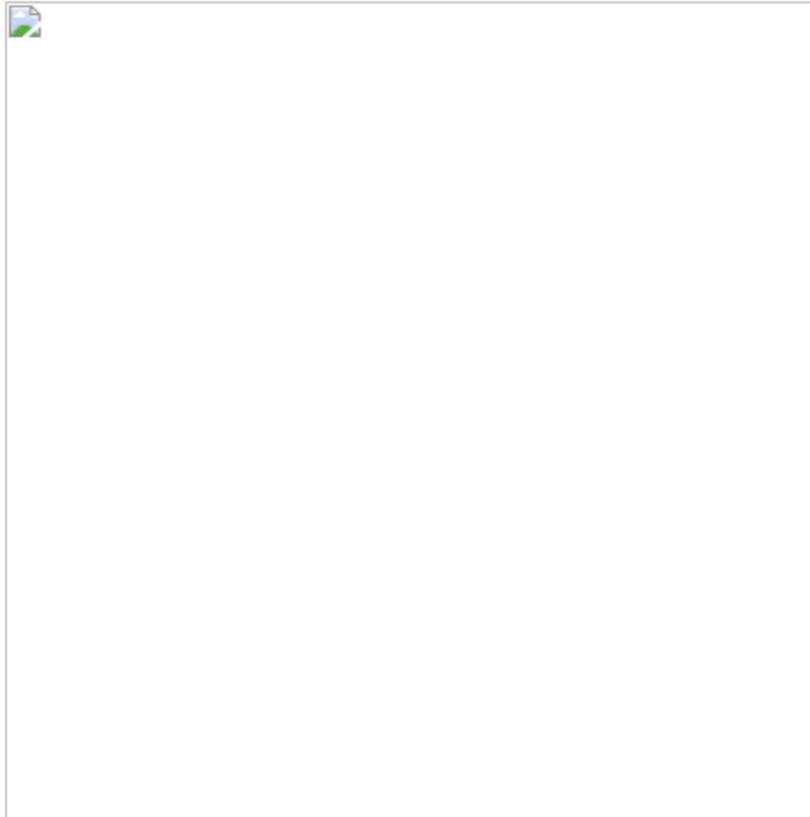


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G4G Spring 2019 Newsletter

Dear Gathering 4 Gardner Community,

Spring has sprung and we are pleased to announce that the next Gathering will take place at the Ritz-Carlton in Atlanta, Georgia next spring (March 25 – 29, 2020).

Newsletter Topics:

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G4G14 and G4G15

The 14th Gathering 4 Gardner conference (G4G14) will be held from Wednesday to Sunday, March 25 – 29, 2020, at the Ritz-Carlton in Atlanta, Georgia.

The demand for G4G13 last April exceeded capacity (325 attendees), spurred by two new innovations: three plenary speakers ([Ernö Rubik](#), [Doris Schattschneider](#), and [Manjul Bhargava](#)) who each gave two different presentations, one offsite as special outreach to the general public and one at the Ritz-Carlton to G4G attendees, and a new offsite day in hip Decatur Georgia, which was open to local people of all ages and included events for children. As a result, the G4G Board has decided to enlarge G4G14 next March to 400 people, and plans to have more events open to the public so that more people will get to experience the unique form of excitement and intrigue that permeates these Gatherings.

In the following two videos, G4G attendees (new attendees, long time attendees, and those in between) describe the Gathering and why they find it special.

- [About Gathering 4 Gardner](#)
- [G4G12 Highlights Reel](#)

At G4G14, there will be three days of presentations at the Ritz Carlton Atlanta hotel, two social events one with close-up magic and stage shows, an offsite event on Saturday, March 28, 2020 with activities in Decatur open to the public, and many other fun innovations. Online registration will open in the fall of 2019. We will be updating information about G4G14 on our website.

[G4G14 Information](#)

The board is actively looking at the possibility of hosting G4G15 in the spring of 2022 on the west coast of the United States.



Recreational Mathematics Publications

G4G Publications: Update

We recently published the [Gathering 4 Gardner 10 Exchange Book](#) and made the papers freely available on our website. If you ordered a set of books, but haven't received them, please email support@g4gfoundation.org. Click on the links [G4G11](#) and [G4G12](#) to access papers from the 11th and 12th Gatherings. And for information about other G4G publications, click [here](#).

[View G4G10 Book](#)

An Interview with Ernő Rubik

We are pleased to announce the long anticipated release of an interview done a year ago with Professor [Ernő Rubik](#) by Marianne Szegedy-Maszak during G4G13.

[Ernő Rubik's Interview](#)

Other Publication of Possible Interest

For recreational mathematics enthusiasts, we're pleased to tell you about the [Recreational Mathematics Magazine](#) (Sciendo publisher), which was first published in 2014 and it is freely available online.

Please let us know of other publications, games, and puzzles that are likely to be of interest to the G4G community.

Recent Events

G4G Publications: Update

On the 28th of February and March 1, 2019 several members of the board of directors of the Gathering 4 Gardner Foundation took part in the celebration of Martin Gardner's Legacy: *One Oklahoman's Imprint on Math, Magic, and Philosophy* at the University of Oklahoma, in Norman, OK, including an evening public lecture by Erik Demaine at OU's Sam Noble Museum of Natural History. Here are links to articles about this event online:

- [Oklahoma Magazine](#) - Announcement of the event
- [The Norman Transcript](#)

Recreational Mathematics Colloquium | G4G Europe

The [Recreational Mathematics Colloquium VII](#) was hosted January 26 – 29, 2019, in Lisbon Portugal. People from all around the world met at the National Museum of Natural History and Science to mingle and exchange ideas. If you are interested in obtaining the proceedings from the Recreational Mathematics Colloquium, please email tiago@g4gfoundation.org. The next Colloquium will be held January 22 – 24, 2021 on the Island of S. Miguel, Azores, Portugal.

Recreational Mathematics Colloquium | G4G Europe

In the scope of the May conference run by the British Society for the History of Mathematics, there will be a seminar on History of Recreational Mathematics, on the May 18, 2019 at Birkbeck College, London. More on this event at <https://www.bshh.ac.uk/events/history-recreational-mathematics>

Donation Match Campaign a Success!

We are very happy to announce that our Donation Match Campaign was a success; **we raised over \$21,000**. We wholeheartedly thank all of our generous sponsors (Dave Rossetti, and our Board Chair, Nancy Blachman) and all the donors.

The G4G Foundation is supported around the world by companies, organizations, and people like you who want to foster curiosity. With support from our [generous sponsors](#), we are able to fund outreach initiatives and the Gathering itself.

We invite you to be a sponsor of G4G14, which is now less than a year away! In order to keep the cost of attending G4G14 reasonable (lower than the actual cost), we are soliciting underwriting for the upcoming Gathering. **Please note this underwriting is separate from the registration for G4G14.*

[Donate to G4G](#)

Thank you very much,
Tiago Hirth

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