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GARDEN STATE BURSTS INTO SPRING AT THE NEW JERSEY HOME & GARDEN SHOW AT THE NEW JERSEY CONVENTION CENTER, EDISON, FEBRURARY 23-25

Visitors can get tips by a renowned gardener, wallpaper artist and a re-use expert; six magnificent gardens highlight information-packed show

Edison, N.J., January 5, 2024—The Renegade Gardener, a wallpaper artist-installer and a YouTube repurposing star join 100 remodeling, design & landscape experts to share ideas and information with visitors to the 34th annual **New Jersey Home & Garden Show**. Attendees at the New Jersey Convention Center in Edison, February 23-25, will get ideas and see products from more than 100 remodelers, contractors, interior designers, landscapers and kitchen & bath designers – mostly from locally-owned businesses. Six gardens, worthy of The Garden State, will provide a visual feast while handcrafted work of artisans will be for sale in the show's Marketplace.

Don Engebretson, a seasoned landscape designer and award-winning garden writer, known as the Renegade Gardener, invites visitors to bring photos of their yards and landscaping plans so that he can offer solutions to their challenges. In presentations at the show he will cover the top 10 gardening blunders and how to avoid them. He'll take visitors through the steps of the design process and instill the knowledge and confidence a homeowner needs to create their dream yard or garden.

Russel Siegel is known as The Wallpaper Artist. The Rockaway, N.Y. expert will share his tips for do-it-yourselfers to perfect their installation techniques while transforming their homes with this essential decorative element.

You-Tube star **Doreen Stovenour** will illustrate repurposing and do-it-yourself tips. Her <u>Facebook</u> postings and YouTube videos attract a growing audience. "Your trash is typically my treasure," she says. She's turned an old piano into a desk, a grill into a potting station, a headboard into a bench and old shutters into a raised garden.

Exhibitors run the remodeling gamut specializing in windows and doors, gutter protection, closets, roofing, fencing, decking, heating and air conditioning, solar energy, power washing, siding, landscaping and excavation, deer control, bath fitters and basement systems.

Special activities for children include make-and-take crafts, balloon animals and old-fashioned games like bean bag and ring tosses, tic-tac-toe, and a mini fishing pond.

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Website: Visit https://www.newjerseyhomeshow.com

Where: New Jersey Convention Center, 97 Sunfield Avenue, Edison, NJ 08837

Hours: Fri. Feb. 23, 3 p.m. - 8 p.m.; Sat. Feb. 24, 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.; Sun., Feb. 25, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Tickets: \$10 for everyone 16 and older. Children 15 and under free.

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