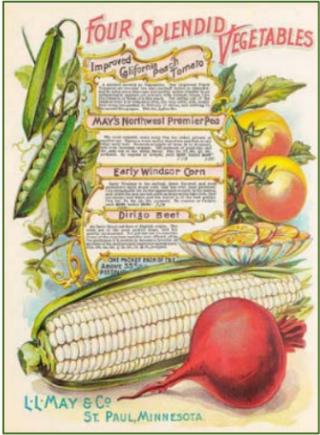


# Master Gardener Series 2017



## EASTON AREA PUBLIC LIBRARY

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These programs are scheduled for the third Thursday of each month from April through October. The Friends will provide light refreshments. For more information, call the Reference Desk at 610-258-2917 ext. 307.

**All programs start at 6:30 pm.**

**These events are free & open to the public.**

### April 20 - Small Space Vegetable Gardening - Lori Metz

Think you don't have enough room to grow your own vegetables? This program will help you discover places to grow edible plants and covers the basics of choosing plants, starting seeds, caring for and maintaining your edibles and more.

### May 18 - Container Gardening from A to Z - Linc Coffin

Container gardening is different, is fun and can be challenging. The only limitations to container gardening are the size of the container and your imagination. This is an alphabetical review of some of the things that make container gardening unique and rewarding.

### June 15 - Water Gardening Basics - Lori Metz

Where to site your water garden, ways to keep the water clear and your fish healthy. Types of pumps, filters, aquatic plants and fish for your water garden. How to clean and winterize your water garden.

### July 20 - English Cottage Gardens - Fred Buse

Tour the English countryside and view cottage-style gardens and historic structures in England, Wales and Scotland

### August 17 - Tracking Climate Change through Bloom Times, Birds, and Insects - Diane Husic

A discussion of using phenology in the garden to help us understand the impacts of climate change. The talk includes some history of phenology that includes records of Asian cherry trees going back 1,000 years, and historic records of gardeners in Europe, and folks like Jefferson, Thoreau, and Leopold. The audience will learn how to get involved in the Eastern Pennsylvania Phenology Project.

### September 21 - Fall Gardening Clean Up - Linc Coffin

A relaxed and friendly review of the many tasks involved in a fall garden clean up, or as some folks refer to it, putting the garden to bed for the winter. We will list tasks, ask why, then you can decide if you do and when. Bring a pencil and your fall thinking cap.

### October 19 - Plants of Murder and Mayhem - Lori Metz

Plants have been employed throughout history for both good and bad uses. Learn how some of the plants you may find growing in your gardens or nearby habitats have been used for nefarious deeds. You'll also learn about some common ornamental plants you may want to avoid if you have small children or pets in your backyard due to their toxic properties.