

## Anya Maziak

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## CHICAGO BOTANIC GARDEN

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### March 2012

Early signs that [spring](#) is just about here are popping up throughout the Garden. Snowdrops have been sighted in the Bulb Garden, to be soon followed by crocuses. Send spring greetings with Garden [eCards](#) to friends and family.

### Upcoming Events

#### [New! Lift Your Spirits: Craft Spirits Tasting](#)

Enjoy a great night out at the Garden. Select tastings of fine spirits from small batch distilleries on March 8.



#### [Terrarium Demonstration](#)

Complimentary demonstrations in the Garden Shop on creating terrariums on March 17.

#### [Resilience: Lessons from Japan](#)

Five Japanese American guest presenters discuss how the traditions, teachings, and cultural arts of Japan strengthen the spirit on March 24.

#### [Member Advantage](#)

Take your membership card with you when you travel and get in to over [270 gardens and arboreta](#). Bring your membership card to the Morton Arboretum, and get free entry for two.

#### [Chicago Flower & Garden Show](#)

Garden members receive \$4 off each ticket to the Chicago Flower & Garden Show – [join today!](#)

#### [Volunteer Fair](#)

Find out more info on how to

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## Looking Ahead



### [Antiques & Garden Fair](#)

Celebrate spring at the Garden's premier shopping event with garden furnishings, botanical art, and vintage wares from April 20-22.

### [Preview Evening](#)

Experience a night of visual splendor in tented exhibit gardens, priority shopping, gourmet dining, and libations on April 19.

### [Antiques & Garden Fair Special Lectures](#)

The Garden welcomes [David Easton](#) on April 20, and [David Howard](#) on April 21.

### Beautiful Brunch

Enjoy our [Easter Brunch](#) and [Mother's Day Brunch](#) for a seasonal celebration and a springtime stroll.

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## Schooled By Nature

### [Enjoy These Classes](#)

The Garden is a paradise for [photographers](#). Photo classes in March: [The Magical World of Floral Close-Ups](#), [Photographing Signs of Spring](#), and [Lightroom Basics](#)

### [Project Budburst](#)

Become a citizen scientist and record when plants bloom or leaf out.



### [In the Library](#)

Enjoy a free library talk on March 17.

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## Fun For Families

### [Celebrate Spring](#)

Enjoy writing spring haikus, making hanging scrolls, and listening to koto harp performances on March 24 and 25.



### [Spring Break Camp](#)

become a Garden volunteer on March 4 & 5.

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### [Winter Photo Contest](#)

Free [photo walk](#) on March 3. Submit your best digital photos by March 23 to win a Garden membership.

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### [Smart Gardener](#)

Dig Deep: The Dirt on Soil.

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### [Ask Plant Info](#)

Suggested perennial vines to prune in March.

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### [March Plant Checklist](#)

Plan your work ahead with monthly Garden checklists.

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### [Socialize With Us](#)



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Children ages 5 to 8 explore signs of early spring. Register today!

### [Summer Camps](#)

The Garden offers fun outdoor science, nature, art, cooking, and ecology camps for kids ages 2 to 15.

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### [Featured video](#)

Find out how the breadfruit tree feeds the hungriest people in the world.

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