



Think Spring!

ALL WINTER LONG WITH ILLINOIS EXTENSION MASTER GARDENERS

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Growing and Using Herbs - Jan. 16 @ 6:30 pm

Herbs are a healthy way to introduce new flavors into your diet, new fragrances into your home and add texture to your garden. This class will discuss growing, collecting and preserving techniques for all kinds of herbs and offer suggestions for using herbs in cooking. This is one of our most popular, highly attended programs. Led by Master Gardener Leslie LeResche.

Landscaping for Dogs - Jan. 30 @ 6:30 pm

Did you know you can have a dog and a beautiful yard at the same time? Learn how to share your outdoor living space with your furry friends with tips for choosing plants, strategic plant placement, and dog-tolerant plants. You too can create a place for both two- and four-legged members of the family to play and relax. Led by Master Gardener Bonnie Prokop.

Native Pollinators - Feb. 4 @ 6:30 pm

Insects make up the vast majority of animals that pollinate plants. (Spoiler alert - it's not just bees and butterflies!) From plant selection to garden chores, find out how you can support our native pollinators in your own backyard. Led by Master Gardener Jim Stendler.

Sustainable Gardening - Feb. 18 @ 6:30 pm

Resilient gardeners deal with unpredictable issues to produce food that can sustain during challenging times. Health, diet, weather and financial situations are taken into account as Master Gardeners discuss sustainable, survival gardening techniques. Learn concepts such as watering, soil fertility, seed selection, seed saving and harvesting and storage. Led by Master Gardeners Leah Beck and Sue Styler.

Prepping for Spring - March 19 @ 1 pm

Learn the seasonal chores that should be done in spring to get your garden off to a good start. Topics covered include planting seeds indoors and out, planting cool season flowers, seasonal lawn care as well as watering, fertilizing, dividing and pruning. Led by Master Gardener Lynn Mitchell.



\$10 per person per session

Active Master Gardener volunteers free with coupon code



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