**Table Displays:** Between 9-9:30 visit the table displays and learn more about beekeeping, herbs, butterflies and hummingbirds, lasagna gardening, herbs, square foot gardening, rain barrels and rain gardens. Talk to gardeners about their experiences and pick up information you can take home with you. Pick up some free seed packets too!

**Lunch:** We will be having boxed lunches. Lunch will include a lunchmeat or vegetarian sandwich, chips, fruit, cookie and a bottle of water. You are welcome to bring your own lunch and drink if this does not suit you.

**Proceeds from this event will be used to support future horticulture programming.**

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SESSIONS

**Utilizing Smartphones/Tablets For Gardening**
University of Missouri Extension Specialist, Kent Shannon, will discuss gardening applications that are available and how to utilize your smartphone and tablet for gardening.

**Growing Small Fruits in the Backyard**
University of Missouri horticulture specialist, James Quinn, will discuss growing small fruits such as blackberries, raspberries, strawberries and grapes in your backyard. Varieties, culture and maintenance will be discussed.

**Gain With No Pain**
University of Missouri Extension Specialist, Karen Funkenbusch, will discuss how to ease the stress on your back and joints while gardening and the ergonomic gardening tools that are available.

**Growing Tree Fruits in the Backyard**
James Quinn, University of Missouri horticulture specialist, will discuss growing tree fruits in your backyard. Varieties, culture and maintenance will be discussed.

**Gardening to Attract Birds and Butterflies**
With an interest in wildlife photography, Dan Getman sought to create habitat and gardens to attract birds, butterflies and hummingbirds. The habitat he created includes bird feeders, a water feature, a variety of native perennial and annual flowers, numerous host plants for butterflies, many berry-producing shrubs and trees, and nest boxes for bluebirds and tree swallows. Dan will describe simple things you can do to increase the number and variety of birds and butterflies that visit your backyard.

**Spotted Wing Drosophila Update**
A new invasive pest, the Spotted Wing Drosophila (SWD), has made its way to Missouri. First found in Southwest Missouri in June 2013, it has now made its appearance in berry patches in Northeast Missouri. Jennifer Schutter will address how to identify and monitor for this destructive pest.

**Food Gardening for Your Health & Pocketbook**
Are you wanting to reduce your household food costs and maybe even become more self-sufficient? Growing a food garden can increase your family’s nutrition and provide safer, better tasting, and fresher vegetables, fruits, and herbs. Rosalee Mason will present intensive space-saving and time-saving organic gardening methods, discuss how to decide what to grow, how much yield you can expect, how to step it up the next year, and provide lots of hand-outs so you can customize your own food gardening plans.

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**Season Extenders**
Would you like to extend your growing season with an early or late harvest of crops? Max Glover, University of Missouri Extension specialist will discuss how to extend your season using row covers, high tunnels, greenhouses, cold frames, hot beds and cloches.

**Garden Panel**
A panel of three local gardeners will discuss their vegetable and flower gardening methods, favorite plants, and provide gardening tips and advice and answer any questions you may have.

**Landscaping Tips**
Local gardeners and Jennifer Schutter will discuss tips for landscaping your yard. Function of the landscape, plant selection, and general tips will be given. We will not be covering hardscaping, drainage or tiles in much detail.

9:00-9:30—Registration and visit the display tables.

**Session 1** 9:30 to 10:40
- Utilizing Smartphone/Tablets For Gardening
- Growing Small Fruits
- Gain With No Pain
- Food Gardening For Your Health & Pocketbook

**Session 2** 10:50-12:00
- Utilizing Smartphone/Tablets For Gardening
- Growing Fruit Trees
- Gain With No Pain
- Gardening to Attract Birds and Butterflies

**Lunch** 12:00-1:00

**12:30 Spotted Wing Drosophila Update**

**Session 3** 1:00-2:10
- Garden Panel
- Season Extenders
- Landscaping Tips
- Growing Heirloom Plants

**Session 4** 2:20-3:30
- Garden Panel
- Growing Heirloom Plants
- Gardening to Attract Birds and Butterflies
- Food Gardening For Your Health & Pocketbook

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