



LECTURE SERIES – Chris Brown “Quirky And The Unusual”

Wednesday 21st March 2011, 7.30pm

E A Bowles used to have a collection of plants at Myddelton House which he put in what he called his Lunatic Asylum. It is about fascinating plants that are different from their original form, where flowers, stems, bark and leaves take on unusual characteristics or simply they are uncommon garden worthy plants that you don't see about very often, worth a place in any keen gardeners collection of plants.



Chris Brown's passion for plants developed when he was a boy. He trained at the RHS Gardens Wisley, Askham Bryan college-York and Cambridge University Botanic Garden. On completing his training he worked briefly in commercial landscaping before returning to the private sector, firstly for Lord Heseltine and afterwards for Dame Felicity Peake. In the late 80's he set up his own design / landscape business before developing a specialist nursery which has been featured on BBC Gardeners World. He has been influenced by many well known plants people over the years and along with their knowledge came the fascinating stories, about the plants.

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