

**WHO ARE THE INLAND EMPIRE GARDENERS?
A DIFFERENT KIND OF GARDEN CLUB**

Innovative, Creative, Dynamic, and Adventurousome

We are a fun-loving group who love to tour gardens, learn about gardening, and have festive events. Our primary purpose is to create a fellowship--an extended family of people who enjoy gardening and want to share this in friendship. We believe people who garden love life and nature. Ours is a club that celebrates the joy of gardening, friendship, homes and gardens, families, nature, and life.

COMMUNITY SERVICE FOR SPOKANE - Garden Expo, Garden of the Month Contest, Plant a Row for the Hungry, Bee-Kind Garden for Abused/Neglected Children, My Bag Program for Spokane's Foster Children, Spokane Humane Society, and YWCA's Alternatives to Domestic Violence Program.

**MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 1ST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH AT
7PM AT DECADES MEETING PLACE, 10502 E. SPRAGUE AT U-CITY IN THE VALLEY**
Guest Speakers on Gardening Subjects, Q&A Session, Door Prizes/Raffles/Auctions, Coffee/Snacks

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP - Membership will entitle you to all club educational programs (our library, video tapes, hand-outs, and monthly tours). You'll be given invitation to our special events (group garden trips, potlucks, luncheons, barbeques, and our Awards Banquet). You will have the opportunity to be involved in truly innovative programs. Membership also entitles you to a discount at our local business sponsors. You'll receive a new membership card each year when you renew.

THE GROWING NEWS - Our amazing 10-page monthly newsletter is one of the most popular benefits of the club. It will keep you updated on all monthly events and includes informative, educational, and often amusing gardening articles. Every month in a mailbox near you! Or you have the option of receiving an electronic PDF beautiful, full-color version of the newsletter by checking the newsletter emailed box below.

GARDEN TOURS - We feature monthly tours including tours of our member's gardens, local nurseries, and other special destinations. Our Open Garden Program includes private gardens that are open all summer long!

MORE BENEFITS - A club library with gardening books you can check out with every subject under the sun. An email group that keeps you updated with the latest information. An email newsgroup, provide your email to get periodic garden club updates and local entertainment news. Great groups-within-the group! The Gourmet Gardeners cooks and entertains in each other's gardens. The Shutterbugs Garden Photography group plans monthly photo opportunities. The Snoopy's Great Adventure Club has fantastic outings for our furriest members! And the TIEG Movie Fans just love popping some corn and getting back and watching a new flick.

INFORMATION - To receive a complimentary copy of our current newsletter with membership information, please email Chris at tieg@comcast.net or call 509-535-8434. You will be very glad you did!

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION INTO THE INLAND EMPIRE GARDENERS

Annual membership including all benefits: \$25 **Check here if you'd like newsletter emailed**

NAME: _____ HOME PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS APPLICATION (include zip code)
AND CHECK FOR YOUR DUES TO:

The Inland Empire Gardeners
P.O. Box 13184
Spokane Valley, WA 99213

THANK YOU!

EMAIL: _____
(for our newsgroup)