

**WELCOME TO**  
**The Univ. of California Cooperative Extension and Irvine Ranch Water District's**  
**FREE**

**Demonstration Landscape Open House Vendor Faire and Plant Sale**

7601 Irvine Blvd.

Irvine, CA 92618

Saturday, October 1, 2011

9 AM – 2 PM

**Discover Gardening Practices to Protect and Conserve Our Water**

Learn methods you can adopt to reduce landscape water use, which will ultimately save money and improve the water quality of your local watershed by promoting better gardening practices as demonstrated throughout the UCCE Demonstration Landscapes.

Join in the fun for the whole family: visit with gardening industry aficionados, or sit in on one of the presentations listed, tour the landscapes, taste unusual fruits, check out the UC Davis Arboretum All Star plant selections for sale (sorry – no credit cards), stop by the planting activity for the kids, free garden tool sharpening (\*see below for more details) and don't miss out on one of the random opportunity drawings held throughout the day for a chance to take home one of the many fabulous gifts.

**SPEAKERS:**

- 9:30 a.m. Backyard Orchard Culture – Tom Spellman, Dave Wilson Nursery  
10:00 a.m. Container Planting – Ellen Zagory, Director of Horticulture, UC Davis Arboretum  
11:30 a.m. California Native Plants – Bob Perry, author of 'Landscape Plants for California Gardens' \*Limited seating, see below for online reservations.  
12:30 p.m. Taking Control of Your Controller: Demystifying Irrigation – Dr. Loren Oki, UC Davis  
1:30 p.m. Effective Weed Control for Homeowners – Dr. Cheryl Wilen, UC IPM

**DEMONSTRATIONS:**

- 10:30 – 11:30 Container Planting Workshop with Ellen – Registered participants will take home a 12" container with plants. Material fee is \$30.00. \*Space is limited, see below for registration and payment.\*  
All Day Irrigation Demonstration – Learn about new irrigation products from Nick Mrvos, Senior Water Conservationist Irvine Ranch Water District, NDS Drip and UCCE Master Gardeners.  
All Day UCCE Master Composters – Learn how to turn yard waste into black gold.  
All Day Children's Activity – Planting seeds with UCCE Master Gardeners.

**EXHIBITORS:**

**Irvine Ranch Water District** – Learn about current financial incentives and ways to reduce water use around your home and landscape.

**Bob Perry** – Book signing and sale of 'Landscape Plants for California Garden' Event special \$75.00 \*\*Reserve a copy online.

**Ewing Irrigation and Landscape Products** – "Your source for landscape and irrigation supplies."

**WaterDex** – "Save water. Save Money... Adjust your irrigation timer from anywhere in the house"

**Irrrometer** – "Optimizing irrigation....Maximizing Conservation..."

**Hydroscape Irrigation and Landscape Supplies** – "Join America and start saving our most valuable asset"

**NDS Drip** – "WE PUT WATER IN ITS PLACE"

**California Landscape Contractors Association** – Learn how to find and hire a landscape professional.

**California Center for Urban Horticulture** – "Enhancing urban living through horticulture."

**Aguinaga Green** – Organic compost and mulch products.

**Orange County Sanitation Department** – "Proudly protecting public health and the environment with effective wastewater treatment."

**Florasource Ltd.** – 'UC Verde' buffalo grass - 'Quality Young Plant Material from World Wide Sources'

**Rogers Gardens** – Retail Nursery showcasing low waterplants.

**Mountain States Wholesale Nursery** – Low water use plant wholesalers.

**Dave Wilson Nursery** – Home orchard selections.

**California Rare Fruit Growers** – Taste fruits grown at the South Coast Research and Extension Center.

**UCCE Water Quality Information** – Learn about better landscape practices and have your gardening questions answered by UCCE OC Master Gardeners.

**Orange County Blacksmith Guild** – FREE tool sharpening from 9am – 12pm: 2 small garden tools per person (No scissors or knives). Donations accepted.

**Bushman Rainwater Harvesting** – "Harvest. Irrigate. Conserve."

**Garden Frames by Charlie** – "A beautiful garden of your choice that can go anywhere."

**Municipal Water District of Orange County** – "Providing programs to assist residential homeowners, commercial/industrial business owners, and professional landscapers in reducing the daily amount water used."

\*For online registration, payment of material fees and directions, visit <http://ucanr.org/sites/urbanwatermgmt/>.



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