



Our History

With a rising interest in home gardening, the staff of the Seattle, Washington Extension Office originated the Master Gardener Program in 1972. The idea to train local knowledgeable gardeners to assist the Extension Office staff with delivering home gardening information was a success. Today all fifty states and six Canadian provinces have organized Master Gardener Program. Missouri's program began in 1983 and has grown to serve more than 90 counties.



What we do...

Community Garden

Warren County Master Gardeners work with community members to plan and grow a community garden, currently located in Truesdale.

Schowengerdt House

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Master Gardeners of Warren County have partnered with the Historical Society in an effort to catalog and maintain the original gardens of this beautiful home.

Garden 'n Grow

The Missouri Garden 'n Grow Program is a summer volunteer gardening program developed for 9 to 13-year-old youths. Master Gardeners work with young people in the community to help them learn about the care of their own gardens.

Home & Garden Show

Master Gardeners of Warren County provide container gardens located throughout the Home & Garden show fairgrounds location. In addition, during the show they have a "Planting Booth" for kids. Each child picks out a flower pot, decorates it with stickers, chooses a bedding plant or seeds and plants, waters and labels their "take home" plant.

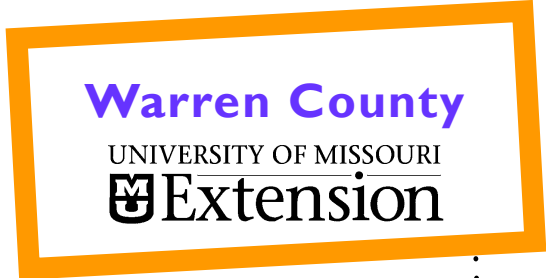
Ask a Master Gardener – On-line help desk

Residents of Warren County are encouraged to use the Master Gardener force to help them with their gardening questions. By going to the Warren County Extension website, residents can access a Master Gardener day or night for assistance with their gardening questions.



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Master Gardener Core Training Program

You must register by
January 21, 2011



You can become a Master Gardener

Individuals who enjoy gardening, learning and sharing their interests with others make successful candidates for becoming a Master Gardener.

By applying for the class, participants agree to attend 30 hours of training and give 30 hours of volunteer service in the year following the training. In subsequent years, a minimum of 20 volunteer hours and 6 educational hours are required to keep the Master Gardener Certification active.

The next Warren County Master Gardener Core Training will begin on February 2, 2011. Each class will be held on Wednesday nights beginning at 6:30 p.m. and continue through April 20th at the Extension Center located at 107 W. Walton in Warrenton.

Each class will provide high quality horticultural information and training that is based on University of Missouri research and is specific to the Warren County.



How To Join Us

To reserve your spot, send the completed registration form and entry fee by January 21st to:

**Warren County Extension Center
107 West Walton
Warrenton, MO 63383**

**For more information, please call
636-456-3444**

Classes will cover information on:

- Vegetable Gardening
- Fruit Production
- Annuals & Perennials
- Soils
- Plant Growth and Development
- Turf and Lawn Care
- Woody Ornamentals
- Plant Pathology
- Plant Propagation
- Insects in the Garden
- Landscaping



Registration Form

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____

EMAIL _____

Name for Nametag _____

Registration Fee

	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> Registration Fee One Adult (includes one manual)	\$125
<input type="checkbox"/> Registration Fee Per Couple (includes one manual)	\$179

**Make checks payable to:
Warren County
University Extension Council**



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