

Spring Into Gardening

Is your gardening space limited? Learn gardening tips from local experts if you don't have much green space to work with.

Saturday, February 2, 2013

9:30 am-12:15 pm

Main Library

Creative Container Gardening

Presented by Cathy Morgan, past president of the Gardeners of Greater Akron

9:30-10:15 am Main Library Meeting Room 2

Do you live in an apartment or condominium? Have you wanted a garden, but didn't have the space? Gardening may have been something that seemed out of reach, but with container gardening, you can be a gardening wiz in no time. Container gardening can produce vegetables that are just as easy to grow as in a garden and can fit on balconies, decks, stoops or concrete pads. Lifelong gardener, Cathy Morgan, will cover the beginning steps to building a container garden with minimal care and expense.

Gardening for Small Spaces

Presented by Ohio State University Extension-Summit County

10:30-11:15 am Main Library Meeting Room 2

Do you have a small plot of land you would like to garden with? You don't need a lot of space to achieve a high production vegetable garden. Learn how to maximize your growing space using intensive gardening techniques. Topics will include square foot gardening, raised bed gardening, vertical gardening, and succession plantings.

Akron Grows/Let's Grow Akron

Presented by the City of Akron's Akron Grows Community Garden Program and Let's Grow Akron

11:30 am-12:15 pm Main Library

Meeting Room 2

Plan your next garden with help from the City of Akron's Akron Grows community program and Let's Grow Akron, a non-profit organization. Representatives will be available to explain how each program works and participation requirements. Helping organizations and individuals create container, backyard, and community gardens, Let's Grow Akron offers guidance in establishing community gardens and beautification sites.

Please contact the Science & Technology at 330.643.9075 or stdiv@akronlibrary.org to reserve your space in any of these classes. All classes are free and open to the public. Interpretive services are available, please inquire in advance. Free parking is available on Saturdays in the High/Market Street Deck.

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