

144: Filer Information

Filer CIK	<input type="text" value="0001408494"/>
Filer CCC	<input type="text" value="XXXXXXXX"/>
Is this a LIVE or TEST Filing?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> LIVE <input type="radio"/> TEST

Submission Contact Information

Name	<input type="text"/>
Phone	<input type="text"/>
E-Mail Address	<input type="text"/>

144: Issuer Information

Name of Issuer	<input type="text" value="Central Garden & Pet Company"/>
SEC File Number	<input type="text" value="001-33268"/>
Address of Issuer	<input type="text" value="1340 Treat Boulevard
Suite 600
Walnut Creek
CALIFORNIA
94597"/>
Phone	<input type="text" value="925-948-4000"/>
Name of Person for Whose Account the Securities are To Be Sold	<input type="text" value="Lahanas Nicholas"/>

See the definition of "person" in paragraph (a) of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

Relationship to Issuer	<input type="text" value="Officer"/>
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144: Securities Information

Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	<input type="text" value="Class A Common Stock"/>
Name and Address of the Broker	<input type="text" value="Charles Schwab
1231 S. California Blvd.
Walnut Creek
CA
94596"/>
Number of Shares or Other Units To Be Sold	<input type="text" value="30000"/>
Aggregate Market Value	<input type="text" value="1199340.25"/>
Number of Shares or Other Units Outstanding	<input type="text" value="54723064"/>
Approximate Date of Sale	<input type="text" value="05/13/2024"/>
Name the Securities Exchange	<input type="text" value="Nasdaq"/>

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Title of the Class of Securities To Be Sold	Class A Common Stock
Name and Address of the Broker	Charles Schwab 1231 S. California Blvd. Walnut Creek CA 94596
Number of Shares or Other Units To Be Sold	10000
Aggregate Market Value	400019.00
Number of Shares or Other Units Outstanding	54723064
Approximate Date of Sale	05/15/2024
Name the Securities Exchange	Nasdaq

Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor:

144: Securities To Be Sold

Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	12/04/2018
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company
Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired
Amount of Securities Acquired	4227
Date of Payment	12/04/2021
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	02/09/2021
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company
Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired
Amount of Securities Acquired	341
Date of Payment	02/09/2022
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	03/07/2017
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired	1373
Date of Payment	03/07/2022
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	05/16/2022
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired	1396
Date of Payment	05/16/2022
Nature of Payment	Exercised Stock Option

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	10/25/2022
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired	1113
Date of Payment	10/25/2022
Nature of Payment	Exercised Stock Option

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	11/15/2022
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company
Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired
Amount of Securities Acquired	233
Date of Payment	11/15/2022
Nature of Payment	Exercised Stock Option

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	11/15/2022
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company
Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired
Amount of Securities Acquired	694
Date of Payment	11/15/2022
Nature of Payment	Exercised Stock Option

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	12/04/2018
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company
Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired
Amount of Securities Acquired	623
Date of Payment	12/04/2022
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

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Date you Acquired	12/04/2018
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired	3779
Date of Payment	12/04/2022
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

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144: Securities To Be Sold

Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	02/09/2021
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired	341
Date of Payment	02/09/2023
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

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144: Securities To Be Sold

Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	02/10/2020
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired	5880
Date of Payment	02/10/2023

Nature of Payment

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class

Date you Acquired

Nature of Acquisition Transaction

Name of Person from Whom Acquired

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired

Date of Payment

Nature of Payment

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Title of the Class

Date you Acquired

Nature of Acquisition Transaction

Name of Person from Whom Acquired

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired

Date of Payment

Nature of Payment

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Title of the Class

Date you Acquired

Nature of Acquisition Transaction

Name of Person from Whom Acquired

Is this a Gift? Date Donor Acquired

Amount of Securities Acquired

Date of Payment	12/04/2023
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	12/04/2018
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired	
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Amount of Securities Acquired	645
Date of Payment	12/04/2023
Nature of Payment	Restricted Stock Award

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	12/14/2023
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/> Date Donor Acquired	
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Amount of Securities Acquired	3316
Date of Payment	12/14/2023
Nature of Payment	Exercised Stock Option

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock
Date you Acquired	12/14/2023
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company

Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Date Donor Acquired	
Amount of Securities Acquired	2619		
Date of Payment	12/14/2023		
Nature of Payment	Exercised Stock Option		

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

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Title of the Class	Class A Common Stock		
Date you Acquired	02/08/2024		
Nature of Acquisition Transaction	Shares		
Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Central Garden & Pet Company		

Is this a Gift?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Date Donor Acquired	
Amount of Securities Acquired	3420		
Date of Payment	02/08/2024		
Nature of Payment	Stock Dividend (Split)		

If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.

144: Securities Sold During The Past 3 Months

Nothing to Report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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144: Remarks and Signature

Remarks	
Date of Notice	05/16/2024

ATTENTION:

The person for whose account the securities to which this notice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing this notice that he does not know any material adverse information in regard to the current and prospective operations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which has not been publicly disclosed. If such person has adopted a written trading plan or given trading instructions to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or instruction date.

Signature	/s/Nicholas Lahanas
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ATTENTION: Intentional misstatements or omission of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)