

The Master Gardeners of Alameda County provide free talks on a wide variety of gardening topics. Here is our 2017 schedule. Find a talk near you!

Albany Demo Garden, Oceanview Park, 900 Buchanan Street, Albany; All talks 11:00 a.m. to Noon.

April 15	GROWING TOMATOES
May 20	EDIBLE LANDSCAPING
June 17	IPM – PEST AND PESTICIDES
July 15	PERENNIAL HERB GARDENING
August 19	PREPARING FOR YOUR COOL SEASON GARDEN
September 16	SUCCULENTS

Lake Merritt Trials Garden, Gardens at Lake Merritt, 666 Bellevue Avenue, Oakland; All talks 12 noon – 1:00 p.m.; \$5.00 parking fee on weekends at Lake Merritt. Lines can be long to enter the park by car. Consider street parking or public transit. Seating is limited bring your own chair.

May 13	GROW – HOME GARDEN FAVORITES
June 10	MANAGE – SAFE PEST AND DISEASE CONTROL
July 8	NUTURE – MAXIMIZE MID-SUMMER SUCCESS
August 12	SUSTAIN – CREATE A GREAT WINTER GARDEN
September 9	REST – PREPARE YOUR GARDEN FOR WINTER

Livermore Demo Garden, The Martinelli Event Center, 3575 Greenville Road, Livermore
All talks 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

April 8	DROUGHT TOLERANT CONTAINER GARDENING
May 13	SUCCULENT PROPAGATION
June 10	GARDEN POLLINATORS
July 8	GARDEN GADGETS
August 12	OUTSTANDING PLANTS FOR ALAMEDA COUNTY

- September 9 **BACKYARD BIRDS**
October 14 **HILLSIDE GARDENING**
November 11 **HYDROZONING**

Quarry Lakes Regional Recreation Area, 2100 Isherwood Way, Fremont; All talks 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. East Bay Regional Parks charge \$5 vehicle entry fee.

- May 6 **GARDENING BASICS**
June 3 **SOIL BASICS FOR HOME GARDENERS**
July 8 **WEEDS AS INDICATORS**
August 5 **GROWING SUCCULENTS IN CALIFORNIA**
September 9 **BENEFICIAL INSECTS**
October 7 **HABITAT GARDENING**

Other Locations

- April 29 **VEGETABLE GARDENING BASICS**, 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Union City Library, 34007 Alvarado-Niles Blvd, Union City
- May 16 **IPM WEEDS** 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Alameda Backyard Growers,
Rhythmix Cultural Works, 2513 Blanding Ave, Alameda
- May 27 **VEGETABLE GARDENING IN DROUGHT CONDITIONS**, 2:30 p.m. to
4:30 p.m., Union City, Library 34007 Alvarado-Niles Blvd, Union City
- June 17 **CONTAINER VEGETABLE GARDENING**, 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Union
City, Library 34007 Alvarado-Niles Blvd, Union City
- September 16 **WEEDS AS INDICATORS** 11 a.m. 12 noon, Asbury United Methodist
Church, 4743 East Avenue, Livermore
- October 21 **STONE FRUIT TREES** 11 a.m. 12 noon, Asbury United Methodist Church,
4743 East Avenue, Livermore

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