ARLINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY & ENCORE LEARNING ~~~~~~SPECIAL EVENT~~~~~~ Meet the Speaker Series Barbara Faust, Smithsonian Gardens Director will speak on:



Smithsonian Gardens: Hidden in Plain Sight

Date: Monday, March 13, 2017 Time: 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm Place: Arlington Central Library

Smithsonian Garden Director Barbara Faust will help Encore Learning's special events committee kick off a **new series of five garden tours** from April to September 2017. Showing a virtual tour on March 13, she will invite you to explore the outdoor gardens (including the Enid A. Haupt Garden at The Castle) that are designed to complement the museums they border and to enhance your overall museum experience of learning, appreciation, and enjoyment. A Q&A will follow her presentation.

Ms. Faust was graduated from Virginia Tech with a Bachelor of Science degree in Horticulture, and she has been with the Smithsonian Institution since 1977. Under her leadership, Smithsonian Gardens achieved accreditation from the American Alliance of Museums (AAM), the highest national recognition for a museum.

Registration: No registration required. This event is free and all are welcome

Directions: The Arlington Central Library is located at 1015 N. Quincy Street between Washington Boulevard and Fairfax Drive. Parking is free at the Library or take Metro to Virginia Square on the Orange line.

This program is jointly sponsored by Encore Learning and the Arlington Public Library. For details, call the library at 703-228-5996 or call Encore Learning at 703-228-2144. See ww.encorelearning.net for more information on special events, clubs and academic courses for those over 50.

