

'Valley Forge'

Charles Herbert's Hybrid

# American Rhododendron Society

**VALLEY FORGE CHAPTER**

[www.ValleyForgeARS.org](http://www.ValleyForgeARS.org)

2009

## ANNUAL PLANT SALE

### Jenkins Arboretum

631 Berwyn Baptist Road, Devon, PA 19333

**Friday, May 1, 6 p.m.-8 p.m.\***

**Early-Bird Party-By reservation only\* (see below)**

**SATURDAY May 2, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

**SUNDAY May 3, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

Cash and Checks accepted (no credit cards)

Sale is held rain or shine.

*\*Shop at the Early-Bird Pre-Sale and Wine Party*

**FRIDAY, May 1, from 6 to 8 p.m.:**

Deadline for Party Reservations: April 27

\_\_\_\_\_persons     \$30.00/person     Total: \$\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send check, payable to Valley Forge Chapter, American Rhododendron Society,  
to P.O. Box 715, Southeastern, PA 19399-0715**

*Reservations will be used in the drawing of door prizes Friday evening*

*The Valley Forge Chapter of the American Rhododendron Society prides itself on always offering an exceptional selection of plants.*

*The selections offered and the varieties in bloom may vary from year to year, but the quality is always the best. Native plants have not been collected in the wild.*

**This year's selection include:**

- **Rhododendron species and Rhododendron hybrids,** (many not commercially available)
- **Native azalea species, native azalea hybrids,** and other **deciduous azaleas**
- **Evergreen azalea hybrids** (many not commercially available)
- **Vireya rhododendrons** (the equals of orchids as houseplants)
- **Shrubs and Trees** such as **Camellias, Tea Plants,** and **Hardy Palms**
- **Conifers**
- **Hostas**
- **Wildflowers**
- **Ferns and other Perennials.**

Photographs and information on many of these plants will appear on our chapter website <http://www.ValleyForgeARS.org>

*'Wheelbarrow Raffle'—Purchase tickets on Saturday and Sunday to win a wheelbarrow full of exceptional plants*

*Chapter members will be available to answer questions.*

**Planting Demonstrations**  
will be given at various times during the sale

***Tell your friends and Neighbors***

*Sales proceeds benefit horticultural, conservation, and educational efforts, including Jenkins Arboretum*

**We Welcome New Members!**

**American Rhododendron Society (ARS)  
Valley Forge Chapter**

\$35/individual\_\_\_\_\_

\$40/family\_\_\_\_\_

Name\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

Tel.No. \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail\_\_\_\_\_

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*If you join the Valley Forge Chapter of ARS during our sale, you will receive  
**one-time 10% discount on all plants purchased at the sale.***

- **Membership benefits** include regular Valley Forge chapter newsletters and the quarterly *Journal of the American Rhododendron Society*.
- **Chapter activities** include regular meetings with knowledgeable speakers; garden tours; and plant, seed, and plant cuttings exchanges. We meet throughout the year, with most meetings held at Jenkins Arboretum. Visit the chapter website at [www.ValleyForgeARS.org](http://www.ValleyForgeARS.org) for details.

***Our mission** is to make gardeners aware of the many varieties of the genus *Rhododendron*, which includes azaleas. Beautiful blooms and foliage are a valuable four-season addition to any garden: New growth is often as attractive as are the flowers in spring, leaf color and texture add interest in the summer, foliage can be brilliant in fall, and plant architecture is a bonus in winter.*

**The public is cordially invited to the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Rhododendron and Azalea  
FLOWER SHOW  
SUNDAY May 10, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.  
at the Jenkins Arboretum Greenhouse**

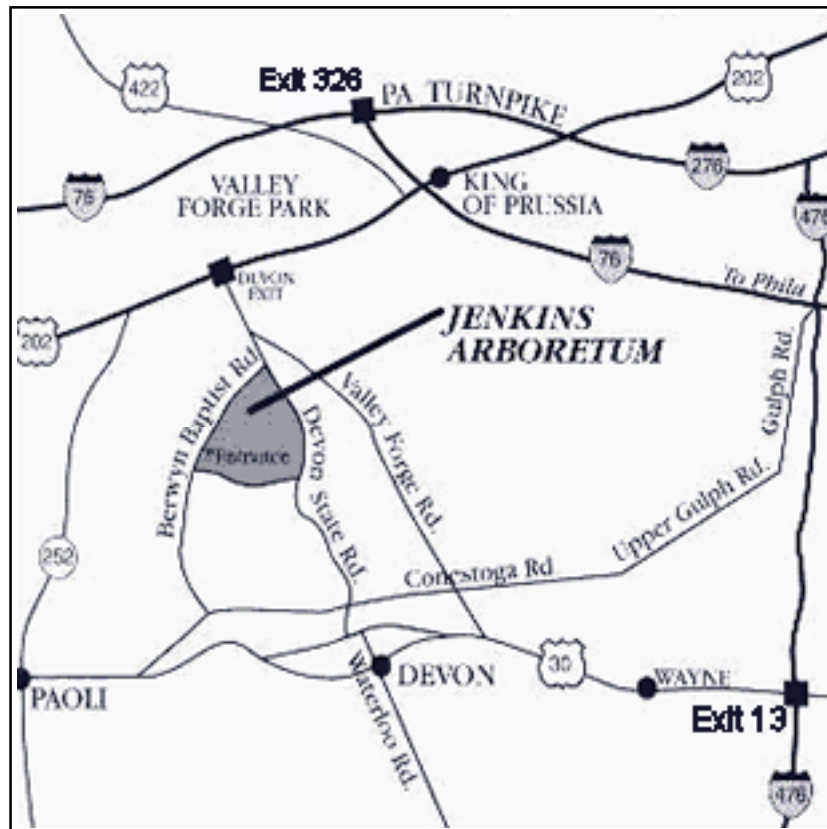
*Looking for a stunning display of locally grown rhododendrons and azaleas to celebrate Mother's Day? Come to our **annual Flower Show**, which is free and open to the public. "Trusses" from hundreds of rhododendrons and azaleas, all locally grown, will be on display. (A "truss" is the natural bouquet of flowers produced by rhododendrons and azaleas from a single bud.) See our website for details.*

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