



# Join us for A Garden Affair!

**Saturday, February 22, 2014**  
**Main Library Meeting Room 2AB**

**The weather outside is frightful.**

**Escape from the cold as we offer a trio of programs to get you looking forward to spring and planning for the new garden season.**

## **1 pm: Get-Ready to Garden**

**Summit County Master Gardeners** will offer the first in a series of programs designed to help you "Get-Ready to Garden!" Gardening basics will be covered in this series including seed starting, variety selection, garden design, succession and companion planting, and soil building basics.

## **2 pm: Garden Trends**

Find out what's old, what's new, and what's tried and true.

**Mary Beth Breckenridge**, Home and Garden writer for the *Akron Beacon Journal*, will offer an overview of recent trends in garden design and care.

## **3 pm: Cooking with Fresh Vegetables**

**Sarah Mentzer**, Executive Chef, Home for Dinner Personal Chef Service

Join us as Certified Personal Chef Sarah teaches us how to best use fresh vegetables to make healthy, tasty meals. As a graduate of the University of Akron Culinary Arts program, Chef Sarah will inspire you with her creative and easy vegetarian meals. Learn tips and techniques to make the most of your garden.

Finally, don't forget to stop by our **Seed Sharing Library** to pick up some heirloom variety seeds to get you started.



**All programs are free and open to all. Free parking is available all day on Saturdays in the High Street parking deck adjacent to the Library.**

Please contact Science & Technology, at (330) 643-9075, to reserve your spot in any of these programs.

*Interpretive services are available.  
Please inquire.*



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