

LEARN THE LATEST IN GARDENING TECHNIQUES
AND GET FREE GARDENING ADVICE



garden seminars and master gardener clinic

1ST SATURDAYS OF THE MONTH {April 3, May 1, June 5, Aug 7, Sept 4}



LOCATION:
Woodinville Water District
17238 NE Woodinville-Duvall Rd,
Woodinville, WA 98072
Seminars in Building A, Clinic in Garden

10am to 11am Free Seminars*
11am to 12:30pm Master Gardener Clinic

*Seminars limited to first 60 registrants.

Register by email at publicinfo@woodinvillewater.com
or call 425-487-4102.



seminar descriptions:

APRIL 3

Title: Sustainable Vegetable Gardening
Speaker: Ladd Smith, *Co-Owner of In Harmony*

Last year vegetable gardening in the United States increased 19%! Anyone can take a small sunny area and start growing some of their food. Growing your own food is a small step to being more sustainable. We will discuss getting started, how to maximize yields with intensive gardening and harvesting your food. We will also discuss cool crops for fall planting and preparing your beds for winter rest.

MAY 1

Title: Rain Wise Gardens
Speaker: Jessica Bloom, *Designer, NW Bloom Ecological Landscapes*

Rain: slow it, spread it, filter it, soak it in. How to manage storm water at home in our gardens through rain gardens, catchment systems, permeable pavement and more!

JUNE 5

Title: Do-It-Yourself Drip Irrigation:
Basic Design and Usage
Speaker: Howard Stenn, *Co-Owner of Stenn Design*

Drip irrigation can help you grow healthier plants with 50% less water compared to sprinkler irrigation. Drip also reduces weeds, eliminates the need to drag hoses and sprinklers around the garden, and can be much easier and less expensive to install than sprinkler systems. This workshop

will explain how drip irrigation works, demonstrate several types appropriate for home gardens, provide tips on how to select, layout and run a system for best results and to avoid common problems. The information is useful for both do-it-yourself design and installation, and for shopping for a professionally installed system. ****PLEASE NOTE: THIS SEMINAR WILL BE FROM 10AM -12PM.**

AUGUST 7

Title: Gardening with Washington Native Plants
Speaker: Susie Egan, *Owner of Cottage Lake Gardens*

Learn more about the big trend toward planting Washington native plants, why it has become so popular and what the best native plants are for your garden. Susie Egan will talk about her favorite native trees, shrubs, perennials, ferns and groundcovers. She'll also provide resources such as great websites, books, and places to obtain native plants.

SEPTEMBER 4

Title: Natural Yard Care
Speaker: Ladd Smith, *Co-Owner of In Harmony*

Everyone is going Natural! By following some simple steps you can quickly create an environmentally friendly landscape. Learn how to save money when you make smart plant choices and wise watering decisions. Ladd will also show you how to build soil health and vitality and how to have a lush lawn that is still gentle on the environment. You'll find that by combining all of these practices you will bring wildlife and lasting beauty into your garden.