



University of California Cooperative Extension

Master Gardener Program

San Mateo & San Francisco Counties

Quarterly Newsletter



Spring Garden Market April 1, 2017 San Mateo Event Center

The Master Gardener **Spring Garden Market**, formerly called the Tomato & Pepper sale, will be held on **Saturday, April 1, from 9am - 1pm**. It's the perfect time to plant your home vegetable garden and ensure an abundant summer and fall harvest.

This year's event promises to be our biggest and best plant sale and educational fair ever! Don't pass up your chance to select from **over 5,000 healthy plants**, presented in our new venue at:

San Mateo Event Center
2495 South Delaware Street
Sequoia Hall
San Mateo, CA 94403
Free parking & admission

We will be offering **tomato** and **pepper** varieties specifically selected and grown by our Master Gardeners to thrive in our San Francisco and Peninsula climate zones. In addition, there will be a wide variety of **herbs, other vegetables, and flowers**.

We will have **Master Gardener experts** standing by to help you make the best choices for your garden and microclimate, as well as advise you on how to keep your plants **healthy, beautiful, and productive**. As you explore our large selection of plants, you may even be inspired to try planting and



SF Flower & Garden Show April 5-9, 2017 San Mateo Event Center

The San Francisco Flower & Garden Show is teaming up with the **UCCE Master Gardener Program of San Mateo & San Francisco Counties** to help fund their community education program.

A PORTION OF EACH SHOW TICKET AND GALA TICKET WILL BE DONATED TO THE UCCE MASTER GARDENER PROGRAM

General admission tickets include admission to view all gardens, displays, vendors and exhibits as well as your choice of scheduled speaker seminars and demonstrations.

San Mateo Event Center
1346 Saratoga Drive
San Mateo, CA 94403

Single day tickets can be used **ANY** (one) day of the show. Show tickets are **NOT** date specific. To benefit the Master Gardener Program, use the "Purchase Tickets" button below.

If you have trouble printing your ticket, or any other problem related to this ticketing website, please contact Eventbrite support at: support@eventbrite.com.

ENJOY THE SHOW!

Please read each ticket type carefully. All

growing something new.

Bring along your friends, neighbors and family – we'll see you all there!

purchases are **final**. **No refunds**.

"**Special**" events may require a special ticket purchase.

[View plant varieties](#)

[Purchase Tickets](#)

May-June 2017 Events

San Mateo County Maker Faire May 19-21, 2017

Look for our Master Gardener booth!

[Visit website](#)



San Mateo County Fair June 10-18, 2017

Look for our Master Gardener booth!

[Visit website](#)



Free Classes & Plant Clinics



San Francisco 30th Street Plant Clinic

San Francisco Senior Center Garden
225 30th Street, 3rd Floor, San Francisco
(at Dolores and Chenery)
March 11, 2017, 10am-noon

Master Gardeners are available to answer your plant and gardening questions, ranging from general information to advice about specific problems. Please bring plant samples or photos of plants for better



San Mateo Arboretum Plant Clinic

101 9th Avenue, San Mateo
(Kohl Pumphouse in San Mateo's Central Park (near the corner of El Camino and 9th Avenue)
March 5, 2017, 11:30am-1pm

Master Gardeners are available to answer your plant and gardening questions, ranging from general information to advice about specific problems. Please bring plant

diagnosis. If insect pests are suspected, please bring some of the insects so that they can be correctly identified. Plan to arrive early as parking limited, take the elevator to the 3rd floor, ask directions to the garden (down the hallway and out the back door).

This clinic is held on a regular basis. Please visit our website for future dates by selecting the button View All Events below.



Homegrown Herbs Made Easy

San Francisco Richmond Public Library
351 9th Avenue, San Francisco 94118
March 4, 2017, 12pm-1:30pm

No registration necessary. Please allow ample time for parking. There is a paid metered lot nearby with limited space. For additional information contact the library at (415) 355-5600 and ask for Jennifer Woo. See [map](#) for location.

samples or photos of plants for better diagnosis. If insect pests are suspected, please bring some of the insects so that they can be correctly identified.

Street parking is free.

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Keep Your Garden Humming

Lyngso Garden Materials, Inc.
345 Shoreway Rd, San Carlos, CA 94070
March 18, 2017, 10am-12pm

Attract pollinators, including bees, butterflies and hummingbirds to your garden by planting what they love. This class will cover various plant options that will keep your garden humming.

[Register](#)



Tomatoes and Peppers and Eggplants

Lyngso Garden Materials, Inc.
345 Shoreway Rd, San Carlos, CA 94070
March 18, 2017, 10am-12pm

Learn how to manage “heat” in peppers, and how to give your tomatoes and eggplants a great start in life. Topics include variety selection, good planting practices, managing irrigation needs, common pests and diseases, and what to do when the harvest rolls in.

[Register](#)



Grow the Very Best Tomatoes/Peppers

Veterans Senior Center, Gold Star Room
1455 Madison, Redwood City, CA 94061
March 25, 2017, 1pm-3pm

Learn all the needs of tomatoes and peppers and all the tricks you can use to achieve the maximum yield in your garden. Please register for this class. Free parking on site.

[Register](#)

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Gardening Tips

What is IPM?

Integrated pest management, or IPM, is a process you can use to solve pest problems while minimizing risks to people and the environment. IPM can be used to manage all kinds of pests anywhere - in urban, agricultural, and wildland or natural areas.

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