

Saturday Gatherings in the Garden: Soil Health and Soil Testing

When

Saturday, August 8, 2020
10-11 AM EDT

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Where

This is an online session
using Zoom

Join us every other Saturday for informative and timely gardening sessions presented online by Master Gardeners of Cuyahoga County. On August 8 we're offering another double feature:

Soil Health and Soil Testing

Presented by Cuyahoga County

Master Gardener Volunteer Dave Gilronan

Gardeners can use the best quality plant materials and follow the best cultural practices, but if they haven't paid attention to the health of their soil, their gardens will never thrive.

Soil Health describes the importance of good soil - no soil, no plants, no food; what soil provides - plant anchorage, nutrients, air/water space, temperature control; and what soil contains - minerals, organic matter, living organisms. It also addresses composting and good practices for soil health.

Soil Testing is the best way to learn about your soil - what's good about it and what it needs for your plants to thrive. It describes how to collect soil samples, the analysis you can expect, and how to understand the information you receive.

Dave Gilronan became a Master Gardener Volunteer after retiring from the Cleveland Clinic in 2013. He has mentored several community gardens and gives educational presentations on Pruning, Tree Planting, Soil Health, and Waking the Garden in the Spring.

**Please register by
Friday, August 7 at 12:00 Noon**

There is a \$5.00 fee for this event

Information on how to connect to the online webinar will be sent to all registrants on August 7.

[Register Now!](#)



Master Gardener volunteers: earn 1 CE for this event. Please note that no Bonus Bucks will be accepted.

If you are representing an organization in Northeast Ohio, please feel free to share this email registration or invite your group members to go to our website at www.cuyahogamg.org and sign up for our event notifications.

Sincerely,

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