

## THE FRIENDLY GARDEN CLUB OF TRAVERSE CITY INVITES YOU TO MICHIGAN GARDEN CLUBS DISTRICT V FALL CONFERENCE OCTOBER 7, 2021 PLAY OUTDOORS

Park Place Hotel 300 East State Street, Traverse City, Mi 231-946-5000

Reservations Required. Deadline for reservations is September 23rd, 2021. No refunds after September 30th.

Cost is \$40.00 per person

Registration, Coffee and shopping: 9:00

Conference begins 9:30

Plated Lunch Choice of; Honey Almond Chicken or Rosa Primavera Manicotti (veg)

Our Speakers

Dr. Robert Schutzki: is recently retired from MSU after 38 years of teaching. Dr. Schutzki has several degrees in Horticulture including a PhD in Forestry. He has conducted many outreach classes n landscaping, plant identification, sustainability and plant management.

Elly Maxwell Elly is an entomologist with degrees from MSU and Alburn University. She has been employed at Dow Gardens for the last 15 years. She is an enthusiast speaker and loves to share her knowledge with others.

Jim Dake is The Educational Director at The Grass River Nature Area. He has a Masters Degree in Science Education. He will present a program on Owls of Northern Michigan including their habitat and characteristics.

Suggested Accommodations:

Park Place Hotel - 855-526-1090 from \$210.00 per night

Baymont Inn 844-208-6943 2326 US 31 South from \$110.00 per night

Country Inn and Suites 833-547-0927 from \$140.00 per night

These are only suggestions as Traverse City has over 500 hotels and motels.

We will be following the CDC Covid Guidelines as recommended on October 7,





