

WHERE

are the
UCCE Master Gardeners of Orange County?

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

April 2014

5/Sat 10am-11am	Colorful Sustainable Landscapes	Learn how to use beautiful California native plants in your home landscape for year round color no lawn to mow!	Farm + Food Lab, Orange County Great Park
5/Sat 9:30am	Roses for Beginners	Learn the basics for growing roses.	Centennial Farms, OC Fair and Events Center, Costa Mesa
11/Fri 9am-3pm 12-13/Sat-Sun 10am-5pm	Imaginology Chick Embryology Exhibit	Visit our Chick Embryology Exhibit at Imaginology, the e-imagined Youth Expo with a focus on Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics.	OC Fair & Events Center Costa Mesa
12-13/Sat-Sun 10am-4pm	Green Scene Plant and Garden Show	Visit our booth at this annual event and ask lots of questions!	Fullerton Arboretum Fullerton
12/Sat 10am-11am	Rescue-Restore-Reuse! Creative Containers	Create prolific and easy to maintain gardens in wine barrels, wooden pallets, even old shoes!	Farm + Food Lab, Orange County Great Park
12/Sat 2pm	Growing Good Eats	Learn the basics of backyard gardening at this presentation.	Fullerton Arboretum Fullerton
12/Sat 4pm	Plant Palette	Join us to learn how to put plants together to make a pleasingly designed arrangement.	5 Points Pavilion Park Community Center
13/Sun 11am-1pm	Children's Workshop <i>Three Sisters Gardening</i>	<i>Three Sisters Gardening: A Native American Tradition.</i> Listen to the legend of Three Sisters, absorb the wisdom, and plan your own.	Farm + Food Lab, Orange County Great Park
19/Sat 10:30am	Bodacious Blooming Baskets	Learn to create beautiful baskets of blooms in this hands on demonstration.	5 Points Pavilion Park Community Center
24-25/ Thurs-Fri 10am-9pm 26/Sat 10am-8pm 27/Sun 11am-6:30pm	Southern California Spring Garden Show	Visit our booth (second floor) at the largest garden show in southern California! Bring your gardening questions to us and take your kids to the Children's Room for fun and exciting garden related activities!	South Coast Plaza, Costa Mesa
25/Fri 4pm	Kitchen Garden	Learn what it takes to make a garden that provides all kinds of plants to prepare fresh, healthy meals.	South Coast Plaza, Costa Mesa
26/Sat 4pm	Luscious Lavender	Attend this presentation to learn everything about lavender: various species, how establish and maintain it, and a few tips and recipes, too.	South Coast Plaza, Costa Mesa
25/Fri 4pm	Bees & Other Pollinators	Learn the importance of pollinators and how to attract them to your yard.	South Coast Plaza, Costa Mesa
26/Sat 10am-2pm	Annual Spring Festival	Come visit us at this festival featuring education and family fun such as maypole dance, nature walks, face painting, ladybug rocks and storytelling.	Shipley Nature Center Huntington Beach
28/Mon 6pm	Smart Gardening: Urban Chickens	Class #137453 MUST REGISTER: 949-724-6610 or irvinequickreg.org. Learn about chickens: requirements, ordinances, care, feeding and housing.	Irvine City Hall CTC, Irvine

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3/Sat 9am-3pm	Conserving Water in the Garden	Join us for an educational session on low water use, low water plants and irrigation.	Home Depot Laguna Niguel
3/Sat 9:30am	Integrated Pest Management	Learn about all those pests in your garden and what to do about them!	Centennial Farms, OC Fairgrounds, Costa Mesa
3/Sat 10am-11am	Eat Your Patio!	Find out how to produce an abundance of edibles in patio or small yard.	Farm + Food Lab, Orange County Great Park
5/Mon 6pm	Smart Gardening: Native Plants	Class #139577 MUST REGISTER: 949-724-6610 or irvinequickreg.org. Learn about design tips, native plant care and profiles . . . plus local sources to obtain plants.	Irvine City Hall CTC, Irvine
10/Sat 10am-2pm	Bugs, Blooms & Butterflies	Visit our booth at this new event focusing on native plants and their connection to insects.	Upper Newport Bay Newport Beach
11/Sun 11am-1pm	Garden Detectives: Bees	<i>What's All that Buzzing About?</i> Learn all about the world of bees, how they make honey, why they are important.	Farm + Food Lab, Orange County Great Park
11/Sun 11am-1pm	Ask the Experts: Planting Schedule	Get information, resources and know-how to plant the right edibles at the right tie of year.	Farmers Market, Orange County Great Park
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17/Sat 10:30am	Backyard Fruit Basket	Learn about selection, preparation, planting and care of your backyard orchard.	5 Points Pavilion Park Community Center

Every Month in 2014

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 Wed 9am-noon	UC ANR Demonstration Landscapes	Stroll the landscapes with trained UCCE Master Gardener docents and learn how to conserve water utilizing better landscape practices and locally adapted plant varieties. <i>By appointment only.</i> Call 949-653-1824 to schedule.	South Coast Research & Extension Center, Irvine
Every Wed 9am-11:30am	Arboretum Master Gardener Led Tour	Walk through the UCI Arboretum and view the South African bulbs and drought tolerant plants.	UCI Arboretum Irvine
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.	Farm + Food 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.	Farm + Food 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 Upper Newport Bay. To volunteer, contact Matt Yurko at 949-640-0286 or myurko@coastal.ca.gov	Newport Back Bay (various locations)



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