



University of California

Agriculture and Natural Resources ■ UCCE Master Gardener Program

San Mateo & San Francisco Counties

EVENTS



Become a Master Gardener

UC Master Gardeners are volunteers trained and certified by the University of California to provide community service and educational outreach that helps home gardeners and community organizations garden sustainably and create a healthy environment. Want to become a Master Gardener? Our next training class will begin in January 2018, and online applications will be available in the summer of 2017. [Read More](#)



Facebook Summer Foodfest

Facebook Headquarters
1 Hacker Way, Menlo Park
June 24, 2017, 12:00pm-5:00pm

Visit the Master Gardeners at Facebook's Foodfest. We will be preparing and handing out garnishes at our "herb/fruit" bar booth, have examples to view of "herb to bar" container ideas, and provide tips on growing herbs, as well as general information. [Read More](#)

FREE CLASSES & CLINICS



San Francisco 30th Street Plant Clinic

San Francisco Senior Center Garden
225 30th Street, 3rd Floor, San Francisco
(at Dolores and Chenery)
July 8, 2017, 10am-12:00pm

Master Gardeners are available to answer your plant and gardening questions, ranging from general



Soil Biology - Create Healthy Soil for Happy Plants

Redwood City Veterans Memorial Senior Center
1455 Madison Avenue
Redwood City, CA
July 8, 2017, 1:00pm-3:00pm

There is a whole community under your feet that

information to advise about specific problems. [Read More](#)



San Mateo Arboretum

San Mateo Central Park, Kohl Pump House
101 9th Avenue
San Mateo, CA
July 9, 2017, 11:30am-1:00pm

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provides many services including building soil structure, cleaning water, breaking down pollutants, cycling nutrients to plants, protecting plants from pests and disease, and sequestering carbon in the soil.

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Hillsborough Harvest Garden

Contact Lennie Gtcher at lenniego@gmail.com
Hillsborough, CA
July 9, 2017, 2:00pm-4:00pm

Join the Master Gardeners and community volunteers as they work in the Hillsborough Harvest Garden, a community garden. [Read More](#)



Worm Composting Basics

Lyngso Garden Materials, Inc.
345 Shoreway Road
San Carlos, CA
July 15, 2017, 10:00am-12:00pm

Learn how worms assist in the decomposition or oxidation of chemical compounds in organic matter into plant-accessible nutrients (compost), and how easy it really can be to produce "black gold." [Read More & Register](#)



Edible Container Gardening

Lyngso Garden Materials, Inc.
345 Shoreway Road
San Carlos, CA
July 15, 2017, 1:00pm-3:00pm

Learn how to create delicious container arrangements that thrive in your environment; the practical issues of soil, plant selection, and maintenance; and how to maximize space and create beautiful combinations. [Read More & Register](#)

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HELPLINE

Ask a Master Gardener! Our Helpline assists home gardeners with questions about gardening and pest management. Visit us in two locations from 9:00am-4:00pm on Mondays at Elkus Ranch, 1500 Purisima Creek Road, Half Moon Bay, or on Thursdays at Veterans Memorial Senior Center, 1455 Madison Avenue, Redwood City. Call us at (650) 276-7403, or email us at mgsmsf@ucanr.edu. [Read More](#)

Summer Pruning



Summer Fruit Tree Pruning

Watch a video on how to prune to maintain a tree's shape and size, encourage fruit on lower branches, allow more sunlight and air circulation into a tree to ripen and color up fruit, prevent branches loaded with fruit from snapping, and control fungal problems in apricot and cherry trees. [View Video](#)



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