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In front of the gate a rivulet carries the flowers' scent
Translated inscription from outside Lan Su Garden's Lounge Hall

LAN SU CHINESE GARDEN'S FESTIVAL OF FRAGRANCE

An Olfactory Two Weeks March 20-31

Featuring a Plant Sale, Aromatherapy, Flower Arranging, Camellia Display & More

In Chinese gardens plants provide beauty, color, texture, offer meaning and fragrance. Even more so than western gardens, fragrance is a key consideration in selecting and locating a plant for a traditional Chinese garden.

March at Lan Su Garden focuses on fragrance, offering:

- Demonstrations in Fragrant Flower Arranging by Mark Vossbrink of Rainy Day Flowers
- Workshops in Understanding & Using Aromatherapy, offered by the American College of Healthcare Sciences
- Spectacular Camellia Display and lectures provided by the Oregon Camellia Society
- Guided tours of Lan Su's fragrant plants & self-guided tours of Lan Su's camellia collection

All free with Garden Admission. For a complete schedule visit www.lansugarden.org

Admission: General-\$8.50, Senior-\$7.50, Student-\$6.50, Under 5-Free, Family Pass-\$25. Garden hours: Daily 10 to 5. Location: 239 NW Everett St, Portland 97209. Access: Walk from Downtown. Close to all MAX lines and bus mall. Plenty of on-street parking. Amenities: Authentic Teahouse (reservations not required) & Garden Shop

FREE

24 VENDOR PLANT SALE

SATURDAY, MARCH 20 & SUNDAY, MARCH 21 - 10AM TO 3PM

Parking Lot Next To Garden

Local and specialized nurseries set up stalls to bring plants of Chinese origin, plants to be heady in fragrance, plants not found at local nurseries and plants to remind you of Lan Su. So many plants, that the parking lot to the north of the Garden will be used to accommodate the profusion. Garden art, pottery, bamboo structures, crepes & hot tea add to the festivities. Admission to the sale is free and purchasers receive a 2 for 1 Garden admission for the *Festival of Fragrance*.

For a complete list of Plant Sale vendors and more information about the plants they will sell visit www.lansugarden.org

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