

ACCESSING INFORMATION FROM UC IS MADE EASY WITH NEW WEBSITE

The University of California Cooperative Extension in Fresno County is launching a new, updated web site. Anyone using the internet will have access to information focused on UC Cooperative Extensions core programs that include: agricultural production, family nutrition master gardeners and 4-H youth development. UC Cooperative Extension County Director Shannon Mueller stated, "Our new website is more interactive, allowing Fresno County resident's easy access to our programs at the UCCE Fresno County office. New website features include program descriptions and activities, blogs, reports, presentations, video and audio clips as well as opportunities to sign-up to receive newsletters, meeting announcements and other UC Cooperative Extension services electronically." Fresno County residents can tailor the information that they receive to their needs.

The agricultural section focuses on farm advisors program information on key crops grown in the county. Their programs provide timely research and education information for commercial growers, helping maintain a strong agricultural economy. The nutrition program provides information tailored to the needs of county residents and is currently focusing on health eating and obesity. Master gardeners have been working closely with county residents on developing home and community gardens that provide fresh fruits and vegetables grown by them. Our popular 4-H youth development program serves approximately 900 Fresno County youth. As one of the largest in the state, the 4-H program produces youth that excel in school and serve as leaders within the organization and their community.



Open up the web pages to see the new features including blogs, Facebook information, video clips, radio broadcasts, games, and more. You can learn how to make a healthy smoothie with bananas, blueberries, and strawberries. The new site can be viewed at cefresno.ucdavis.edu

Fresno County residents with questions regarding the new site can contact the UC Cooperative Extension staff at: URL or by calling the UC Cooperative Extension office at 1720 South Maple Ave., 559-600-7285.