



**All northeast Ohioans of Lithuanian descent, friends and supporters are invited to participate in this year's Parade of Flags at the Cleveland Cultural Gardens' One World Day.**

Wear a folk costume or Lithuanian themed t-shirt/hat/etc; bring a flag.

After the parade – enjoy One World Day!

Make sure you visit the Lithuanian Garden:

- \* Ramona Daukša will be selling her award winning bread.
- \* Augis Dicevičius will entertain you with Lithuanian music at 2:00pm.
- \* The Švyturys dancers will perform at the Lithuanian Garden at 3:00pm and on the main Centennial Plaza Stage at 4:00pm.

When / Where: **Sunday, August 28** at the Cleveland Cultural Gardens

**Gather for the parade at 11:30 by the Serbian Garden** (parade starts at noon and will head south to the Croatian Garden). Free parking at the VA Hospital and Gordon Park with free shuttle buses running all day. For more information - <https://clevelandoneworldday.org/2022/>

***Kviečiame visus Klyvlendo ir Ohio lietuvius, draugus ir palaikančius lietuvišką veiklą, dalyvauti Vieno Pasaulio Dienos parade Klyvlendo Kultūriniuose Darželiuose.***



Vieno Pasaulio Dienos festivalis įvyks **rupjūčio 28d. Paradas prasidės Serbų kultūriniame darželyje** 12 valandą dienos. **Renkamės 11:30**, žygiuosime iki Kroatų kultūrinio darželio. **Kas turite apsirenkite tautiniais drabužiais, arba tiesiog marškinėliais su lietuviška atributika.**

Po parado aplankykite Lietuvių kultūrinį darželį, kur galesite pabendrauti su draugais, įsigyti Ramonos iškeptos naminės duonos ir pasiklausyti Augio atliekamų lietuviškų dainų. Švyturio šokėjai atliks šokių programą 3 valandą Lietuvių kultūriniame darželyje, o 4 valandą pagrindinėje scenoje Centennial plazoje.

Nemokamos automobilių aikštelės prie VA ligoninės ir Gordon Parke, nuo kurių į darželius ir atgal vežios nemokami autobusai. Daugiau informacijos galite rasti tinklapyje <https://clevelandoneworldday.org/2022/>

*Some history and background info ...*

The Cleveland Cultural Gardens are a series of landscaped gardens honoring the various ethnic communities of Cleveland, extending from Lake Erie to University Circle along East Blvd. and Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd in Rockefeller Park. The Cultural Gardens are a unique park space in the United States, celebrating Cleveland’s ethnic diversity and the prospect of international peace and cooperation among nations. The Lithuanian Garden was the twelfth garden to be established – dedicated in 1936. As of 2019, there are 33 Cultural Gardens in Cleveland.

On July 21, 1946, a year after the Allied victory in WORLD WAR II and coinciding with Cleveland’s 150th anniversary on July 22, the gardens hosted the very first One World Day celebration.

Since then, the Cleveland Cultural Gardens Federation (CCGF) has celebrated One World Day exemplifying the theme of the Gardens: “Peace through Mutual Understanding.”

This year, the 76th annual One World Day in the Cleveland Cultural Gardens will be held on Sunday August 28, 2021 from 11 AM – 6PM on both East Blvd and MLK Boulevard.

One of the most popular annual traditions of One World Day is the Parade of Flags. The Parade of Flags is similar to the Olympics opening ceremony and will step off at noon. This year’s parade will start from the Serbian Garden on MLK and progress past the Centennial Plaza, ending at the Immigrant Mother at the Croatian Garden.

