

**Planting  
Seeds,  
Feeding Souls**



# **Spurgeon Gardens**

## **Farm Camp Project**

**Summer 2023**

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[www.spurgeongardens.com](http://www.spurgeongardens.com)







# Eloise Spurgeon

Founder of Spurgeon Garden Farm Camp Project

## Welcome Message

Growing up on a farm in central Illinois, I learned gardening from my mother and 4-H club. In 2007, I started my gardening business which has grown into Spurgeon Gardens.

Over the years I began to recognize the similarities between gardening and personal growth and I wanted to share this idea with the next generation. This seed of an idea blossomed into this camp.

It is my hope that this camp is just the beginning of our journey. Welcome! Come grow and explore with us.

Best Wishes, *Eloise*

The Spurgeon Gardens Farm Camp Project helps girls, ages 12-14, explore the connections between food, our bodies and our planet.

We accomplish our mission through an overnight multi-day camp which allows the campers opportunities to discover their own voice, connect with the earth through hands-on gardening activities and build skills they will use for a lifetime.



## Our Mission



# About our camp

Campers begin their morning with breakfast at Knox College. They then travel to Spurgeon Gardens where they learn from experts in the fields of environmental science and horticulture. Days are spent in the garden and under the academic tent exploring the connections between themselves and the world around them. Growing, planting, cooking and preserving food are just some of the activities. They also discover their creative side by participating in designing their own vision boards and other craft projects. The days end as they began, back at Knox College for dinner, games and reflection.

The weeklong camp culminates with the campers participating in market day at the Galesburg Farmers Market. Realizing how their efforts during the week serve their community and beyond.



"We learned from awesome people, and we worked with plants to learn how to care for them, grow them, and (how) they benefit our bodies and our environment!!!"



"I also loved learning about soil and growing plants in an open environment with amazing fun teachers! "







# Camp Sponsorships

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## Garden

Garden Sponsors receive:

- Banner at Spurgeon Gardens.
- Logo on T-shirts, swag, signage, etc.
- Logo on Facebook page.
- Mention on social media.
- Invitation to Open House
- Sponsor campers

**\$5,000**



## Flower

Flower Sponsors receive:

- Logo on T-shirts
- Logo on Facebook page.
- Mention on social media
- Invitation to Open House.
- Sponsor campers

**\$2,500**

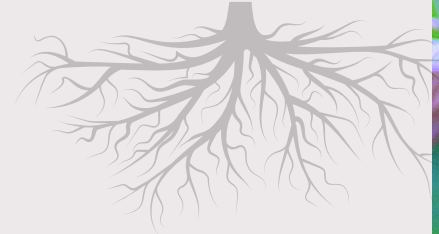


## Root

Root Sponsors receive:

- Logo on Facebook page.
- Mention on social media
- Invitation to Open House
- Sponsor campers

**\$1,000**



## Seed

Seed Sponsors receive:

- Mention in social media
- Invitation to Open House
- Sponsor one camper

**\$500**

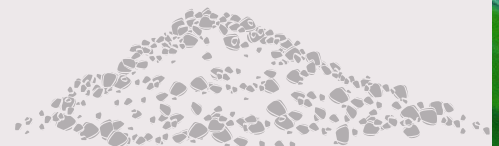


## Soil

Soil Sponsors receive:

- Mention in social media
- Invitation to Open House.

**\$100**



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