

YOU CAN BECOME A WSU LEWIS COUNTY EXTENSION MASTER GARDENER!

WSU Lewis County Extension Master Gardeners are trained to provide educational materials and outreach and other research-based resources about a wide range of home gardening, landscaping, and environmental stewardship topics.

Our **Program Priorities** focus on Climate Change, Clean Water, Water Conservation, Soil Health, Pollinators, Local Food, Plant Biodiversity, Nearby Nature, and Wildfire Preparedness.

The WSU Lewis County Extension Master Gardeners are involved in many public educational outreach programs as well as maintaining five demonstration gardens throughout Lewis County.

Gardening for Everyone is only one of the many community education programs of the WSU Lewis County Master Gardeners.

Contact us to learn how you can become an Extension Master Gardener or visit extension.wsu.edu/lewis/gardening

WSU Extension programs and employment are available to all without discrimination.

We can provide **free** educational classes, workshops, and resources to the public and local schools because of generous donations and community support of our Spring Plant Sale.

Please consider making a donation to help us continue our work of promoting sustainable and resilient gardens, landscapes, and communities.

Donations can be mailed to
*Master Gardener Foundation of
Lewis County (MGFLC)**

**351 NW North St.
Chehalis, WA 98532**

or dropped off at the
WSU Lewis County Extension
office at
**17 SW Cascade Ave.
Chehalis, WA 98532**

**The MGFLC is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and helps to support our events and programs.*

For more information, call
(360) 740-1216 or email
jason.adams@lewiscountywa.gov



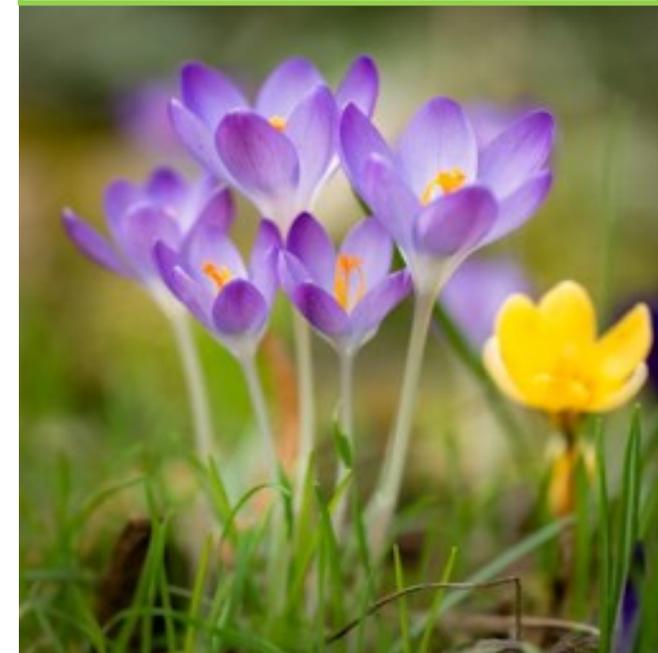
WSU Lewis County Extension
Master Gardener Program

Gardening For Everyone

Saturday, April 12th

9:00 am - 2:15 pm

**Centralia College
Washington Hall
715 W. Pear St.
Centralia, WA 98531**



WSU EXTENSION
Lewis County

Classroom: 103

9:00 am - 10:30 am

Creating Rain Gardens & Weed Management Strategies for the Backyard Landscape

- Using Native Plants to Create a "Rain Loving" Garden Space
- Strategies for Controlling Weedy Pests
- Identifying Right and Wrong Plants for Landscapes



Presenters:

Maddie Wilcox, *Lewis Conservation District*
 Danielle Green, *Lewis County Noxious Weeds*

10:45 am - 12:15 pm

Attracting & Hosting Pollinators of the PNW

- Overview of Pollinator Diversity
- About the Washington Bee Atlas
- Tips for Habitat Management



Presenter: Bri Price

*Entomologist & WSU Extension Bee Program
 Coordinator*

12:45 pm - 2:15 pm

Mason & Leafcutter Bees

- Creating a Healthy Habitat for Mason Bees
- Mason Bee Predators & How to Protect Against Them
- Meet the Leafcutter Bees



Presenter: Thyra McKelvia

Managing Director, Rent Mason Bees

Classroom: 105

9:00 am - 10:30 am

Edible Microgreens

- What They Are?
- How to Grow Them
- How to Care for Them
- How to Enjoy Them



Presenter: Heidi MacDonald

Owner: Lady MacDonalds' Garden, LLC.

10:45 am - 12:15 pm

Rose Care and Pruning

- Types of Roses
- Pollinator & Beneficial Insect-friendly Pest Control Methods
- When & How to Fertilize and Prune for Healthy Plants



Presenter: LaVeta Arnold

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12:45 pm - 2:15 pm

Succulents & Sedums

- What Are They?
- How to Grow & Care for Them
- Examples of Different Varieties



Presenter: Judy Masura

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Please visit our vendor and information tables in the lobby before and in-between presentations.

- **WSU Lewis County Master Gardeners**
- **Plant & Insect Clinic** - *Please bring in your plant/pest problems for our experts to identify.*
- **WSU Lewis County Master Recycler Composters**
- **WSU Lewis County Master Food Preservers**
- **WSU Lewis County 4-H**
- **MRC Tool Bucket Library**
- **Lewis County Noxious Weed Control**
- **Lewis Conservation District**
- **Centralia Wastewater Treatment**
- **SW WA Mycological Society**
- **Lady MacDonalds' Garden, LLC**
- **Pollinators PNW**
- **Fuchsia Fanciers**
- **Handmade Crafts**
- **And more!**

