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## February *e-News*

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**Spring Workshop News** The schedule has now been set for our upcoming Free Spring Workshops! The workshops are filled with valuable information, do-it-yourself ideas, practical advice, and a Q & A session. Here are a few of our topics. Pruning, Disease Control, Fertilizing, Vegetable Gardens, and New Plants for 2012. The Workshop Calendar will be sent out later this month to our e-club members.



**February Green Tip** Now is a great time to start pruning your roses and Crape Myrtles. The first rule is to have good quality tools with sharp, clean blades. Cut any diseased or damaged wood back just above a strong bud. Crossing stems should be removed while still young. Join us for our Pruning Workshop on Saturday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 a.m. to learn more about this important topic.

**This Month's Special** Our Landscape Division is extending the Free Landscape Design and/or Consultation through the end of February. This offer is for our preferred e-Club members only. The consultation consists of a site visit, design, plant identification, and expert recommendations. Call 704-824-1799 to schedule your appointment. Please be sure to mention that you are a member of our e-Club to qualify for this *FREE* consultation.

**Country Store Notes:** Stop by and see our wide variety of new garden flags. The Country Store also features some unique antiques including furniture, glassware, hand-sewn quilts and collectables. February's Store Hours are Monday to Friday 8:00am to 4:00. Saturday 8:00am to 2:00pm. Closed on Sundays. The shop may also be closed during inclement weather.

Local Artisan brings Art Work to Country Store. The Store is now featuring some handcrafted items by local Artisan, Joni Hembree. All Joni's items are re-crafted ranging from bird baths, vases, planters and wall art. "Joni's artwork brings so much uniqueness and color to our Store. Each is one-of-a-kind and very special. We are so happy to be able to offer these art pieces to our customers!" explains, Wayne Childers, owner.

Thank you for your interest in New Hope Greenhouses.

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