## First Annual Cooper-Young Garden Walk

By Kim Halyak

n May 21, 2016, you won't want to miss the "1st annual Cooper Young Garden Walk", 10am-4pm.

Because there are so many fun activities planned, visitors are invited to come EARLIER and start with this suggested itinerary:

- **8am:** Grab breakfast at Stone Soup Cafe
- 9am-1pm: Visit Cooper-Young and Tsunami Restaurant Farmer's Markets

On-Going: Visit These Booths:

Ask-A-Master Gardener Urban Forestry booths

Me and Mrs. Jones: Paint finish demonstrations Gazebo: Pick up garden walk brochure, buy day of walk tickets

- **10-4pm:** Visit gardens in any order
- 10am: Keynote Speaker, Carol Reese at Jay Etkin Art Gallery
- **10-lunch:** Tour Gardens on one side of Cooper
- Lunch: Have lunch at one of many fine eating establishments
- After Lunch: Visit gardens on other side of Cooper
- **4pm:** Shop, drink, eat

One special garden on tour is the Cheatham-Barron House, 1064 Blythe Street, owned by Randle Witherington. The Queen Anne Revival House, circa 1880's, enclosed by a wrought iron fence, contains many lush garden plantings that soothe the soul.

For complete details on the garden walk, and to buy tickets, go to cooperyoung.org.

Kim Halyak is a retired educator whose job as founding president of the Cooper Young Garden Club has her transferring her love of nurturing students to growing a thriving gardening community in Cooper Young.



