

WHERE

are the UCCE Master Gardeners of Orange County?

Come join us to learn more about gardening in Orange County!

August 2013

21/Wed 5pm-9pm	OCCANGC Auction	Get great deals on all kinds of gardening accessories and plants!	OC Fairgrounds
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September 2013

8/Sun 11am-1pm	Children's Workshop <i>Stone Soup: The Power of Working Together</i>	Learn about 'cool season' vegetables and participate in an interactive re- telling of the classic tale of community, cooperation and friendship. Make 'paper pots,' too.	Food + Farm Lab, Orange County Great Park
12/Thur 10am-noon	Master Gardener Information Day	Learn what it takes to become a Master Gardener. A must for those interested!	UCCE OC Office At the OC Fairgrounds in the Ranch Building
16/Mon 6:30pm-9pm	Backyard Orchards: Citrus and Avocado	Get advice on growing fruit in your garden -- where and when to plant your favorite citrus and avocado and how to care for them.	Irvine Civic Center One Civic Center Plaza Irvine Class #131169
21/Sat 9am-3pm 22/Sun 10am-2pm	SmartScape Info/Expo	See our composting demonstration at this free event that highlights the benefits California friendly plants and efficient irrigation techniques.	Laguna Beach County Water District 306 Third Street Laguna Beach
23/Mon 6:30pm-9pm	Backyard Orchards: Apples and Stone Fruit, Berries and Grapes	Learn about stone fruit, berries, and apples and get tips on watering, fertilizer, size control, pest management and more.	Irvine Civic Center One Civic Center Plaza Irvine Class #131169
24/Tues 7 pm-8pm	Growing Food from Seed	Get information on growing seeds and help to launch the nationwide Seed Lending Library.	Yorba Linda Public Library 18181 Imperial Hwy Yorba Linda
26/Thur 10am-noon	Master Gardener Information Day	Learn what it takes to become a Master Gardener. A must for those interested!	UCCE OC Office At the OC Fairgrounds in the Ranch Building
28-29/ Sat & Sun 10am-5pm	Fascination of Orchids Intl. Show & Sale	Visit this show and sale to see one of the largest assortments of orchids from around the world. Find our booth for information and advice!	South Coast Plaza Village 1631 W. Sunflower Santa Ana

Every Month in 2013

Every Wed 9am-11am	Newport Back Bay Restoration Stewards Day	Team up with Master Gardeners and the Coastal Commission to restore the native habitat. To volunteer, contact Matt Yurko at 949-640-0286 or myurko@coastal.ca.gov	Newport Back Bay (various locations)
Every Sun 10am-2pm	Master Gardeners Available	Combine a visit to the new Farmers Market with a trip to the Farm + Food Lab to see what's growing.	Food + Farm Lab, Orange County Great Park
Every Second Sun 11am-1pm	Children's Workshop	Join Master Gardeners for a kid-friendly workshop. Learning and fun combined. See monthly calendar for topic.	Food + Farm Lab, Orange County Great Park
Every Second Sun 9am-11am	Newport Back Bay Restoration Second Sundays	Join the staff at the Peter and Mary Muth Interpretive Center and Master Gardeners to enhance the OC Parks Nature Preserve native habitat. Get on the volunteer mailing list: unbic@ocparks.com or 949-923-2290.	Newport Back Bay (various locations)
Every Fourth Sat 9am-noon	Newport Back Bay Restoration ROOTS	Learn about native habitat while planting, weeding and watering. Hands-on restoration in the nearly 900 acre the Upper Newport Bay. To volunteer, contact Matt Yurko at 949-640-0286 or myurko@coastal.ca.gov	Newport Back Bay (various locations)

SAVE YOUR CITRUS! If you have citrus trees, learn about the invasion of the Asian Citrus Psyllid at http://civr.ucr.edu/asian_citrus_psyllid.html.

Be in the know about **Garden Pests, Good and Bad** by watching this video: http://uccemg.com/Weeds_Pests/Pest-Videos/John-Kabashima-Garden-Pests-Good-Bad/

SYNC TO THE SEASON! Check your automatic sprinkler system monthly or quarterly to sync it with the season. For current data from the California Irrigation Management Information System (CIMIS), link to the weather stations at <http://wwwcimis.water.ca.gov/cimis/welcome.jsp>

Got a gardening question? Contact our hotline at hotline@uccemg.com



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