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Monthly Gardening Programs
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March – October 2015

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Saturdays at 10:00 AM
Rain or Shine

Monthly Topics

Saturday March 14, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Getting the Dirt on Soils

Learn what properties of your soil are most important for gardening success and ways you can measure and improve them.

Saturday April 4, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Gardens Under Cover

Everything (or nearly everything) you need to know about mulching your gardens.

Saturday May 9, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Plant Roulette

How to take the gamble out of plant selection

Saturday June 6, 2015 at 10:00 AM
It’s a Small, Small World

A terrarium is a miniature ecosystem of plants. Bring a container that will fit your space and pique your creativity (any decorative container with clear sides, with or without a lid, will work) and any special decorative items you might desire to create your “Small, Small World.”. Soil mixes, pebbles, and some plants will be provided. This is a hands-on activity so pre-registration is critical.

Saturday July 11, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Beautiful Backyard Bouquets

See how easy it is to create beautiful backyard bouquets of flowers. Learn the techniques of cutting and conditioning your floral arrangement and selecting the perfect vase.

Saturday September 12, 2015 10:00 AM
Tips on Sharing Your Bounty

To keep your perennials healthy, beautiful and protected from disease and insects, you should divide them every 3-4 years. We will show you how to do it and even give you some to take home.

Saturday October 3, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Don’t Let Pests Get the Better of You

Go from bare to beautiful. Learn the basics for preparing a new flower or vegetable garden. Learn about options to help prevent or manage common problems—things you can do as you plant your garden and care for it.

Saturday November 7, 2015 at 10:00 AM
Extending Your Gardening Year

Wouldn’t you love to have home grown tomatoes in January? You can! Learn the basics of Greenhouse and Cold Frame Gardening.

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