



# *Celebrate Camellia Blooming Season*

**With Masee Lane Gardens'  
Festival of Camellias**

**January 30, 2016 through February 29, 2016**

**January 30, 2016, 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.**

**Camellia Care and Culture Workshop**

Participants will learn about the history of camellias, camellia species, colors, flower forms, variegation, diseases, landscape uses, how to prepare blooms to enter in competitive camellia shows, grafting techniques, air layering techniques and hybridizing techniques. The workshop registration fee is \$10 and includes coffee, a luncheon, and admission to the Gardens. Advanced registration is required but the fee will be collected at the event. To register, call or email Sandra Williams at [dscm@pstel.net](mailto:dscm@pstel.net), (478) 836-4249 (provide name, e-mail address, phone number, and city).

**February 1-29, 2016**

**Masee Lane Gardens Extended Hours & Tours**

Masee Lane gardens are open seven days a week for the entire month of February! Guests will enjoy an informational video on camellias and the gardens, and a self-guided tour of the gardens, porcelain galleries and greenhouse. Groups of ten or more may make reservations for professionally guided tours. The hours are Monday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. and on Sundays from 1:00 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. Call toll free at (877) 422-6355 to schedule a guided tour. Masee Lane Gardens' admission is \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, and free for children under 12 and American Camellia Society members. Flint Energies Co-Op Connection and AAA members are eligible for a dollar off the regular admission fee (please show membership card at Gift Shop to receive the discount.)

**February 6, 2016, 10:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.**

**Free Admission Day at Masee Lane**

**Gardens**

Enjoy a free preview of the gardens and blooms! Guests can view an informational video; take self-guided tours of the camellia gardens and show greenhouse; and shop in the retail plant nursery and gift shop. Children are encouraged to participate in free garden scavenger hunt during their visit. A prize is awarded to each child who collects each of the items from the garden, such a petals, seeds, bark or leaves.

**February 27-28, 2016**

**Middle Georgia Camellia Society Camellia Show**

The Middle Georgia Camellia Society hosts a competitive camellia show on February 27-28, 2016, sponsored by Flint Energies. The show will be held in the Annabelle Lundy Fetterman Gallery at Masee Lane Gardens. Blooms will be accepted from 7:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, February 27, 2016. Expert bloom preparation assistance is available to novice exhibitors from 7:30 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. Any individual may exhibit. Entries must be from plants owned by and in the possession of the exhibitor for at least 30 Days. The show is open to the public from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. on both days. There is no cost to enter blooms in the show and admission to the show is also free. Contact Show Chair Tommy Martin at (404) 561-3880 [masee.lane.camellia.show@gmail.com](mailto:masee.lane.camellia.show@gmail.com).

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