

PVC Rock Garden Society
Fall Plant Exchange
Saturday, September 28, 2019

WHERE: Home of Jim Hughes and Willie Harley

6909 Pineway
University Park, MD 20782
301-779-2891

WHEN: 9:00 – 10:00 OPEN Garden -- Come Early for a self-guided tour of the garden; Jim Hughes will be available to answer questions

10:00 – Noon Plant EXCHANGE – bring at least 1 plant you really don't want to give away! Leave the thugs at home.

Members NOW is the time to DIG plants for the exchange. Take a look around your garden at what you can share. Pot them up as soon as possible so they will be looking healthy and not drooping from transplant shock the day of exchange.

Hosts **Jim and Willie** welcome PVC members to the fall plant exchange at their home and ½ acre garden. Members are welcome to come early to spend time in the garden.

Jim says, "Fall is not the peak time in our garden – the Galanthus are gone; the bleeding hearts are all bled out; the saxifraga are spent! What the deer, ground hog, raccoons, rabbits, squirrels and chipmunks have not devoured, the 100-degree days hit hard this summer. "

What you will find still hanging in there at the end of September.....

12 of the newest Mangave crosses

4 different Fatsia japonica

8 different Osmanthus heterophyllus

A cold frame with seedlings from the NARGS seed exchange

A 2 year old 3' x 20' rock garden with over 40+ plants being trialed

A 7 foot custom deer fence enclosing the space behind the house

A newly planted (6 months ago) fernery/stumpery/rockery with 40+ shade plants

Aloysia virgata – may still be in bloom and
fragrant – in pot

Cyclamen hederifolium

Danae racemosa thriving in dry shade

Eurya japonica ‘Sea Brocade’

Fatshedera

Goodyera pubescens

Lespedeza thunbergii ‘White Fountain’ may still
be in bloom

Leycesteria Formosa ‘Gold Lantern’ may still be in
bloom

“Deer Resistant” planting (the oval bed under the
oak on the hill)

Over 25 bonsai in training for over 25 years

Pyrossia lingua on stumps

Trochodendron aralioides

Come and join in one of our most popular annual events!