

Toledo Botanical Garden mentioned in publication

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The Toledo Botanical Garden is the only northwestern Ohio horticultural institution listed in *The Garden Tourist* for 1993.

The 577 Foundation in Perrysburg, the Schedel Foundation Arboretum and Gardens in Elmore, and the University of Toledo's Stranahan Arboretum do not appear in the nationwide guide.

Similarly, there's no mention of Hidden Lake Gardens at Tipton, Mich., or Matthaei Botanical Gardens of Ann Arbor. But the Ann Arbor flower show, March 25-28, is the first entry in the the guide's section on this year's flower shows around the country.

TBG's mention is in the national calendar, listing the spring plant sale and marketplace May 7 and 8.

The guide contains the Tulip Time

Festival in Holland, Mich., May 5-15; Cleveland's 50th home and flower show Feb. 19-28; a host of events at Kingswood Center in Mansfield; and a number of prominent "garden weeks," such as Savannah's tour of homes and gardens March 25-28 and Charleston's festival of houses and gardens March 19 through April 17.

A section called "far-away places" is a compilation of tours sponsored by botanical gardens and societies to Chile, Amazonia, southern India and Sri Lanka, South Africa, United Kingdom, New Zealand, Australia, Hawaii, France, Germany, Belgium, and the Netherlands.

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