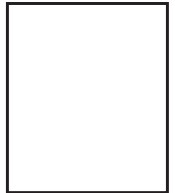




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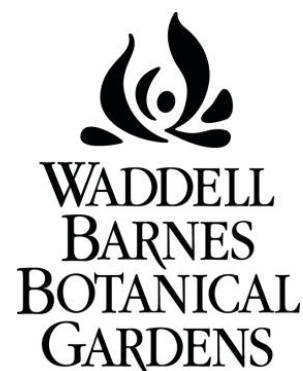
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9:30AM - *Prunus Species Suitable for Middle Georgia*.....Dr. John Ruter
10:30AM - Break
10:45AM - *Re-establishing Shoals Lillies*.....Jim Rodgers
11:45AM - Deli Lunch Buffet
12:45PM - Concurrent Sessions
 Blossoms & Blooms, Creative Compote Design — Julie Dominy
 Tour of MGA's Cherry Blossom Grove — Trey Crisp
1:45PM - Break
2:00PM - *Herpetology Conservation in Georgia*.....Daniel Sollenberg



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Trey Crisp is the director of Facilities Operations at Middle Georgia State University's Macon and Warner Robins campuses. He is a registered landscape architect and licensed utility foreman in the State of Georgia. He has degrees in history and landscape architecture from the University of Georgia.

Julie Dominy has been the owner of Southern Florals and Drapes, a luxury floral event design studio, since 2016. Her new brand, Charmed Events, is an online web-based custom order flower design site for weddings or any event tailored to clients on a budget. She is committed to bringing a unique style and design that caters seamlessly to each person and event.

Jim Rodgers owns and operates Nearly Native Nursery, a walk-in retail and mail order business in Fayetteville that specializes in native plants that attract wildlife.

Dr. John Ruter is the Armitage Endowed Professor of Horticulture at the University of Georgia where he teaches classes and conducts research on plant genetics and cultivar development. He also serves as director of the Trial Gardens at UGA where he oversees trialing of more than 650 annuals and perennials.

Daniel Sollenberg is a senior wildlife biologist with the Georgia DNR Wildlife Resources Division, and he assumes the role of the State Herpetologist of Georgia. He received bachelor's degrees from ABAC and UGA and a master's in biology from Western Carolina University.

