

Norfolk Plant Heritage

A regional group of Plant Heritage,
conserving the diversity of garden plants

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Dear Member(s)

Gala – Sunday, 14th April 2019 at East Tuddenham Jubilee Hall, NR20 3LR

It's time to let you have information about our next Gala. Entitled 'Cutting Edge Plants' we will hear from two superb nurserymen, namely Paul Barney of Edulis Nursery and Nick Macer from Pan-Global Plants. They have travelled together 11 times on plant hunting expeditions, taking in countries around the world and will talk about their travels, plant introductions and life. We are so fortunate in this country to have such a wide choice of plants with which to fill our gardens and it is people like Paul and Nick, of course, that make this possible.

The day will begin, as usual, at 11am for coffee and plant sales, followed by Paul's lecture entitled '25 Years of Edulis' Besides talking about the creation of the nursery and its evolution over the years, Paul will highlight plant introductions, and his adventures with Nick when plant hunting. Anecdotes and interjections will be supplied by Nick! After lunch, and another opportunity to buy plants, we will hear from Nick telling all in his lecture 'Confessions of a Plant Freak', with Paul this time supplying some anecdotes and interjections. Nick's lecture will cover Pan-Global introductions, all manner of superb plants and a certain amount about plants in the wild. They will both be bringing plants for sale and this is a great opportunity to buy plants, some rare or unusual, from these two nurseries. Both Paul and Nick will be happy to take advance orders. Do look at their websites to get an idea of the amazing range of plants on offer. Edulis - www.edulis.co.uk, e-mail edulisenursery@gmail.com or telephone 01635 578113. Pan-Global - www.panglobalplants.com, e-mail nick@panglobalplants.com or telephone 01452 741641. When ordering by phone or e-mail do make it clear that the plants are to be collected at the Gala.

The cost for the day is £13 for members and £18 for non-members. You are welcome to bring your own lunch or we can supply lunch; we will serve a delicious ham or cheese ploughman's, with crusty bread and pickles, coleslaw etc. at a cost of £7. I know this letter comes rather early in terms of when the Gala is scheduled, but you, Norfolk Plant Heritage members, will obviously get priority for booking. The event will then be opened up to other groups in January 2019. In conclusion, I know this will be a very lively and interesting day so look forward to hearing from you. Please book using the enclosed form, and return to me with a cheque and an SAE. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Kathy Gray
Programme Secretary

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**Booking form
for Norfolk Plant Heritage Gala**

**'Cutting Edge Plants' on Sunday, 14 April 2019
at East Tuddenham Jubilee Hall, East Tuddenham, NR20 3LR**

Name(s).....

Address.....

Telephone No: Home.....Mobile.....e-mail:.....

No. of tickets required:- Members with/without lunch.....Non members with/without lunch.....

If you have booked lunch please indicate whether you would like cheese or ham ploughman's.

No. of cheese.....No. of ham.....

I/We enclose an SAE and a cheque made payable to Norfolk Plant Heritage for £13.00/£20.00 per person (Member) or £18/£25.00 per person (Non member)