Butler County Master Gardeners

Our Mission

We are Ohio State University
Extension trained volunteers
empowered to educate others with
timely research-based gardening
information.

Our Vision

The OSU Extension Master
Gardener Program is a premier
statewide network of volunteer
education and leadership
development; as well as, a
consumer horticulture education
delivery system that maximizes
human, material, and natural
resources, and values teamwork and
excellence in educational
programming.

Becoming a Master Gardener

To become a Master Gardener, you must complete an application, be accepted into the program, attend one training class per week for eight weeks, and complete 50 hours of community service.

Contact the OSU Extension Office at (513) 887-3722 for more information. You may also visit our website at: **butler.osu.edu**.

Directions to OSUE, Butler County:





OSUE, Butler County 1802 Princeton Road, Suite #400 Hamilton, OH 45011

> Phone: (513) 887-3722 Fax: (513) 887-3726 Web: butler.osu.edu

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OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION

2016 Home Horticulture Series



Winter classes for the home gardener



THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF FOOD, AGRICULTURAL, AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

2016 Home Horticulture Series

OSUE, Butler County and Butler County Master Gardeners are teaming up to offer valuable, low cost workshops to home gardeners. These classes are being taught by experts in their fields and will be a valuable asset to anyone wanting to improve and enhance their residential lawns and gardens.

When:

All classes are being held on Monday evenings from 7:00 pm until 9:00 pm, beginning on March 7, 2016.

Where:

All classes will be held at the OSUE, Butler County office located at 1802 Princeton Road, Hamilton, OH 45011. The facility is easily accessible from Princeton Road, west of By-Pass 4. It is handicap accessible and there is plenty of free parking.

Registration:

Please use the attached registration form to sign up for classes. The series cost is \$50.00 and individual classes are \$15.00 each. Registration opens January 4, 2016. Seating is limited.

More Information:

For more information, call (513) 887-3722.

Myths & Truths about Coyotes

Monday, March 7th, 7:00 pm
Presenter: Stanley D. Gehrt, PhD. OSU Professor
Learn about the behaviors and population
dynamics of coyotes in an urban environment.
Dispel the myths and learn the truths of coyotes.

Right Tree in the Right Place

Monday, March 14th, 7:00 pm

Presenter: David S. Bienemann, Hamilton City

Arborist

Tree selection is the most important aspect of tree survival. Learn how to reduce tree care costs and how, with proper tree care, you can help the tree make it to maturity while maximizing its benefits to the community.

Ohio Butterflies & Moths

Monday, March 21st, 7:00 pm

Presenter: David W. McPheron, OSU Hardin

County, MGV

Let us explore butterflies and moths of Ohio, including their nectar plants, the appearance of caterpillars and the plants needed for their larvae. Investigate your own backyard to see how you can attract these pollinators after this presentation.

"Fresh From Your Family Farm" Edible Gardening

Monday, March 28th, 7:00 pm Presenter: Pat Greeson, Natorps Soil preparation, crop rotation, plant selection and proper placement are all things you will learn about in this presentation. Whether you have a few containers, a large garden plot, or even a small farm, you can have fresh vegetables from your own yard.

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Coyotes	March 7 th	\$15.00
Right Tree	March 14 th	\$15.00
Butterflies & Moths	March 21st	\$15.00
Edible Gardening	March 28 th	\$15.00
Best Deal: All 4 for only \$50.00 Total Enclosed:		
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and mail to: 2016 Home Horticulture Series OSUE, Butler County 1802 Princeton Road, Suite #400 Hamilton, OH 45011		

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