Weber Basin Water Conservancy District's
FREE LANDSCAPE CLASSES AND EVENTS
2014 SCHEDULE

Classes and Events are FREE to the public and are held at the Learning Garden in Layton; 2837 E. Highway 193. Call 801-771-4374 or visit www.weberbasin.com/conservation to reserve your seat and see additional details. Please join us for an exciting growing season.

2014 CLASSES AND EVENTS AT-A-GLANCE

March
8 Proper Pruning Practices (1pm)
12 Growing and Cooking with Herbs (6 pm)
19 Tomato and Pepper Basics (6pm)
29 Proper Pruning Practices (10 am)

April
2 Tasty Fruit From Your Own Trees (6 pm)
12 Grow Your Own Produce, Its Easy! (10 am)
16 Green, Lush, Healthy Lawns (6 pm)
26 The Secrets of Amazing Containers (10 am)
30 Irrigation Simplified (6 pm)

May
3 Planting, Transplanting and Dividing Plants (10 am)
14 Delicious Berries You can Grow (6 pm)
17 Attractive, Water-Wise Park Strips (10 am)
21 Colorful Perennials & Grass Accents (6 pm)
30 Irrigation Simplified (6 pm)

June
4 Simply Succulents (6 pm)
7 GARDEN FAIR (8 am-2 pm)
11 Design Basics for Every Gardener (6 pm)
28 Irrigation Simplified (10 am)

July
(No Classes) Happy Independence and Pioneer Days

Aug
23 Super Saturday (Do-It-Yourself)
   Arbors (9 am)
   Artificial Turf (10 am)
   Water Features (11 am)
27 Great Groundcovers for any location (6 pm)

Sept
13 Perennials You Want in Your Yard (10 am)
17 Planting, Transplanting and Dividing Plants (6 pm)
20 GARDEN FALL FESTIVAL (9 am-1 pm)

Please join us and visit www.weberbasin.com/conservation for more information about our programs and to sign up for classes.

Proper Pruning Practices
Saturday, March 8 (100 pm-2:30 pm)
Jayde Gunnell, USU Extension Agent
Saturday, March 29 (10:00 am - Noon)
Brittney Hunter, USU Extension Agent

Learn the basic techniques and guidelines for successful and proper pruning for all your trees and shrubs. Come prepared to be outside for part of this course. Other pruning classes are available through USU Extension. Call USU for details and locations:

Weber County: 801-399-8201
Davis County: 801-451-3403

Growing and Cooking with Herbs
Wednesday, March 12 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Katie Wagner, USU Extension Agent

Herbs are easy to grow and most are water-wise. If you love using fresh herbs in your cooking, come to this class and learn all about them and how to grow them.

Tomato and Pepper Basics
Wednesday, March 19 (6:00 pm-7:30 pm)
Doug Layne, Tomato Grower

You can be successful with tomatoes and peppers in your own garden. There are a few secrets you may want to try for large and tasty home grown tomatoes.

Tasty Fruit From Your Own Trees
Wednesday, April 2 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
David Rice, Weber Basin Water

If you have fruit trees or want to grow them, come and learn how to be successful growing large, flavorful fruit in your yard.

Grow Your Own Produce, Its Easy!
Saturday, April 12 (10:00 am-11:30 am)
Brittney Hunter, USU Extension Agent

Grow up the basics of vegetable gardening. The class will cover raised beds, traditional gardens and basic how-to information for successful gardening and delicious produce.

Plant some seeds at the class to get started!
The Learning Garden is open daily from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Free to the public. Visit www.weberbasin.com/conservation for details.

Green, Lush, Healthy Lawns.
Wednesday, April 16 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Eric Marble, Chanshore sod Farms

Proper care practices are needed for your lawn to maintain good color all summer while reducing the water demand. Fertilization, irrigation, aeration, mowing and all other basics will be covered.

The Secret of Amazing Container Plantings
Saturday, April 26 (10:00 am-11:30 am)
Della Barnet, Willard Bay Gardens

Discover the secrets of creating containers, planters and hanging baskets that will be beautiful all summer and be the envy of your neighbors.

Irrigation Simplified
Wednesday, April 30 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
David Rice, Weber Basin Water

This class is geared to all homeowners who want to learn how to design, install and maintain proper irrigation. This is a hands-on opportunity to handle drip and spray irrigation pieces and learn how to put them together properly.

Planting, Transplanting and Dividing Plants
Saturday May 3 (10:00 am-11:30 am)
Marcy Wood, Weber Basin Water

Put on your digging shoes and get ready to plant. Get your plants started off right by learning how to plant, transplant and divide your plants. Save money by sharing and trading plants with others. Trees, shrubs, perennials and grasses will be discussed.

Delicious Berries You Can Grow!
Wednesday, May 14 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Laura Wright, USU Graduate Student

Berries are delicious and good for you. This class is intended to provide you some basics to be successful at growing and enjoying a good harvest of berries from your garden.

Attractive, Water-Wise Park Strips
Saturday, May 17 (10:00 am-11:30 am)
David Rice, Weber Basin Water

Park-strips can be difficult areas to landscape and water efficiently. Come and learn different options to help you with this area of your yard.

Colorful Perennials & Grass Accents
Wednesday, May 21 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Becky Barnet, Willard Bay Gardens

Perennials can provide you a full season of color. Come and discover which perennials and the ornamental grasses can accent and enhance the color and design of your landscape.

Simply Succulents
Wednesday, June 4 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Cynthia Bee, Jordan Valley Water

Succulents can be used in many applications from water efficient landscapes to container plantings. Come and learn about these interesting wonderful plants and how to use them.

GARDEN FAIR June 7
Saturday 8:00 am-2:00 pm
(Details online)

Landscape Design Basics for Every Gardener
Wednesday, June 11 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Kathryn Brown, Gardener and Designer

Learn basic principles of landscape design intended to assist you in designing your own landscape for beauty, functionality and reduced water demand.

Irrigation Simplified
Saturday, June 28 (10:00 am-11:30 am)
David Rice, Weber Basin Water

This class is geared to all homeowners who want to learn how to design, install, maintain and schedule proper irrigation. This is a hands-on opportunity to handle drip and spray irrigation pieces and learn how to put them together properly.

Project Super Saturday (DIY items)
Saturday, August 23 (9:00 am-Noon)

9:00 am Arbor
10:00 am Artificial Grass & Putting Greens
11:00 am Water Features

Come to the Learning Garden and receive instruction on how to do several projects in your yard based on the look and feel you want and budget needs. Three classes of one hour each will be taught to show you how. If you aren't up to doing it yourself, come and make some contacts and have it done professionally.

*Prize Drawings and Great Information

Great Groundcovers For Any Location
Wednesday, August 27 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Susie Jones and Dani Wollschenegger, USU Extension

Numerous ground covers are available to meet varied landscape needs. Learn about the many different kinds of ground covers. Stepables to tall shade covers and those best for slopes or that hot sunny spot.

Perennials You Want for Your Yard.
Saturday, September 13 (10:00 am-11:30 am)
David Rice, Weber Basin Water

There are many amazing perennials that can provide you with color, texture, hardiness and overall quality for all season beauty. Come and learn about them.

Planting, Transplanting and Dividing Plants
Wednesday, Sept. 17 (6:00 pm -7:30 pm)
Marcy Wood, Weber Basin Water

Put on your digging shoes and get ready to plant. Get your plants started off right by learning how to plant, transplant and divide your plants. Save money by sharing and trading plants with others. Trees, shrubs, perennials and grasses discussed.

GARDEN FALL FESTIVAL Sept 20
Saturday 9:00 am-1:00 pm
(Details online)