



Garden Symposium XXXVI

Gardening For Our Future – What We Grow Matters

Saturday, April 1, 2023

9:30am-3:30pm

Washington State Community College

710 Colegate Dr., Marietta

Presented by OSU Extension Master Gardener Volunteers

"In the past, we've asked one thing of our gardens: that they be pretty. Now they have to support food webs, sequester carbon, feed pollinators, and manage water. We have to find ways for Nature to thrive in human dominated landscapes." -Doug Tallamy

As home gardeners, it may seem that what we plant in our gardens doesn't really matter. However, when you choose the right plant, put it in the right place, and work with, not against, nature, you can transform your home landscape into an island of habitat for insects, birds, and other wildlife. You'll leave this program inspired, informed, and prepared to improve our world - one garden at a time.

PROGRAM

9:30 am	Registration/Refreshments
10 - 11:45	Feature Presentations
11:45 - 12:30 pm	Lunch
12:30 - 1:30	Breakout Session 1
1:30 - 2:30	Breakout Session 2
2:30 - 3:30	Wrap Up/Evaluation

SPEAKERS

- Brooke Decker, Pollinator Health Specialist and Vermont State Apiculturist,
- Rebecca Phillips, Fort Street Pollinator Habitat Coordinator
- Dawn Hewitt, Former Editor of Birdwatcher's Digest
- Ed Brown, OSU Extension Educator, Agriculture and Natural Resources
- Valerie Webster, Biology Instructor, WSCC and OSU Master Gardener Volunteer
- Cindy Brown, OSU Master Gardener Volunteer

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

- Gardening Is For the Birds
- Incorporating Native Plants Into Your Landscape
- Planting a Pollinator Paradise
- Gardening Organically
- Plant Propagation
- Plant This, Not That

Door Prizes: \$100 Greenleaf gift certificate, tools, and more.

Must be present to win.

\$40 registration fee includes lunch and handouts at breakout sessions



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LUNCH CHOICES (Please select one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Turkey and Provolone on Wheat Kaiser | <input type="checkbox"/> Roast Beef and Cheddar on White Kaiser |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ham and Swiss on Wheat Kaiser | <input type="checkbox"/> Large Tossed Salad with Cherry Tomatoes, Cucumber, and Green Pepper |

Name (s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Preferred Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Complete, Detach & Return with \$40 to: OSU Extension, Attention Peggy, 1115 Gilman Ave, Marietta, OH 45750. Make checks payable to OSU Extension. **Make reservations ASAP. Space is limited. Questions? Contact Peggy at 740-376-7431 or bolen.8@osu.edu.**

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