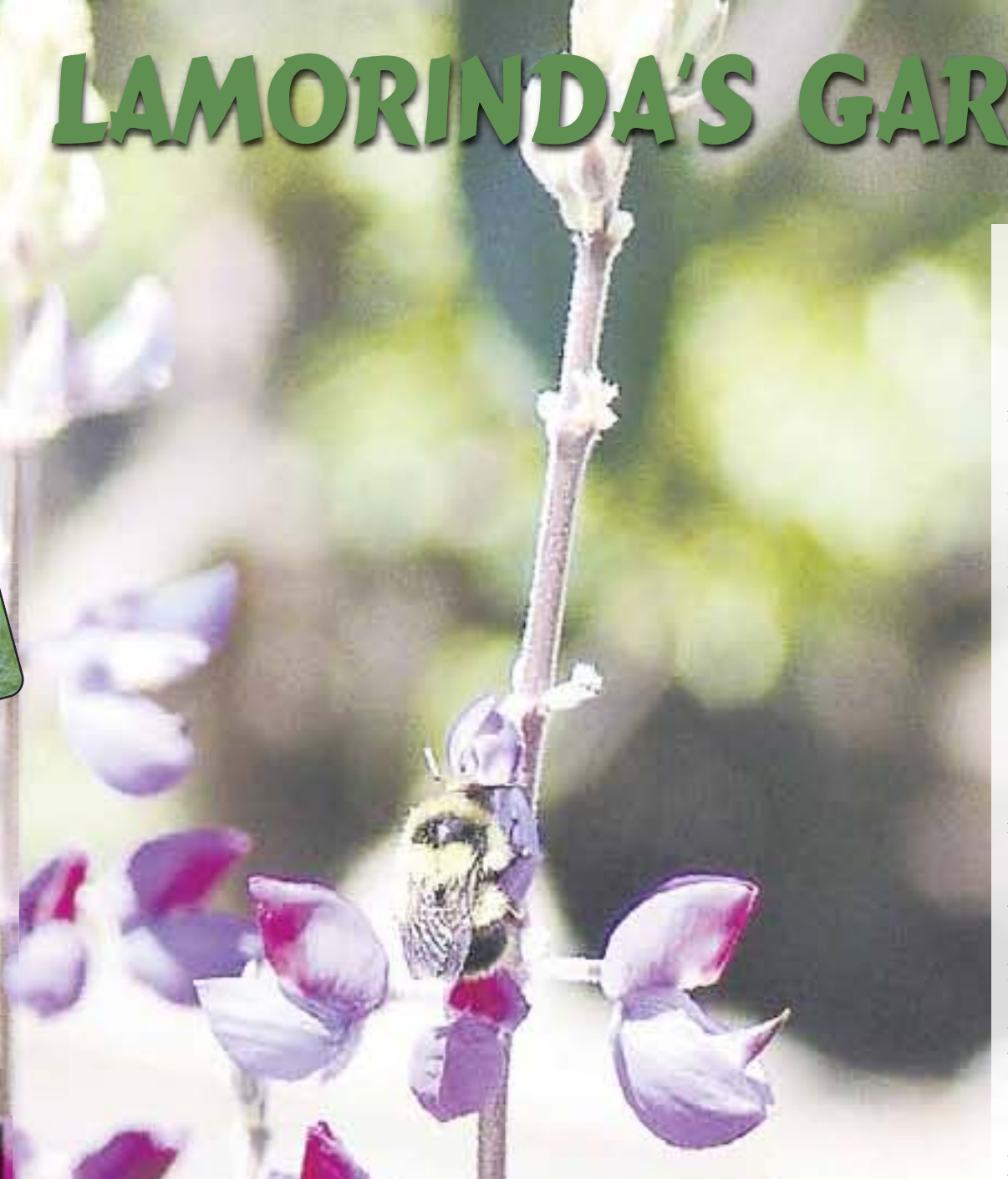




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- Lafayette Garden Club meeting May 8th, 9:30am. Our Savior Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, Lafayette. Visitors welcome.
- Moraga Garden Club Meeting, April 17, 2008, 9:30 a.m., Holy Trinity Cultural Center, 1700 School St., Moraga. Moraga Garden Club "Bouquets to the Arts!" This is a special Floral Design Demonstration done by our own talented members. For information call Mardi Potts, 376-2004.
- Gourmet Bike Tour of Two Spectacular Gardens (Walnut Creek and Lafayette) Sunday, April 27, 2008; 9:30 - 3:30 Fee\$50 www.bringingbackthenatives.net (510) 236-9558
- 3rd Annual Spring Plant Sale, the Bret C. Harte Young Directors Fund will hold its annual plant sale on Saturday, May 3, 9 am to 3 pm at 73 Coral Drive in Orinda. There are plants for everyone: beautiful landscape plants, vegetable and tomato plants ready for your garden, exotic and easy to care for succulents, flowering plants for pots and borders and many more. All proceeds go to fund Berkeley Repertory Theatre's artistic internship For more info please go to www.BretCHarteFund.org.
