FREE 2021 Harvest Center and Master Gardener Greenhouse and Garden Tour

This year we will have two days of garden tours, August 28 & 29 from 9:00 - 2:00 both days.

For a Google Map of all sites go to:
https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/edit?mid=1Qjrg_badY-lBC6b5I_05dmCCMck&ll=38.97065060574671%2C-104.97534172839573&z=12

Saturday, August 28 9:00-2:00 (all sites in/near Woodland Park)

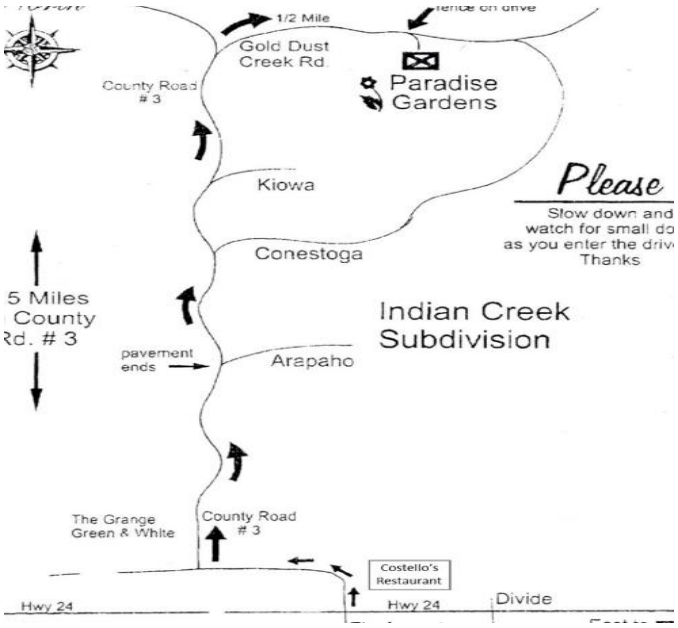
1) 98 South 40 Road: Julie Snyder's where you can see a geodetic greenhouse dome with tomatoes, peppers, peas, cucumbers, and herbs inside and potatoes and perennials outside.
2) 394 South 40 Road: Gay Liberty has a little bit of everything in what looks like a tiny town of innovative covered, raised bed structures, having great success with broccoli, cauliflower, and tomatoes.
3) 128 Broken Wheel Road: Ginny Johnson is growing potatoes, onions, garlic, zucchini, & lettuce in raised beds; peas, carrots, potatoes, rhubarb in in-ground beds, peppers, tomatoes, squash, gourds in a greenhouse.
4) 800 Valley View: Woodland Park Community Church sponsors this 12-bed community garden. Built in 2015, the garden is a partnership between Community Partnership (CP) Family Resource Center and The Harvest Center. All food grown in our gardens is donated back to CP's Food Pantry.
5) 1235 Woodland Valley Ranch Drive: Jenavie Brandt has a one-acre lot with a 22-foot geodesic grow dome growing vegetables/herbs and lemon and avocado trees. There are also two outside raised beds.
6) 9880 Fountain Rd, Chipita Park: Barry Lempert is building a 16' x 24' greenhouse and an attached 12' x 18' storage shed. The greenhouse will use a 3 foot underground climate battery using piping to blow air through the ground to provide additional heating and cooling.
7) 400 Ranch Drive: Vanessa Haakenson's greenhouse is an inspiration for high altitude gardeners. She looks forward to sharing her greenhouse and raised beds that are custom designed.

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Sunday, August 29 all sites 9:00-2:00

Sunday we will tour the gardens and greenhouses outside Woodland Park.

1) 8871 CR 90, Lake George: Dean has a 50' x 50' garden area with ¼ of it being a home-built greenhouse. He grows abundant amounts of potatoes along with a variety of vegetables. For those of you interested in larger production, this is a must see! Directions: 8871 County Road 90, Lake George, Co., 80827. This is the very next driveway to the right after the Lake George fire department on County road 90, (which is the road to 11 Mile reservoir). Beware; some maps put it up near Wilkerson Pass, which is not correct.
2) 572 Gold Dust Creek Rd, Florissant: Karen Anderson is affectionately known as "The Plant Lady" and specializes in high altitude, native and organic gardening since 1977. She has numerous gardens. See the map to the right since it can be a bit challenging getting to Karen's house.



3) 1870 County Road 31, Florissant: Mari Thymekeeper's massive greenhouse is worth checking out on our tour and won't disappoint!
4) 3678 County Road 12, Florissant: Master Gardener Apprentice, Barry Jensen has approximately 1 acre of five different varieties of potatoes, including some research varieties located on his property that was used for potato production a century ago.
5) 3275 Co Rd 61, Cripple Creek: Teller County Commissioner Dan Williams showcases three greenhouses and several outdoor raised beds on his property at 10,000 feet.
6) 60 Columbine Rd., Woodland Park (Tranquil Acres) Mindy Sotomeyer has been vegetable gardening in Divide for 40 years. The hail is a major problem. We were tired of the devastation & put a fenced lid on our garden this year...come see our solution!
7) 143 Stonehenge Dr, Florissant. Liam Marney is 15 years old and built tiered gardens outside their house along their hillside. He pretty much did it all himself aside from some help from his brother on the fencing and design help from his dad. The garden is up the hillside a little bit and there is not a paved path to it, but it's not too far from their driveway but kind of steep.