

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service
Master Gardener Class #61
Day Class Schedule – Feb 22 – May 24, 2017

DATE	TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
Feb 22, 2017	11 – 12:00 12 – 12:30 12:30 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:15 - 3:00 3:00 - 3:30 3:30 – 3:40 3:40 - 4:00	Registration Intro & Welcome to Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Welcome from Bexar County Master Gardeners What do Bexar County Master Gardeners do? Break and Snacks Earth-Kind Environmental Stewardship Program Youth Garden Programs (Hands-on Activity) Welcome from County Extension Director Go Over Class Dates and Subject Matter, etc.	David Rodriguez, County Extension Agent – Horticulture Jack Downey, Pres of Bexar County Master Gardeners Lou Kellogg, Master Gardener Educational Director David Rodriguez Ruby Zavala, Youth Garden Coordinator Nelda L. Speller, County Extension Director David Rodriguez and Lou Kellogg
Mar 1, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 4:00	The Home Orchard: Fruit & Nuts - Break and Snacks Patio Citrus	Dr. Larry A. Stein, Professor & Extension Horticulturist, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Uvalde, TX
Mar 8, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 3:00 3:00 – 4:00	Home Vegetable Production - Break and Snacks Home Vegetable Production Con't Herbs	Dr. Jerry Parsons, Senior Horticulturist Don Crites, Bexar County Master Gardener Specialist
Mar 15, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 4:00	Home Composting & Their Uses: Benefits of Mulch - Break and Snacks Growing a Cut Flower Garden Attracting Hummingbirds to your Landscape	John Sells, Bexar County Master Gardener Specialist Dr. Calvin Finch, Senior Area Horticulturist
Mar 23, 2017 Thursday	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 3:00 3:00 – 4:00	Irrigation Efficiency Training - Break and Snacks Irrigation Efficiency Training Con't Water Conservation	Dr. Dotty Woodson, Extension Program Specialist-Water Resources, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Dallas, TX Anna Vogler, Bexar County Master Gardener Specialist and Educational Outreach/Water Conservation
Mar 29, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 4:00	Plant Diseases (Bring samples of plants w problems) - Break and Snacks Plant Disease Con't	Dr. Kimberly Cochran, Associate Professor & Extension Plant Pathologist, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Uvalde, TX
Apr 5, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 4:00	Building a Raised Bed - Break and Snacks Turfgrass 101	Nick & Liz Campanella, Uprooted Edible Garden Services David Rodriguez
Apr 13, 2017 Thursday	9:00 – 12:00	Field Trip: San Antonio Botanical Garden 555 Funston Place (Bring along sunglasses, sun hat, water, comfortable shoes, and, if you like, a camera)	Bob Brackman, Director Nedezhda Garza, Volunteer Coordinator
Apr 19, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 3:00 3:00 – 4:00	Environmental Horticulture Sciences - Break and Snacks Environmental Horticulture Sciences Con't San Antonio Water System (SAWS) Programs	Dr. Barron Rector, Associate Professor & Extension Range Specialist, Ecosystem Science & management, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, College Station, TX Mark Peterson, Conservation Project Coordinator, SAWS
Apr 26, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 4:00	Propagation - Break and Snacks Propagation Con't (Bring a clean, clear 2-liter bottle with cap, good cutting scissors & a large heavy-duty bag or box to carry any plants & supplies back home)	Lou Kellogg and Bexar County Master Gardeners Propagation Specialists
May 3, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 - 2:00 2:00 - 4:00	Knowing your Nursery Professionals 'The Fanick's Family Legacy' - Break and Snacks Rainwater Harvesting Building a Rain Barrel	Mark Fanick, Fanick's Garden Center Lou Kellogg, Bexar County Master Gardener Specialist Bryan Davis, Wilson County Extension Agent
May 10, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 3:00 3:00 – 4:00	Integrated Pest Management and Insects - Break and Snacks Insects & Pollinators - Con't Introduction to Specialist Training and Hotline	Molly Keck, Entomologist Specialist, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Lou Kellogg and Dewayne Nelson, Bexar County Master Gardener
May 17, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 4:00	Introduction to Oak Wilt and Other Tree Disease - Break and Snacks Proper Tree Selection, Planning & Maintenance	Mark Duff, Texas A&M Forest Service, San Antonio, TX Mark Kroeze, Texas A&M Forest Service, San Antonio, TX
May 24, 2017	12:00 – 1:30 1:30 – 2:00 2:00 – 3:30 3:30 – 4:00	Texas Superstar® Plants -Break and Snacks Interior Plants Graduation	Henry Brune, Bexar County Master Gardener Romell Henze, Magic Garden (Owner) and Bexar County Master Gardener David Rodriguez and Lou Kellogg