

12. "Basic Bonsai"

May 21 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Learn about the basic principles of bonsai. Mike will discuss plant selection, common tools and methods used to maintain, style, prune and wire bonsai plants.

Speaker: Mike Tsurutis, Golden Member of American Bonsai Society

13. "Diagnosing Common Garden Problems"

Jun. 4 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Wondering why your plants are turning brown, full of holes, not flowering or bearing fruit? In this session, we will look at examples of the most common gardening problems we face in the Atlanta area.

Speaker: Cyndi McGill, Master Gardener

14. "Common Pests of Landscape Plants"

July 11 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Tired of pests eating things in your landscape? Come learn how to identify and control them.

Speaker: Joelette Bembry, DeKalb Extension

15. "Tree Diagnostics"

Aug. 13 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Have a yard full of trees and want to know if they are healthy? This workshop will give you signs to look for and what to look out for to make sure your trees are thriving.

Speaker: Gary Peiffer, Retired Agent & Certified Arborist

16. "Building the Perfect Soil"

Aug. 15 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Plants depend on healthy soil. Come learn how to build healthy soil for healthy plants.

Speaker: Tony Gobert, Professor at Gwinnett Tech College

17. "Getting Your Lawn Ready for Winter"

Aug. 27 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Learn how to establish/maintain fescue, winterize warm season grasses, and how to treat for insects and disease within the lawn.

Speaker: Lynwood Blackmon, DeKalb Extension

18. "Garden Trends"

Sep. 12 (Thur.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Come and learn the cutting edge of what's hot and on trend in home and public gardens.

Speaker: Sarah Brodd, DeKalb Extension

19. "Workshop: Sensational Strawberries"

****This workshop is \$30 per person ***

Sep. 19 (Thurs.), 9:30 AM– 12:00 PM

Get a jump start on your strawberry patch and learn how to make jam with the future harvest. Participants will go home with their own strawberry plants and make jam to take with them.

Speaker: Sarah Brodd & Breeanna Williams, DeKalb Extension

20. "Small Trees for Small Landscapes"

Sep. 19 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Small spaces can provide big impact. Learn types of trees, and shrubs that will add pizzazz to small easy-to-ignore landscapes, as well as growing techniques. Also, provide ways to design a small space for beauty and function.

Speaker: Gary Peiffer, Retired Agent & Certified Arborist

21. "House Plants for Function & Color"

Oct. 15 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Living in a small space is not an excuse not to have plants. This class will discuss how to use and care for house plants that brighten indoor spaces.

Speaker: Yanni Chen, DeKalb Extension

****ATTENTION****

All training scheduled above will be located at our main office auditorium:

4380 Memorial Drive, Decatur, GA 30032

Please call 404-298-4080 to register in advance.

All classes are \$10 per person unless they are otherwise noted.

Take ANY TEN classes for \$80 w/advance payment.

****Backyard Berries and Care of Ornamental Plants**
Classes are **FREE** w/plants purchased from Plant Sale.



MAIL REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT TO:

DEKALB COUNTY EXTENSION/4-H
ATTN: Homeowners Series 2019
4380 MEMORIAL DR., STE. 200
DECATUR, GA 30032

NAME: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

COURSE(S) YOU WANT TO
ATTEND: _____

FORMS OF PAYMENT ACCEPTED:

In addition to Cash, Check, and Money Order, we
are accepting the following debit/credit cards:



1. "Controlling Weeds in the Landscape"
2. "Maintenance & Care of Backyard Berries"
3. "Native Plants of Georgia"
4. "Care of Ornamental Plants in the Landscape"
5. "Adding Color to Your Garden"
6. "Spring Vegetables & Herbs"
7. "Selecting and Maintaining the Right Lawn for your Landscape"
8. "Square Foot Gardening"
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1. "Controlling Weeds in the Landscape"

Feb. 7 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Learn the latest ways to identify and control weeds within your
landscape

Speaker: Lynwood Blackmon, DeKalb Extension

2. "Maintenance & Care of Backyard Berries"

****Class FREE if plants are purchased from Plant Sale***

Feb. 19 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Interested in an edible landscape? Berries are a great addition to
any backyard. Come hear about the different berries best for GA.

Speaker: Lynwood Blackmon & Sarah Brodd, DeKalb Extension

3. "Native Plants of Georgia"

Feb. 28 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Want to know what is native to Georgia? Come learn about native
plants and trees of Georgia.

Speaker: Joelette Bembry, DeKalb Extension

4. "Care of Ornamental Plants in the Landscape"

****Class FREE if plants are purchased from Plant Sale***

Mar. 4 (Mon.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Learn about the proper care for your ornamental trees and shrubs.

Also, plants that hold up well in our climate.

Speaker: Lynwood Blackmon, DeKalb Extension

5. "Adding Color to Your Garden"

Mar. 11 (Mon.), 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Bright colors are back! Learn how to plan, purchase and plant a
variety of annuals and perennials that will provide you with color
year-round.

Speaker: Dr. Raymond Kessler, Auburn Hort. Professor

6. "Spring Vegetables & Herbs"

Mar. 21 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Save money and live a healthier lifestyle by growing your own
vegetables & herbs. This program will give you the information and
tips you need to grow a thriving veggie garden.

Speaker: Sarah Brodd, DeKalb Extension

7. "Selecting and Maintaining the Right Lawn for Your
Landscape"

Mar. 26 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Learn how to have the best-looking grass in your neighborhood
by selecting the right turf care.

Speaker: Lynwood Blackmon, DeKalb Extension

8. "Square Foot Gardening"

Apr. 11 (Thurs.), 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Want to learn how to use a small amount of space to grow an
intensive vegetable garden? This is the class for you. Square
foot gardening takes 20% of the space, uses 80% less soil and
water, and 90% less work by planting 1-4-9 or 16 plants in one
square foot.

Speaker: Tielke Baker, Master Gardener

9. "Workshop: Hanging Baskets & Container Gardens"

****This workshop is \$25 per person ***

Apr. 16 (Tues.), 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

In this workshop, you will take home your own hanging basket or
container for a sunny or shady spot. Learn the tips of the trade
for full beautiful containers to last throughout the summer. ****Must
bring own container and choose which you prefer sun or shade.**

Speaker: Sarah Brodd, DeKalb Extension

10. "Herbalicious -Herb Garden"

Apr. 25 (Thurs.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Herbs are valued for their aesthetics, fragrance, medicinal, and
culinary properties. From this class, you will get practical tips
for selecting, growing, harvesting, using and sharing herbs.

Speaker: Yanni Chen, DeKalb Extension

11. "Vermicomposting"

May 7 (Tues.), 6:45 PM – 8:30 PM

Are you wondering what "Worm Farming" or vermicomposting is
about? If so, come learn how to start your own worm farm and
what it can be used for?

Speaker: Mary Jane Gonzales, Master Gardener