



**Garden of the Sun**

1750 N. Winery  
Fresno, CA 93703

Hours are Monday, Wednesday & Friday  
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

- Registration for classes is by mail, online by credit card, or walk-in – **NO REFUNDS**
- Prior to mailing check, please call 559-471-7515 to confirm space is available for **limited classes**.
- Walk-in registration available, first come, first served basis. **NOTE: Payment by check only day of class. No cash accepted.**

**REGISTER BY MAIL: SEND THIS COMPLETED FORM WITH YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO: "UC REGENTS"**

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Yes, I would like to receive payment confirmation by email: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**REGISTER AND PAY BY CREDIT CARD ONLINE AT <http://ucanr.edu/aecspring2014>**

**Topiary**

*Joanie Finch*

Learn how to choose the right plant to make topiary for table top décor or in your garden landscape. We'll discuss care and requirements for a variety of plant materials for our climate.

**Wednesday, May 9**

**9:30 - 11 am**



**Kid's Garden Day**

**Garden of the Sun**

***Special Event***

This is a great opportunity for parents and children to enjoy the *Garden of the Sun* and participate in ongoing hands-on and take-home activities, no matter what time you arrive.

You will see demonstrations of composting and vermicomposting (with worms!) and learning about all kinds of bugs.

Kids can also pot up a plant for Mother's Day and see living exhibitions of wildlife.

Youth groups are welcome with supervision.

**Saturday, May 13**

**9:30 - 12:30 pm**

**Free**



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**Backyard Composting**

Ann Edahl

MG Ann will show you how to quickly turn your garden clippings and kitchen scraps into valuable compost. You will learn why and how to start your own compost pile, what you can—and shouldn't—add to your pile, and the ways you can use the finished product around your yard to enrich and improve your soil.

**Saturday, May 19****9:30 - 11 am****Garden Tool Maintenance**

Dan Schara

Join MG Dan for a hands-on demonstration of garden tool maintenance, repair and sharpening. You are welcome to bring a couple of your own garden tools, maintenance items, and sharpening devices for inclusion in the class discussion.

**Wednesday, May 23****9:30 - 11am****Make Gardening Fun for Kids***MG Youth Gardening Team*

Attention Parents and Teachers!! - Our Youth Gardening team will share some of our successes in engaging children in various activities and projects involving a school garden or one at home. Kids love to work with the dirt; and worms or wildlife is a big attraction. Good bugs and bad bugs; pollinator gardens; flowers and veggies; inspire kids to enjoy them all!

**Saturday, June 2****9:30 - 11 am****Succulent Terrarium**

Roz Tampone

Would you like to enjoy a little nature inside? Making a succulent terrarium is a perfect way to enjoy a little gardening. This class will provide the knowledge and materials to create a miniature succulent garden. Cost is \$20 for materials. Please bring garden gloves, snips or scissors.

**Saturday, June 9****9:30 - 11:30 am \$20**

**Registration required. Class size is limited to 10 students only.**

**Conceptualize, Create & Care for Your Backyard Pond***Maggie Courtis*

See examples of a variety of backyard bogs, ponds, and fountains, from small container gardens to expansive installments. Learn how to use water in your garden, from design through installation.

Planting, stocking and landscaping your water feature with plants and animals will be discussed. You will receive tips and training in ongoing care to maintain your water feature.

**Wednesday, June 13****9:30 - 11 am****Enjoy Growing Herbs and Vegetables in Containers***Sharon Rossi*

Growing your herbs and vegetables in containers is the fun and decorative solution to many of the gardening problems you may face: poor soil, soil-borne pests, small yard, limited sunshine and water, plus difficulties bending, stretching, kneeling, and walking over uneven surfaces. Learn how to grow a productive and low maintenance vegetable garden with year-round production and beauty right outside your kitchen door!

**Saturday, June 23****9:30 - 11 am****Irrigation for the Home Garden***John Kincade*

Improve plant health and save water! Learn how easy it can be to convert your sprinklers to a water wise drip system or start from scratch in a new landscape. MG John will show you how!

**Saturday, July 7****9:30 am - 11 am****The Magic of Mulch***Tim Sullivan*

Learn how to properly mulch your garden and "Unlock the Secrets in the Soil". Mulch saves water, prevents weeds and most importantly helps regenerate your soil. Different types of mulch will be discussed in particular a free source of mulch.

**Saturday, July 21****9:30 - 11 am****Growing Cool Season Vegetables***Gwen Olshove*

Did you know that cool season vegetables have a higher food value than warm season ones? Join MG Gwen and she will show you how to expand your gardening repertoire to include these crops.

**Saturday, July 28****9:30 - 11am**

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