



PRESS RELEASE

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**DISCOVER THE MASTER GARDENERS
And the beauty of the Discovery Garden
At the Iowa State Fair**

August 9, 2006, Des Moines, Iowa – State Fairgrounds: The Polk County Master Gardeners are very excited about this year’s **Discovery Garden** at the Iowa State Fair. Be sure to put it on your “Must See List.” The spectacular arbor entrance arbor was built by Silent Rivers Design Build who donated their design work and time. Ackworth Garden, Leachman Lumber and Gilcrest/Jewett Lumber donated all the materials. This is a **MUST STOP and SEE!!**

The garden, which is located on the S.W. side of the Agriculture Building, is filled with new and different plants, as well as a “Coleus Tree.” This project is staffed by all volunteers who are Master Gardeners, which is an Iowa State University Extension Program. Anyone interested in this program can contact the Polk County Extension Office or talk to any of the volunteers.

Photo’s included in an attachment show the space before, the building process, and after.

What a beautiful and inspirational place to plan on visiting!!

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