## "The Best Possible Visitor Experience" 2024 Garden Docent Training Hillwood Estate, Museum & Gardens

## February 26 Friendship Walk & Four Seasons Overlook, Putting Green, Rose Garden, and Lunar Lawn and Interpretive Frameworks Continued

## **Objectives**

After completing this session of the training program, participants will be better able to:

- 1. Discuss the key ideas distilled from the lecture and readings on the Friendship Walk & Four Seasons Overlook, Putting Green, Rose Garden, and Lunar Lawn;
- 2. Demonstrate their understanding of how frameworks can be used for organizing interpretive ideas about a garden object.
- I. Q&A with Marshall Paquin, Sarah Bass, Kevin Beamer, and Jessica Bonilla
- II. Introduction
- III. Distillation of lecture and readings about each of the four garden rooms
  - A. What are the key points about each garden related to Design, Features, and Marjorie Post/Museum Today?
  - B. What are the big ideas you want visitors to come away with for each room?
- IV. Discuss object-based learning model homework
  - A. Does it resonate?
  - B. What was easy?
  - C. What was challenging?
  - D. Any last questions or comments?
- V. Step back
  - A. What do you know now that you didn't know when we started?
  - B. Did we meet the objectives?
- VI. Assignment: reading due for March 4 workshop