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gardener's toolbox

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2017 CLASSES

We are happy to offer you the following opportunities to learn more about gardening. Please remember that many of the classes are limited. Please register early to assure a spot in the classes you wish to attend.

Storing Winter Bulbs ~ Thursday, October 5th at 3:00 p.m.: Our discussion will focus primarily on tender flowering plants but many of the same curing and storage techniques work for root vegetables. Learn best practices for keeping things like cannas, dahlias, elephant ears, etc. from year to year. **Cost: \$5.00.**

Minor Bulbs ~ Thursday, October 12th at 6:30 p.m.: An introduction to wonderful bulbs far less common than the typical tulips, crocus and daffodils. Many of the smaller varieties are ideal for planting in natural areas or mixing into perennial borders. Participants will take home a sampler of several unique bulb varieties to plant at home. **Cost: \$20.00.**

Daffodils ~ Tuesday, October 17th at 6:30 p.m.: Everyone loves the sight of the cheerful spring daffodils with their promise of warmer days to come. We all know the large yellow trumpet varieties but there 13 divisions of these amazing bulbs including miniatures, small cupped, double, etc. We will explore the genus with tips for planting and naturalizing. Each class member will take home a sampler of lesser known daffodils and some other special spring flowering companion bulbs for their own garden. We will include a generous assortment. **Cost: \$20.00**

Composting ~ Monday, October 30 at 6:00p.m.: Composting at home is easier than you might think and creates a valuable garden resource. This program will offer a crash course in composting at a beginner level including a brief discussion of composting with worms. Lexington Fayette Urban County Government will provide free countertop “grubbies” to collect kitchen waste destined for your compost pile. **Cost: Free, but you must call the Fayette County Extension Office at (859) 257-5582 to reserve a seat for this class.**

Lilies ~ Thursday, November 2nd at 6:30 p.m.: We see many more daylilies planted than true lilies, which are grown from bulbs, but there is no denying their beauty and, often, wonderful fragrance. The most common include the Asiatic and oriental types but there are many great hybrids and species to consider. Indulge yourself in this informative crash course about lilies. Take home an assortment of bulbs to plant for a spectacular display next summer. **Cost: \$25.00**

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with prior notification.

Stump the Horticulture Agent, "Ask Anything" ~ Tuesday, November 7th at 6:30 p.m.:

Question and answer session- an opportunity for the audience to steer the conversation to whatever topics you desire. Put the agent in the hot seat and hopefully I will know the answers. Any horticulture topic. **Cost: Free, but advance registration is required to reserve a seat.**

My Favorite Garden Tools ~ Thursday, November 16th at 6:30 p.m.: Various tools, equipment and accessories - Over the years all serious gardeners find tools and accessories that they consider indispensable. In this session I will discuss various implements that work very well in the landscape and vegetable garden. All shovels and hoes are not created equal. Many of our examples will be raffled as door prizes. **Cost: \$5.00**

Holiday Greens ~ Tuesday, December 5th at 3:00 p.m.: You can create beautiful holiday wreaths, garlands, swags and centerpieces using materials from your own yard. Jamie Dockery will demonstrate several items. We will share many tips and tricks along the way. Our demonstrations will be raffled as door prizes. **Cost: \$10.00.**

2017 GARDENER'S TOOLBOX - REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

TOTAL Amount Enclosed \$ _____

IMPORTANT REMINDERS!

- *Sign up early for classes to avoid being turned away because class is full.*
- **ALL classes are "PRE-REGISTRATION" only.**
- **If you need to cancel, you must do so 2 weeks prior to the class time to receive a refund or credit for a different class.**
- **If handouts and/or plants are not picked up 3 days after class, items will be donated.**

~ 2017 GARDENER'S TOOLBOX CLASSES ~			
✓	Class and Cost	✓	Class and Cost
	10/5: Storing Winter Bulbs, Cost: \$5.00		10/12: Minor Bulbs, Cost: \$20.00
	10/17: Daffodils, Cost: \$20.00		10/30: Composting Workshop, Cost: Free
	11/2: Lilies, Cost: \$25.00		11/7: Stump the Hort. Agent, Cost: Free
	11/16: My Favorite Garden Tools, Cost: \$5.00		12/5: Holiday Greens, Cost: \$10.00

Please make check payable to: *Fayette County Master Gardener Association*

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