

2022 SPRING GARDENING CLASSES WITH THE WICHITA PUBLIC LIBRARY

A JOINT PROJECT OF THE SEDGWICK COUNTY EXTENSION HORTICULTURE
AND MASTER GARDENER VOLUNTEER PROGRAM AND THE WICHITA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Tuesdays:

AT THE ALFORD LIBRARY BRANCH
3447 S. MERIDIAN AVE., WICHITA, KS 67217
LIMITED SOCIALLY DISTANCED SEATING



ALL CLASSES 6:00 -7:30 PM

Thursdays:

VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM

CLASSES ARE FREE, BUT REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. REGISTER BY PHONE AT 316-261-8500, OR THROUGH THE
EVENTS CALENDAR ON THE WICHITA PUBLIC LIBRARY'S WEBSITE: WWW.WICHITALIBRARY.ORG/GARDENING

April 5th & 7th

Spring Garden Maintenance - Clean up, Prepare, & Plant - Speaker: Peggy Griffith

Is your garden ready for a new growing season? When spring hits there's always a lot to do - cutting down plants, dividing perennials, fertilizing, planting, pruning, and weeding. The list goes on and on. Extension Master Gardener and professional landscaper Peggy Griffith will review everything that you can do in your landscape and garden in April, in order to help your garden "spring" back to life.

April 12th & 14th

Compost and More Green Gardening Practices - Speaker: Mary Singleton

Compost enriches the soil and promotes healthy plant growth, but how do you get started? What gardening practices can you implement in order to make your garden greener and composting easier? Learn how to harness your garden waste and food scraps in order to improve your soil and decrease landfill waste. Join Mary Singleton, Extension Master Gardener and life-long composter, in exploring how "compost happens!", as she discusses various methods of composting and other green gardening principles you can incorporate into your routine.

April 19th & 21st

Plants That Love Our Kansas Sun- Speaker: Lynn Campbell-Behnke

Are you tired of plants that wilt in the summer? Especially those that need extra summertime care about the time we'd rather enjoy the garden view from our shady patios or air-conditioned living rooms. Of course, all plants will need some care, but learn from Extension Master Gardener Lynn Behnke as she shares about the plants that actually love our Kansas sun and will thrive in our kind of summer.

April 26th & 28th

Growing a "Fruitful" Landscape - Speaker: Rebecca McMahon

Gain a bounty of sweet and "fruity" ideas for incorporating fruiting plants into your landscape and garden from Horticulture Extension Agent Rebecca McMahon. Learn the basic science of fruit gardening while exploring tips and tricks for adding fruiting plants to even the smallest garden spaces.

May 3rd & 5th

Container Gardening: The Basics and Beyond - Speaker: Diane Dorsch

This presentation will describe the essential ingredients for a beautiful and successful container garden. Join Extension Master Gardener Diane Dorsch as she starts with the basics, including selecting the right container, potting mix, and water requirements. Then learn about filling a beautiful container, from plant selection and arrangements, to fertilization and ongoing care.

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