annual garden party fundraiser on Sunday August 18, 2019 from 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. The Garden Party's 2019 theme, "**Birds, Bees, Flowers, Trees,**" is a salute to the wonderful elements of nature that the Garden has to offer. It will feature entertainment by the dynamic string trio, The Elk River Ramblers, culinary delights by award winning Chefs, Dale Hawkins & Teresa Lipps with Fish Hawk Acres, and an annual highlight: the live and silent auctions.

***We are asking for your support to assist in making this year's event a huge success by donating an item, experience, or getaway for the auctions.*** By donating an auction item, your organization will support the vision and growth of the WVBG. All contributions are greatly appreciated and will be acknowledged in the event program. A representative of the WVBG will be in contact with you to pick up your donation by August 5.

With the help of community-minded friends such as you, major changes are continually happening at the WVBG. For more information about our exciting Master Plan and all of the activities that are going on at the Garden, we invite you to visit our website: [www.wvbg.org](http://www.wvbg.org).

On behalf of the entire WVBG, thank you in advance for your role in helping us grow!

Sincerely,



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*The West Virginia Botanic Garden, Inc. is incorporated in West Virginia as a tax exempt, not-for-profit [501(c)(3)] organization. Contributions are deductible to the extent allowed by law. For your records, the West Virginia Botanic Garden's federal EIN is 55-0754775.*

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