Oregon State University Extension Service

Master Gardener

2020 Community Education Classes

Location: OSU Extension Auditorium, 569 Hanley Rd in Central Point, OR 97502
Pre-register and pay online http://bit.ly/JacksonMGWorkshops or call 541-776-7371

❖ Classes are $10 if pre-registered online or $15 at the door
❖ $5 discount for MGs & other OSU Extension volunteers. All classes are eligible for MG recertification education hours.
❖ Refunds only available 48 hours before class

Tuesday, February 18
5:30 – 7:30 pm
*Capturing Carbon for the Climate: Part 1
Scott Goode
Master Gardener

Improve climate conditions right in your own backyard! Learn carbon cycling in the environment and theories behind carbon sequestration, which can be applied at home as a practical and empowering way to mitigate climate change.

Tuesday, March 3
5:30 – 7:00 pm
Landscaping with Cold Hardy Succulents
Annie Schreck
Mountain Crest Gardens

This class will cover the unique adaptations of succulent plants, the basics of succulent care, and strategies to use them in low-maintenance, drought-tolerant landscapes.

Tuesday, March 17
5:30 – 7:30 pm
*Grapevine Pruning
Dr. Alexander Levin
Oregon Wine Research Institute

Learn the basics of grapevine pruning for home hobby or small-scale grape production in the Rogue Valley.

Tuesday, April 14
5:30 – 7:30 pm
*Grapevine Pest and Disease Management
Dr. Alexander Levin
Oregon Wine Research Institute

Identify common grape pests and diseases in the Rogue Valley, plus innovative techniques to both treat and prevent them in your home vineyard.

Tuesday, April 21
5:30 – 7:30 pm
Innovative Weed Management
Scott Goode
Master Gardener

A weed is just a plant in the wrong place. Learn how to identify weeds, then apply creative management plans to make “weeds” work for you!

Accommodation requests related to a disability should be made at least one week before the class.

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<td>Tuesday, May 12</td>
<td><strong>Grapevine Canopy Management</strong></td>
<td>Dr. Alexander Levin</td>
<td>Oregon Wine Research Institute</td>
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<td>5:30 – 7:30 pm</td>
<td>Improve fruitzone cluster microclimate and canopy management with proper summer pruning techniques for your home or small-scale vineyard.</td>
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<td>Tuesday, May 26</td>
<td><strong>Month-by-Month Insect Pests in the Garden</strong></td>
<td>Marsha Waite</td>
<td>Master Gardener</td>
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<td>5:30 – 7:30 pm</td>
<td>This class will provide a calendar type look at what insect pests to look for in your garden month to month, plus appropriate management strategies.</td>
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<td>Wednesday, June 24</td>
<td><strong>Grapevine Nutrition &amp; Irrigation Management</strong></td>
<td>Dr. Alexander Levin</td>
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<td>5:30 – 7:30 pm</td>
<td>Learn how to properly feed and water your grapevines to optimize yield and fruit quality in your home or small-scale vineyard.</td>
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<td>Tuesday, July 14</td>
<td><strong>Inviting Nature into our Yards and Gardens</strong></td>
<td>Lynn Kunstman</td>
<td>Master Gardener</td>
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<td>5:30 – 7:30 pm</td>
<td>Growing native plants in our yards, cities, and common areas provides the best hope for saving our pollinators. Based on the work of Dr. Doug Tallamy, this presentation will teach you why and how to add native plants to every yard.</td>
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<td>Tuesday, August 11</td>
<td><strong>Capturing Carbon for the Climate: Part 2</strong></td>
<td>Scott Goode</td>
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<td>5:30 – 7:30 pm</td>
<td>Build upon what was taught in the first class by looking at outcomes from various carbon sequestration techniques. Scott will discuss results of research performed with the Desert Research Institute and Tikkun Olam Research and Teaching Farm. You will also have the chance to see carbon sequestration in action at the Master Gardener Carbon Sequestration Victory Garden at SOREC.</td>
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<td>Wednesday, September 9</td>
<td><strong>Dive into Composting</strong></td>
<td>Matthew Allen</td>
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<td>5:30 – 7:30 pm</td>
<td>Learn how to create multiple styles of compost systems and find which style works best in your home. You will have the chance to see some of these compost systems in action at the Master Gardener Compost Demonstration Area at SOREC.</td>
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