- A Science Café-Mt. Diablo Wildflowers. Come and enjoy an armchair tour of lovely Mount Diablo photos with expert Yulan Tong. Thursday, May 15 at 6:30 p.m., Shelby's Restaurant. This event is free and you can order dinner, salad, dessert, coffee or wine to eat during the talk. So come early 2 Theatre Square Orinda, All are invited and welcome! Presented by Women Chemists Committee and American Chemical Society RSVP: Please call the ACS office at 925-287-8055 for reservations by May 13, 2008.
- Fourth Annual Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour-Sunday, May 4 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. This free, self-guided tour showcases 60 pesticide-free, water-conserving East Bay (Alameda and Contra Costa County) gardens that provide habitat for wildlife and contain 30% or more native plants. The registration deadline for the Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour is April 26, 2008 and can be done online at www.BringingBackTheNatives.net. Early registration is suggested to ensure a place.
- Through the Garden Gate, the Moraga Juniors self-guided Garden Tour on Sat., May 3rd 10am-3pm, focuses on gardens with unique and creative features such as outdoor kitchens, unusual play areas and even a small vineyard. It also seeks to offer guests a wide range of settings, from spectacular estates to a sprawling Sanders Ranch hillside house to simpler ranches. Purchase \$30 tickets at McDonnell Nursery (Orinda), Orchard (Lafayette) and Across the Way (Moraga). <http://www.throughthegardengate.org/>
- Lafayette Garden Club Presents "Gardens for Gardeners" on Thursday, May 8th.. Gardens open 10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Visit 6 unique, local gardens. Knowledgeable garden club members will be on site demonstrating plant care, propagation techniques and designing garden art. Members' favorite plants will be available for purchase. Tickets \$25 are available at Mt Diablo Nursery, 3295 Mt. Diablo Blvd and Queen Bee Gifts, 261 Lafayette Cir. Or by return mail: Diane Sasser, 16 Warwick CT Lafayette, CA 94549 Make check payable to Lafayette Garden Club Day of tour tickets available at St. Perpetua Children's Garden

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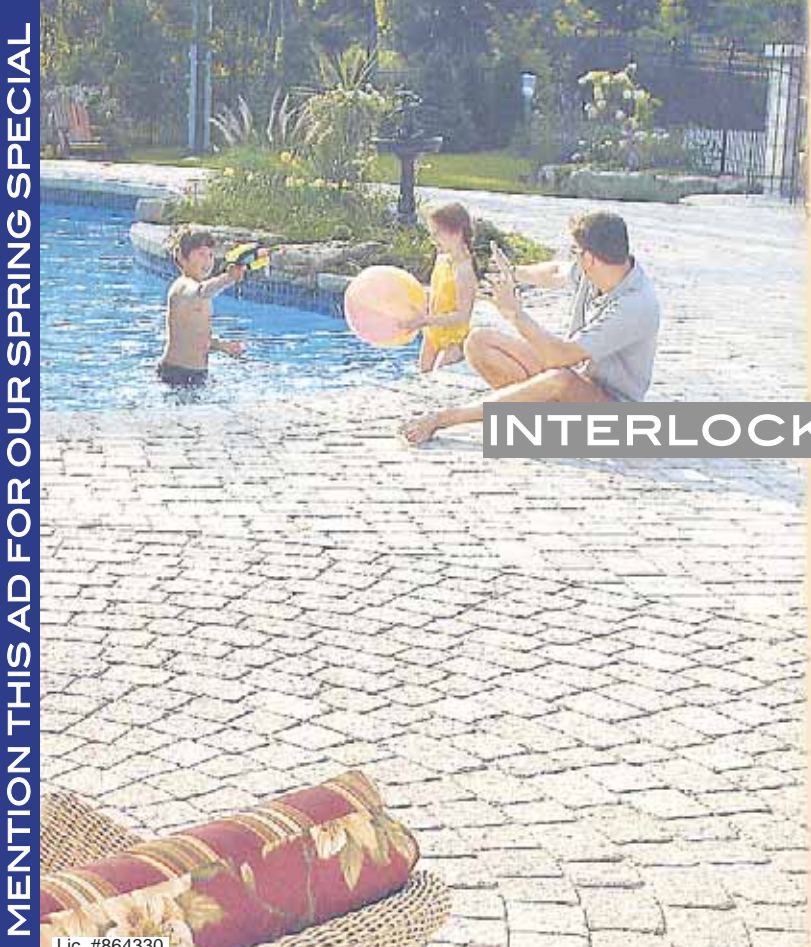
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