



## FOUNTAIN GARDEN

*Nancy Goslee Power*

**T**o create a focal point on the upper terrace just beyond the fountain, renowned landscape designer Nancy Goslee Power worked with an antique lead planter that had been removed from the Knoll, a residence belonging to the Doheny family, and subsequently taken to Greystone Estate. The principal of Nancy Goslee Power & Associates and author of *The Power of Gardens: Four Centuries of Design from Mission to Modern* filled the planter with her firm's signature plant, *Agave attenuata*. A border of dancing purple flowers, *Verbena bonariensis*, references the whimsy of the children that encircle the planter. Boxwoods, pots with magnolia trees, lamb's ears and nearby planting beds complete the overall design of the Fountain Garden.

ABOVE: Pots: Goodwin International. Plants: FK Nursery.



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SPONSORS: Authentic Provence

**S**tephen Block of Inner Gardens populates Greystone's terrace with a sophisticated blend of exterior containers from around the world. A Phoenician Stone fountain, made from limestone recovered from an old farmhouse in Cyprus, blends seamlessly with Greystone's Indiana limestone exterior. The plantings are a study in visual contrasts: English boxwoods thrive in Phoenician Stone's Fontana di Campagna, and dwarf Italian cypress trees stand tall in Authentic Provence's citrus boxes, first fashioned in seventeenth-century France and made of oak with cast iron posts today. The size of the fountain and planters is on a human scale, making this exterior space appropriate for any size gathering.