



*The Garden Club of
South Carolina*

**State Meeting
April 25-26, 2018**

“Birds of A Feather Garden Together”

Dear GCSC Board Members & Garden Club Members,

We will be having our State Meeting on April 25-26, 2018 in Columbia. We will begin with our Board Meeting at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday at the Garden Club Council of Greater Columbia Building, 1605 Park Circle, in Columbia’s Maxcy Gregg Park. It will be a short meeting, giving you the afternoon for lunching, shopping and touring on your own.

At 5:00 p.m. we will be having our VPs’ Reception at the home of Jamie Harpootlian, President of Columbia Garden Club. Jamie has so graciously offered to host our reception where we will be honoring Judy Barnes, SAR Director, and Donna Donnelly, GCSC President. If you are planning to attend please *RSVP* with me.

After the reception we will be having a Dutch treat dinner at a downtown Columbia restaurant with our honored guests, Judy Barnes and Donna Donnelly. Please *RSVP* with me as there will be limited seating.

Our State Business Meeting will begin at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, April 26, at the Embassy Suites, 200 Stoneridge Drive, Columbia. We have reserved a limited block of rooms for Wednesday night. The room rate is \$139 ++. Call 803-252-8700 and request the “Garden Club of SC” rate or go online to

http://embassysuites.hilton.com/en/es/groups/personalized/C/CAEGSES-GCB-20180425/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

You can register for the Business Meeting on Eventbrite by clicking on the button for “Online Registration”. You can also make your registration by mail for a limited time. The cutoff date for mail-in registration is April 2nd. This will allow time for the Registrar to enter your information into the Eventbrite planning system. The cutoff date for online registration is April 16th.

If you have any questions or need help, please contact me at 864-328-9723 or at dlemay98@aol.com

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