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Lurie Garden Speaker

Director Laura Ekasetya, Director and Head Horticulturist

September 16, 2017

On Saturday, September 16, 2017, The Miller Garden Club, will hold their monthly meeting at 10 am at the Marquette Park, Aquatorium, 6918 Oak Avenue, Gary, IN 46403 at 10 a.m. This year's featured speaker is Laura Ekasetya, Director and Head Horticulturist of the Lurie Garden in Chicago's Millennium Park. She will be focusing her remarks on bulb gardening. Laura joined Lurie Gardens in February 9th 2011, as a horticulturist working to maintain the integrity of Piet Oudolf's perennial plant design.

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ANNUAL BRATS AND BULBS SALE ON OCTOBER 21, 2017, GARY, IN

On Saturday, October 21, 2017, the Miller Garden Club will hold their monthly meeting at 10:00 am followed by their annual fall “Brats and Bulbs” sale from 11:30 am till 2:30 pm at the Marquette Park Aquatorium, 6918 Oak Avenue, Gary, IN 46403. The event will include live music along with the traditional grilled bratwurst sandwich, sauerkraut, chips and a cold beverage for \$5.00. There are over 2,000 bulbs, including 40 different varieties ready for your garden now.

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