Traveling Speakers program information for Spring 2020 NARGS Quarterly:

Spring 2020 Western Tour: Christopher Gardner. Author with Basak Gardner of Flora of the Silk Road and ViraNatura Tours, Turkey.

Sunday, March 15, 2020. 1 pm. Western Chapter of NARGS. Tilden Park Botanical Garden, Berkeley, California Mediterranea Flora. (Contact: Kiamara Ludwig KLudwig@ebparks.org)

Friday, March 20, 2020. 7 pm. Doors open at 6 pm for refreshments and socializing. Sierra Chapter, NARGS. Sonora Senior Center, 540 Greenley Road, Sonora, California Mediterranea Flora. (Contact: Nancy Piekarczyk, nanpiekarczyk@gmail.com)

Sunday, March 22, 2020. 11:30 am. Rocky Mountain Chapter, NARGS. Denver Botanic Gardens, Colorado. Mediterranea Flora. (Contacts: Rod Haenni, rhaenni@comcast.net; Panayoti Kelaidis)


Thursday, March 26, 2020. 7- 8:30 pm. Potential new NARGS chapter and Durango Botanic Gardens. Durango Recreation Center, 2900 North Main, Durango, Colorado. Mediterranea Flora. A book-signing will follow. The event is free, with registration requested (for a head count) at DurangoBotanicGardens.org but is not required. Information can be found at the Durango Botanic Gardens website. (Contact: Mike Smedley, msmedley@banksanjuans.com or 970-426-7128).

Spring 2020 Southeast and Mid-Atlantic Tour: Todd Boland, Memorial University of Newfoundland Botanical Garden

Saturday, March 21, 2020. 9:30 am Piedmont Chapter, NARGS. JC Raulston Arboretum, Raleigh, North Carolina. Spring Alpines of the Spanish Pyrenees


Thursday, March 26, 2020. Philadelphia Botanical Society, Limestone Barrens of Newfoundland


**Spring 2020 Northwest Chapters Tour: Cliff Booker, United Kingdom**

Monday, May 11, 2020. Alpine Gardeners of Central Vancouver Island. Qualicum Beach Civic Centre, Qualicum, British Columbia. *Creating an Alpine Haven*


Tuesday, May 19, 2020. Willamette Chapter, NARGS. Portland, Oregon area. *Tromso Botanic Gardens & Lofoten Island*

**Fall Eastern Canada Chapters Tour: Jiri Papousek, Czech Rock Garden Club**

Sunday, September 13, 2020. Ontario Chapter, NARGS. Toronto, Ontario

Sunday, September 20, 2020. Montreal, Quebec. Société de plante alpine et de rocaille du Québec (SPARQ)


Thursday, September 24. Newfoundland Chapter, NARGS. St John’s Newfoundland.

**Fall 2020 Northeast Chapters Tour: Gerard van Buiten, Utrecht Botanical Gardens.**


**Fall 2020 Southeast and Mid-Atlantic Tour: Derry Watkins, Special Plants Nursery, United Kingdom**


Saturday, October 31, 2020. 10:00 am. Potomac Valley Chapter, NARGS. DC area.
