

9th ANNUAL

Gardening Seminar



*Don't miss this opportunity
to learn from the top garden
experts and authors.*

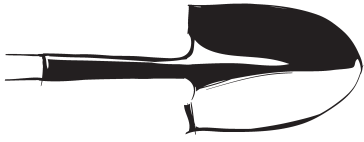
Huntington Beach Central Library
7111 Talbert Avenue
Huntington Beach, CA 92648



Saturday, September 24, 2011
8:00 am – 3:00 pm

Presented by the UCCE
Master Gardeners of Orange County





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REGISTRATION 8:00 AM – 8:50 AM

CHECK IN to receive a registration packet, seminar admission badge, and lunch ticket.
Complimentary light snacks, coffee and tea will be available throughout the day.

SESSION 1 (Choose one) 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

Want Fruit? Grow Your Own – Kay Havens & Teena Spindler

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Eat more fruit...naturally! Nothing matches the intense flavor of fruit picked at its peak of ripeness from your own backyard "fruit basket!" Learn how to incorporate fruit -- from ground covers to trees -- in your existing landscape whether you have a patio or large garden. Unravel the mysteries of "chill hours," pruning, fertilizing, disease and pest control for berries, grapes, citrus and deciduous fruit trees. Let Master Gardeners show you how to use basic gardening skills and the best climate in the world to put food on your table for years to come. Then let the jam making begin!

Wild and Green: A Garden That Fits California – Ron Vanderhoff

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Thinking of installing a native or low-water garden? Want to be inspired, entertained – and – get lots of useful information? Don't miss this presentation! Beginning with a "mish-mash" of 1980's plants with "simplistic irrigation, no time, no outside help, and no budget", this plant hobbyist created a one-of-a-kind garden that emphasizes water thrift, wildlife nourishment, sustainability, and celebrates our native flora. This virtual garden tour begins with the original plantings, highlights Ron's lofty goals (and the eventual realities), presents his overall design, and then leaps into the nuts and bolts of soil, irrigation, walkways, and planting. Ron will share what he has learned from his efforts, including examples of successes and failures, and reveal some of his favorite native plants.

Water: The Big Picture – Darren Haver, Ph.D.

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How important is water conservation? Less than 1% of all water on the earth is readily available for human consumption (because some of the fresh water is stored in the form of icebergs). As water becomes increasingly scarce and more expensive,hear Dr. Haver explain how to apply cutting-edge water conservation techniques in your garden so you can use water to its fullest potential and help protect your local waterways at the same time. He will illustrate these important approaches by comparing elements of three demonstration landscapes for their water usage and water waste.

SESSION 2 (Choose one) 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Pruning Flowering Shrubs, Climbers, and Herbaceous Perennials – Pat Welsh

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Take the mystery out of pruning hardy shrubs and delicate flowers! Understanding how each plant grows and blooms, and how climate zones impact pruning decisions, are keys to knowing when and how to prune correctly. Whether you're a beginner or an expert, you're guaranteed to learn from Pat's "hands-on" demonstrations, which illustrate practical pruning techniques, including tips for specific plants such as bougainvillea, hibiscus, hydrangea, geraniums, ornamental grasses, climbing roses, wisteria, lavender and many herbaceous perennials.

Secret Edible Gardens – Cristin Fusano

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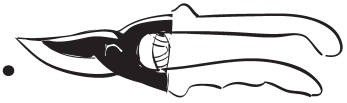
Pots of vegetables and herbs tucked in between roses, showy perennials, and annual flowers---raised beds hidden behind a formal hedge---citrus trees in large pots in an unused sunny side garden. These are all creative ways to incorporate edibles into the garden. Join Cristin for an exciting PowerPoint presentation and see the magical transformation: before, during and after.

Small but Deadly-Beware! – Richard Hoenisch

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Our worst enemies are strangely beautiful and exotic, very small, yet familiar...they are also deadly...and they are on their way here – Yikes! What are these things?!? What can YOU do? You can become a First Detector.....
Richard's First Detector presentation is for gardeners of all experience levels. Learn about how some of the United States' worst historic plant diseases, such as Dutch elm disease, serve as models for similar devastation due to modern diseases and pests. Richard will identify and discuss several new diseases, new exotic insect pests, and seemingly innocent weed and ornamental pests. He will also discuss how to become a trained and certified First Detector and be part of the National Plant Diagnostic Network (NPDN).

SCHEDULE.....



LUNCH BREAK 12:30 Noon – 1:30 PM

Recommended Lunchtime Activities:

- Explore the library grounds or stroll across Goldenwest to see Huntington Beach Central Park and the Shipley Nature Preserve.
- Some of the speakers will have their books for sale and autographing. *Please note that we are unable to accept credit cards at the seminar for payment – cash and checks only will be accepted, with checks the preferred method of payment.*

- **Special Lunchtime Bonus:**

Got a (Pest) Problem? The (County) Doctor is In – John Kabashima, Ph.D.

Join John Kabashima, Ph.D., County Director/Environmental Horticulture Advisor, for lunch and conversation. Dr. John is a leading entomologist who enjoys talking about those pests in your garden. He reveals how to keep your garden healthy by using Integrated Pest Management strategies to rid it of harmful pests and attract beneficial ones. He also enjoys answering questions about your personal battles with pests!

