



# Every Blooming Thing

November - December 2016



## Find a Closer Connection to Nature

We're your local destination for the finest winter greenery, plants and décor inspired by the natural world. **Here are three of our picks this season:**

These delightful, **detailed metal silhouettes** can ornament garden or home. Made in Washington State by husband and wife artists Jay & Madeleine Crowdus, who in 2011, had a vision to turn their love of birds and other woodland inhabitants into these rustic metal creations. We loved them at first sight! **Handmade indoor/outdoor chimes** created and assembled in India. Crafted of copper and hand-blown glass beads, each chime and mobile is individually tested to ensure the bells give off a calming, melodic sound. With colors and shapes based on everything from old photos to memorable moments, Preston Hollow resident **Alyce Glazer Levy's** works begin with a single piece of wood with its own unique rings and markings that have a story to tell. Each piece is completely unique and one of a kind.

See these and more throughout the season in the store and the gallery at NHG.



*Jay & Madeleine Crowdus*



*Alyce Glazer Levy  
Big Mint Bowl*

*Moksba Chandelier Chime*



**SAVE the DATE**  
for our first annual  
**Holiday Art & Gift Market**  
**Saturday, December 3rd!**





# Easy Ways to Bring Your Garden Indoors This Season

Save time and money with these decorating tips



Paula Spletter, NHG's creative director extraordinaire (and long-tenured Dallas County Master Gardener) loves color and texture, but doesn't rely solely on

blossoms to get them for her seasonal decor. Her favorite? Super-hip succulents, of which she keeps a good supply growing in her garden year-round.



While gourds and pumpkins are abundant during the fall season, Paula offers a quick tip for a simple centerpiece that requires no carving. You'll need a small handful of moss (sheet moss is ideal) and a variety of succulent cuttings, preferably snipped and allowed to dry for a day or two before use. Affix the moss to the top of the pumpkin with a few dots of hot glue; allow to dry. Arrange the succulent cuttings on top of the moss; be sure to include a variety of colors and forms as well as small and large cuttings to create a nice composition. Affix each with a drop of hot glue. For larger pumpkins, Paula often finishes her creation with dried tips of branches, small pinecones, or even nuts. These mini-pumpkins make fabulous place card holders for a Thanksgiving table, too! Paula considers them a sort of long-term floral arrangement, noting that they'll last about one to two months indoors. Paula's blending of succulents with other textures also extends to holiday plating.

Here, she uses a simple white cake plate and adds a nest of green Spanish moss (*Tillandsia usneoides*). With snips of garden greenery—here, Camellia, Boxwood, Yaupon Holly, Junipers, and Magnolia—she layers the succulents to create a unique composition, finishing it with a bright green apple and a few dried almonds in the shell. It's a fresh, low-cost way to bring the garden indoors this season, and perfect for the holiday table. Paula's final tip? Up the 'heirloom' factor by using a cherished vintage dish or add interest with collectibles or even costume jewelry.

## See Paula live in person during our Holiday Art & Gift Market

on December 3rd, where she'll be offering demos, tips and tricks for bringing your own garden inside this season.



Visit [NHG.com](http://NHG.com) for class and event details

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## Easy Succulents for Beginners

Saturday,  
November 12,  
2-3:30pm

Set up a naturalistic miniature landscape.  
\$30 All supplies included



## Angie's Friends Dog Adoption Event

Saturday, November 19, 10:30am-2:30pm



## Holiday Watercolor Workshop with Wine: Primrose Cards

Sunday, November 13, 2-4pm  
with artist Marian Hirsch  
\$50 plus basic supplies



## Garden Walk: Arrangements from Your Garden

Saturday, November 12, 10:30-11:30am

Bring the garden indoors with hand-gathered arrangements with Paula Spletter. Free



## Opening Reception in The Gallery at NHG

Friday, November 11, 5-7pm  
Arcadian Contentment

Pastoral renderings in oil & pastel by six local artists



## Painting Workshop with Wine: Still Life with Pansies

Sunday, November 20, 2-4pm  
with artist Melanie Brannan  
\$65 All supplies included



## Learn @ Lunch Your Best Winter Containers

Thursday, November 17, 12-1pm  
\$14 class + lunch



## Seasonal Containers Workshop

Saturday, December 10, 10:30-12pm  
with Paula Spletter.  
\$25 All supplies included



## Pottery Workshop with Wine: Clay for the Birds

Saturday, November 19, 1:30-3:30pm  
Make your own handmade pottery birdfeeder with artist Rebecca Boatman.  
\$50 All supplies included



## Learn @ Lunch Success with Winter Veggies

Thursday, December 15, 12-1pm  
\$14 class + lunch



## Holiday Wreath Building Workshops with Wine

Make your holiday wreath from scratch this year!  
Sunday, December 4, 2-4pm  
Saturday, December 10, 3-5pm  
\$85 All supplies included



## Terrarium Ornaments Workshop with Wine

Sunday, December 11, 3-4pm  
with Cynthia Koogler \$25



## Painting Workshop with Wine: Impressions of Winter

Sunday, December 11, 2-4pm  
with artist Melanie Brannan  
\$65 All supplies included



## Holiday Art & Gift Market

Saturday, December 3rd, 4-8pm

More than 20 artists showcase a variety of locally handmade items, ready for seasonal gift giving in all price ranges.





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Join us for our  
**Holiday Art & Gift Market**  
Saturday, December 3rd 4-8pm



Detail of *Garden Peek*, oil on canvas by Julie England

New this year, our Holiday Art & Gift Market  
**Saturday, December 3rd from 4-8pm** will  
bring together the talents of local artists and  
craftspeople for a unique shopping experience.  
Interested in festive DIY entertaining?  
Throughout the evening, Chef Roe Dileo

of the Café at NHG will present simple tips  
for taking your holiday foodie game to the next  
level. Enjoy a variety of live demonstrations on  
decorating with fresh greenery, creating your best  
seasonal color containers, crafting living terrarium  
ornaments, and other tips on integrating garden

with home for your own space.  
Find inspiration in our demo stations, stroll the  
latest gallery show, enjoy happy hour pricing in  
the café, and meet talented north Texas artists  
with original, handmade gifts for anyone on  
your list. We hope you'll join us!