

## REGISTRATION FORM

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☐ E-mail confirmation requested.

Registration Fee (includes lunch):

☐ \$40 Per person (postmarked by February 23)

☐ \$45 Per person (after February 23)

Select a boxed lunch option:

☐ Beef Sandwich      ☐ Ham Sandwich

☐ Vegetarian Wrap      ☐ Turkey Sandwich

THIS IS AN ADULT EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY. AGES 18+ ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

Make check payable to "Kenosha County" and mail to:  
Spring Into Gardening  
Kenosha County UW-Extension  
19600 75th Street, Suite #2  
Bristol, WI 53104

On-line registration and payment available at the site below. Please note, if you register on-line, you must pay on-line. A processing fee will be charged for on-line registrations: <http://kenosha.uwex.edu>

**NO REFUNDS AFTER FRIDAY, 2/23/18.**

We occasionally receive requests for mailing lists. Please check:

☐ Yes, you may release my name and information.

☐ No, do not release my name or information.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

## SESSION 1: 9:00 - 10:15 A.M.

(REGISTRATION 8:30-9:00 A.M.)

### A. Getting the Most Out of Small Gardens.

*Michelle Cannon, Larryville Farms*

How to get the most out of a small garden area by using season extenders, rotation, as well as by keeping soil healthy and productive even after years of heavy production.

### B. Maple Syruping 101

*Jen Berlinghof, Lake County Forest Preserve District, Environmental Educator*

Learn the sweet science behind maple syruping: how to select and tap the right trees, and turn sugar maple tree sap into pure maple syrup. We will highlight some of the health benefits of all-natural maple syrup. You'll get a taste of locally produced maple syrup!

### C. Slam Dunk Perennials

*Mark Dwyer, Rotary Botanical Gardens, Director of Horticulture*

Mark will discuss a wide range of durable perennials that will thrive in both sun and shade.

### D. Growing Healthy Trees

*Aaron Schauer, Gateway Technical College Arboriculture Instructor/Program Director*

Have trees in your yard but not certain the best way to ensure they stay healthy from planting to maturity? Aaron will discuss how to correctly plant trees and the importance of structural pruning to keep trees healthy and safe as they grow.

### E. Make N Take: Wooden Box of Succulents

*Gale Borger, Gerry's Garden Shop*

Create an arrangement of succulents in a cedar box with rope handle. \*Additional fee of \$25 to be paid directly to Gale.

## QUESTIONS?

Kenosha County UW-Extension  
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# 12th Annual SPRING INTO GARDENING

Saturday, March 10, 2018

Westosha Central High School

24617 - 75th Street | Paddock Lake, WI 53168



SESSION 2: 10:30 - 11:45 A.M.

A. Be Fit for Gardening

Nancy Maurer, Certified Trainer & Fitness Instructor

This workshop will teach you wellness activities to perform in the off-season as well as before, during, and after gardening in-season to help reduce pain and stress.

B. Vegetable Gardening is Easy & Fun

Kate Jerome, Gateway Technical College, Horticulturist

We're all beginning gardeners at the outset of each season. Let's talk about how to get started growing the tastiest food ever, even if you've never had a garden. Come with your questions and stories.

C. Memory Gardens

Belinda Ahendschein, Nature by Design

This workshop is designed to inspire attendees to create special places in their gardens to remember loved ones, childhood memories, milestones, and family vacations.

D. Are Your Weeds Laughing at You?

Paul S. Drobot, Plantstogrow.com

Having a garden or a landscape means weeds. They cause large vegetable gardens to morph into a few tomato and pepper plants. Learn how to extract them, prevent them, slow them down, and how to make weeding your garden easier and stop the laughter.

E. Cooking with Herbs (A.M.)

Susan Obry & Melody Urban, Racine-Kenosha Master Gardeners, Herb Society of WI  
Using fresh and dried herbs in recipes— learn how to elevate dishes - from starters and soup to entrées and desserts - by mastering key techniques with the irresistible flavors of herbs. Find out how to season dishes and make them taste amazing.

SESSION 3: 12:30 - 1:45 P.M.

A. Creating the Perfect Garden Container

Susan Obry, Racine-Kenosha Master Gardener

Well-designed containers can brighten any spot! This session will present tips and techniques on design, choosing the right plants and containers, potting soil choices, and how to care for that perfect creation.

B. The Kingdom of the Monarch

Shelly Culea, Monarchs Unlimited

Shelly will share her experiences in the Monarch Butterfly Sanctuaries of Mexico and show amazing photos of her trip. She will bring the incredible story of the great migration of the Monarch butterflies to life and offer suggestions to attract Monarchs and other pollinators to a garden.

C. Diseases of Trees & Shrubs

Brian Hudelson, UW-Madison/Extension Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic

Learn about common diseases of woody trees and shrubs and their management.

D. Succulents

Rob Charlier Anglim, Washington County Master Gardener

Rob is a succulent propagating gardener who will showcase the characteristics and versatility that make succulents must-grow plants in your garden or as houseplants.

E. Make N Take: Teas and Tisanes

Gale Borger, Gerry's Garden Shop

Learn the difference between teas and tisanes and how to grow the appropriate herbs for them. Participants will mix and taste teas, and create a tea bag to take home. \*Additional fee of \$10 to be paid directly to Gale.

SESSION 4: 2:00 - 3:15 P.M.

A. Mexican Vegetables: ¡Fiesta in the Olbrich Botanical Herb Garden!

Erin Presley, Olbrich Botanical Garden, Horticulturist

Many of our beloved vegetables and flowers trace back to Mexico and Central America. Explore the flavors of Mexican vegetables and herbs, some traditional and some especially for Wisconsin. Learn growing tips, history, and easy recipes to spice up your kitchen and garden routine!

B. Be Surprised by What Natives Can Do Above and Below Ground

Connor Shaw, Possibility Place Nursery

Connor will present a frank discussion about the way native plants grow in propagation and in the yard. A look into the myths on how these plants are supposed to act or are to be used in modern landscapes will be presented. He will also discuss his personal philosophy on landscaping.

C. Diseases of Herbaceous Ornamentals

Brian Hudelson, UW-Madison/Extension Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic

Learn about common diseases of herbaceous ornamentals and their management. Dr. Hudelson is affectionately known as “Dr. Death” due to his love of plant diseases.

D. Tried, True, & New Annuals

Jerry Nelson, Classic Gardens

Jerry will share his expert advice on new annuals to grow in beds and containers and will suggest dependable annuals that perform beautifully season after season.

E. Cooking with Herbs (P.M.)

Susan Obry & Melody Urban, Racine-Kenosha Master Gardeners, Herb Society of WI  
Repeat of A.M. program.

SESSION REGISTRATION

**Class size is limited - REGISTER EARLY!**  
1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices must be indicated in each session for registration to be complete. If not indicated, classes will be assigned based on availability.

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Please note: We may be taking videos and pictures of the participants during this program. UW-Extension will use these videos and pictures in a manner consistent with UW-Extension's mission. Your attendance at this program indicates your consent for your image to be recorded and used in this manner.