SESSION 3 (Choose one) 1:30 PM – 3:00 PM

What's New in the Plant World? – Birdie Lenard Fountain

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If you ever wondered where new plants originate, come and hear Birdie Lenard Fountain speak about some of the great, new plants that are part of the Proven Winners program. She will discuss how the company conducts research and development trials and provide gardening tips on using plants in the landscape. Birdie will also give away samples of the featured plants she describes in her presentation.

Designing with Spectacular Succulents – Debra Lee Baldwin

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Top designers use geometric, architectural succulents to enhance gardens and containers with spectacular blooms and foliage of every color—including dramatic cherry reds, sky blues and burgundy-black. Debra introduces new and intriguing succulents now available and demonstrates how to use these beautifully sculptured plants to highlight personal style. Debra's presentation also covers low-maintenance, easy-care container arrangements perfect for patios, entryways and decks.

It Always Looks Good: Choosing the Right Landscape Plants – Annie Hall

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If you want your garden to look appealing year-round, register for Annie Hall's talk about choosing plants that bloom.... each season, how to include plants with interesting foliage, and which plants are good repeat bloomers. She will introduce you to ideas for permanent plants (and a few annuals) that will help to create a good looking garden no matter what style you prefer. She will also include tips for plants in small spaces and containers that will appeal to all participants.

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Registration Instructions

1. Early registration is recommended as seminar registration and assignment of classes is on a first-come, first-served basis. To register, each person must submit by September 16th, 2011, a completed registration request with payment for \$37.00 (or \$46.00 if you wish to purchase lunch).
2. Box lunches for \$9.00 each are available by pre-order only. All lunches will include a sandwich, fruit, chips, pickle spear, cookie, and soft drink, coffee, tea or water. (See registration form for sandwich choices.)
3. There are two methods by which to register:
 - A. **Register by mail**, paying only by check, made payable to UC REGENTS.

Send completed registration form and check to:
UC Cooperative Extension
Attn: MG Seminar
1045 Arlington Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
 - B. **Register on-line**, <http://www.uccemg.com/seminar>, paying with a credit card (Visa, MasterCard, or Amex).
4. Each person must submit a separate registration request. If additional forms are needed, you may make a photocopy, or call the UCCE Master Gardener office (714-708-1606), or print one from our seminar website at <http://www.uccemg.com/seminar>. Multiple forms may be mailed in the same envelope.
5. Purchase of speaker publications at the Seminar is by check and/or cash only. Though credit cards are accepted for online registrations, we are unable to accept credit cards at the seminar.
6. A confirmation of your registration, class assignments, and a map will be sent to you before the seminar. The entire registration fee will be returned immediately if the seminar is full or if the registration request is not complete.
7. If you wish to cancel, registration fees will be refunded only if a written request is received by September 16, 2011. A \$8.00 processing fee will be retained.
8. To make the experience enjoyable for everyone, we ask that you do not bring children or babies, and that cell phones are turned off or set to silent/vibrate mode.

For Seminar Questions Call: 714 -708-1606

Purpose: *The goal of this seminar is to improve the gardening practices of Orange County residents who grow edible and ornamental plants. The program is designed to provide practical information for home gardeners; it is not intended to provide training for people employed in the horticulture industry. Any proceeds from the seminar are used to defray related expenses and to support Master Gardener educational activities in home horticulture.*

Send your registration in today !

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF REGISTRATION IS SEPTEMBER 16TH

OFFICE USE ONLY

REGISTRATION FORM

(Only one person per form. Form may be photocopied. Please PRINT clearly.)

Name _____
First Last

Address _____
Street City Zip

Phone _____ E-mail _____

(Information will be used only for seminar confirmation or notification of future seminars. We do not sell, publish, or provide your personal information or e-mail address to any outside agency.)

Seminar sessions may be photographed and/or videotaped or otherwise recorded for University of California Cooperative Extension training purposes and/or for future promotions of the Master Gardener Gardening Seminars.

Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Data: The following information is requested to comply with Federal reporting requirements for Cooperative Extension programs. Furnishing the information is voluntary; there is no penalty for not providing it.

Gender: Male Female

Race/Ethnicity: (Choose the one category with which you most closely identify)

- White, non-Hispanic
- Black, non-Hispanic
- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Hispanic
- Asian or Pacific Islander



If you should need any special accommodations, please notify us in advance by calling 714-708-1606.

Class Choices
 Registration Fee \$37.00
(includes one class from each session)
 Please indicate a 2nd choice in the event your 1st choice class is full.

Session:	1	2	3
1st Choice:	Class _____	Class _____	Class _____
2nd Choice:	Class _____	Class _____	Class _____

Box Lunch
 Reservation \$9.00
Sandwich choice
 Please check one

- Roast Beef on sandwich roll
- Turkey on sandwich roll
- Ham on sandwich roll
- Assorted Raw Veggies on sandwich roll
- I do not wish to order lunch

All lunches include sandwich, fruit, chips, pickle spear, cookie, and soft drink, coffee, tea, or water.

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Check or Money Order. Please do not mail cash.

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From South Orange County take the San Diego (405) Freeway north. Exit on Brookhurst, turning right (south) towards the beach. Turn right on Talbert Avenue. Talbert Avenue ends in the Library parking lot.

From Pacific Coast Highway take PCH to Goldenwest Street. Turn left on Goldenwest if coming from the north; turn right on Goldenwest if coming from the south. Turn right at the "Central Park -Library" sign.

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