



Master Gardener Program

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WSU Extension Master Gardener Speaker List

Washington State University Extension Master Gardeners speak to groups on the topics listed below as part of their community service of offering horticultural information to the public. Find a topic that interests you and contact the speaker directly. You and the speaker will then make arrangements for the talk. When you have done so, please notify the Master Gardener Program office (206-685-5104) so that we can provide the speaker with a report form and provide you with an evaluation form for the presentation. This helps ensure the continuing high quality of our speakers.

Master Gardeners speak as volunteers. They receive reimbursement of the expenses they incur preparing for a presentation from the Master Gardener Foundation of King County. If you wish to donate to the Master Gardener Program, please make your check out to the Master Gardener Foundation of King County. We are happy to be of service, and a donation is completely optional and by no means required or expected.

NOTE: If you are contacting a speaker via e-mail, include the words "Master Gardener" in your subject line. This will ensure that your message is not screened out and sent to a junk-mail folder.

Bruce Bennett
(206) 245-5134, bennettd33@hotmail.com
Rain Gardens: Introduction, Plants, Maintenance
* Evenings Only

Karen Benson-Huck
(206) 361-8883, bearpaw@nwlink.com
Soils, Plant Nutrition, Gardening for Wellness

Penny Bolton
(206) 819-5643, ppbolton@gmail.com
Garden Hospitality - Inviting Birds and Bugs to your Yard

Paul Bryant
(206) 784-9905, paul@evekenedy.com
Bee Keeping, Pollination

Marcia Dillon
(425) 746-3601, dillon1962@att.net
Growing Tomatoes in the Pacific Northwest

Jessica Klein DeStefano
206-972-4126

Linda Jean Shepherd
206-604-1929
Vegetable Gardening, Organic Vegetable Gardening

Kay Gordon
(206) 527-0877, kc-njgordon@comcast.net
Spring, Summer, Fall Propagation (three separate presentations)

Judy Griesel
206-546-2660, jkgriesel@comcast.net
Creating Wildlife Habitat

Lisa Haglund
(206) 849-0292, lisa.haglund@wsu.edu
Rain gardens and stormwater runoff

Joan Helbacka
(425) 271-6810, helbacka@comcast.net
Culinary Herbs, Year-round Bulbs, Ornamental Vines, Weeds and Other Naughty Plants, Safe and Sane Gardening Practices

Holly Kennell
(206) 363-9370, ho11yk@att.net
Vegetable Gardening, Herbs, Trouble-Free Trees and Shrubs

Kirsten Lints
(425) 788-2012, ka_and_kl@yahoo.com
Garden and Landscape Design, Fire-wise Gardening

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Mary Machala

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Building and Amending Soil, Beautify that
Boulevard: Inexpensive Steps to a Striking Strip!

Susan Miller

(425) 222-0790, susanamiller@hotmail.com

Plant Something Different - Characteristics of
Black, Gold, and Chartreuse Plants, Dwarf
Conifers *Can present in Spanish*

Peggy Morgan

(206) 824-1809, pegmorgan2@comcast.net

Therapeutic Garden Design, The Value of
Trees, Worms

Wally Prestbo

(425) 391-6599, tomatoplanter@comcast.net

Tomatoes

Laura Watson

(206) 361-2776, lbwlss@comcast.net

Clematis

Fred Wemer

(206) 522-5076, cwemer@comcast.net

Composting, Soil Building, Propagation, Grafting
Tomatoes

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