



## Jan Laine

Jan comes from a long line of family gardeners, having been taught in her early years by both her grandmothers through example and education. Jan became a Master Gardener in 2009, and has taught various gardening programs ever since. She currently maintains the healing-in beds at the OSU Extension Demonstration Gardens. While living in Arizona, Jan developed a keen interest in succulents, which, as good fortune would have it, has carried over most agreeably to the climate of the Rogue Valley. She enjoys sharing her enthusiasm (some might call it 'passion') of succulents with others.

## Program Description

### **FUN WITH SUCCULENTS**

What's the difference between a cactus and a succulent? This is just one of many interesting facts you'll discover in this succulent presentation. You'll learn about common and dissimilar characteristics, planting requirements, preferred soil type, fertilizers, propagation techniques, and sunlight requirements. Discussion will include both indoor and outdoor plants, and what to look out for in the way of pests (large and small). Jan's presentation includes many photos, some of which include succulents native to our area. The world of succulents is enormous. Jan will get you excited about, and increase your understanding of these wonderful plants. Jan has a PowerPoint presentation, and will bring a number of succulents from her garden.