



**The North Central District**  
of the  
**American Rose Society**  
**SPRING MEETING**

MARCH 18-20, 2022

WINTERGREEN RESORT, 60 GASSER RD, WISCONSIN DELLS, WI 53965

**Saturday, March 19, 2022, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM – with lunch**

**We are back! Mark your calendars for another NCD spring meeting!**

Recent news reports indicate that the Covid pandemic is likely to peak in the coming weeks in our area of the country and then enter a downward trend. This is good news. Along with promoting safety practices we should be able to hold our meeting in March 2022. The request is for you all who wish to join us to please have your vaccinations, including booster if eligible – and plan to use a mask as appropriate. If you are not already vaccinated you do have time to get this done before we gather in March. We hope to see you all in WI – and until then please stay warm and safe!

Programs planned include a Milwaukee ARS convention recap, a review of the new Arrangement Guidelines, ARS initiatives including the new local rose society advisory committee, new roses with an evaluation of winter protection methods and Valley of Roses – a new source for grafted roses.

A design seminar will be held Saturday from 7 PM – 9 PM and Sunday 8:30 AM – 12 noon, led by Bruce Barr and Lois Ann Helgeson. We will be ordering pizza Saturday evening before the seminar.

If you plan to stay at the Wintergreen Resort, please make your room reservations at **800-648-4765 ext 1** and reference **NCD of the ARS**. Room rates are **\$89.00** this year for a King or two Queens plus tax (\$99.91 with tax). Preferred room rate expires **FEBRUARY 20, 2022**. (*Reservations can be cancelled up to three days before arrival. If our plans change we will make every effort to make a decision before this deadline.*) Arrive Friday and renew friendships with fellow rosarians! There will be a hospitality reception on Friday evening beginning at 7:00 PM in the Grand Ballroom. If you wish, you may bring your own beverages and/or prepackaged snack items to share.

Our registration form allows you to contribute to the ARS Educational Endowment Trust. Only the earnings from this fund will be used. We will again have a NCD SILENT AUCTION. Feel free to donate – many interesting items have been available over the years and this is an important fundraiser for our district!

If you have any questions regarding the meeting, please contact Lois Ann Helgeson at [helge006@umn.edu](mailto:helge006@umn.edu) or 612-578-1943. Registrations need to be received by March 4, 2022 please.

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**RESERVATIONS FOR NCD DISTRICT SPRING MEETING, MARCH 18-20, 2022**

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Name(s)	Email Address
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Home Address (print please)	Phone Number
Registration(s) \$10.00 each	number _____ \$ _____
Box Lunch \$15.00 each	
#1 Ham & turkey croissant sandwich, pasta salad, fruit, cookie & water or soda	number #1 _____ \$ _____
#2 Turkey salad (turkey, grapes, pineapple, almonds, dressing on lettuce), croissant, fruit, cookie & water or soda	number #2 _____ \$ _____
Design Seminar \$30.00 each	number _____ \$ _____
Saturday Pizza Dinner \$10.00 each	number _____ \$ _____
Donation to the ARS Educational Endowment Trust	\$ _____
<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

Make checks payable to: **North Central District**  
Mail to: **John Turek, 9075 County Road 52, Carver City, MN 55315**

