

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 OSU Extension, Butler County:



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2019 Home Horticulture Series



Winter classes for
the home gardener



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AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

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OSUE, Butler County Extension 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 are valuable assets 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 4, 2019.

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 2, 2019. Seating is limited.

More Information:

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

Growing Big in Small Spaces

Monday, March 4th, 7:00 pm

Presenter: Joshua Jones, Community Garden Program Manager, Turner Farms

Techniques will be discussed to increase your yields by 25%+ & improve overall garden health in small backyard & urban gardens. Intensive planting techniques, plant selection, selective harvesting, succession planting & trellising will be discussed.

Ponds Construction & Management

Monday, March 11th, 7:00 pm

Presenter: Brady Smith, Butler County Soil & Water Let's get started on a pond. First find out where to place the pond and construction tips. Second, learn about pond management including algae control for a healthy pond. Even if you already have a pond, you will hear tips and tricks that will make your pond healthier.

The Interesting Ethnobotany of Local Wild Plants

Mon, March 18th, 7:00 pm

Presenter: Penny Borgman, Interpretive Services Manager at Fernald Preserve

Ethnobotany focuses on the many human connections with plants including medicinal, culinary and other uses. Learn about sometimes surprising histories of common wild plant and the status of native, non-native & invasive plants. Also you will takeaway an overview of the Fernald Preserve history, production, environmental remediation & ecological restoration.

Attract Pollinators & Monarchs with

Natives Monday, March 25th, 7:00 pm

Presenter: Kathy & Troy Schwable, Hamilton Conservation Corps

Learn about the best native plants for attracting pollinators and attract monarchs to your yard.

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Sign up for	Date	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Growing Big	March 4	\$15.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Ponds	March 11	\$15.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Ethnobotany	March 18	\$15.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Attract Pollinators	March 25	\$15.00

Best Deal: All 4 for only \$50.00

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Phone

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