Master Gardener Plant Clinics
September 2013

No Clinic
Jimmie B. Keel Library

September 3, 2013
Wildflowers and Native Ferns
Austin Davis Library
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/adl/

This program on wildflowers and native plants is hands-on and very informative. Our speaker is very knowledgeable and grows so many of the natives in her own yard. Learn about the culture and how to propagate these wonderful plants.

September 3, 2013
What’s Behind Landscape Design
Riverview Library
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:45 PM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/riv/

This talk presents elements, principles and processes behind creating visually pleasing and functional residential landscape designs. However, the concepts described here are applicable to any scale and any type of landscape.

September 4, 2013
Wildflowers and Native Plants
Bloomingdale Regional Library
Wednesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/bdl/

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September 4, 2013  
9 Steps to a Florida Yard  
SouthShore Library  
Wednesdays, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM  
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/sho/  
Detailed coverage of the nine principles of a Florida yard and ways residents can implement these principles in their home landscape.

September 9, 2013  
Cold Hardy Plants/Winter Warriors  
Bruton Library  
Mondays, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM  
Cold-Hardy Champions for Zone 9 Gardeners- Learn about the USDA Plant Hardiness Zone Map, how it is developed and revised, and why it is important for garden plant selection. This talk will discuss the benefits of using cold-hardy plants while highlighting some of the most cold-hardy choices for our area.

September 9, 2013  
Wildflowers  
Lutz Library  
Mondays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM  
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/lut/  
This program on wildflowers and native plants is hands-on and very informative. Our speaker is very knowledgeable and grows so many of the natives in her own yard. Learn about the culture and how to propagate these wonderful plants.

September 10, 2013  
Rain Barrels  
New Tampa Library  
Tuesdays, 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM  
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/ntr/  
Rain barrels have many benefits and ways in which they can be used around the home and landscape. This workshop includes a hands-on demonstration whereby participants learn how to assemble their own barrels. Participants will receive a certificate for one free rain barrel (per household). Fee for out-of-county residents.
September 10, 2013
Compost and Organic Vegetable Gardening
Seffner-Mango Library
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/smb/
This talk focuses on how to make compost and how to grow vegetables organically in the compost.

September 11, 2013
Daylilies
Upper Tampa Bay Library
Wednesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/utb/
The daylily talk covers a bit of history, varieties, and propagation of daylilies.

Sept 12, 2013
What's Behind Landscape Design
Jan Platt Library
Thursdays, 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/jpl/
This talk presents elements, principles and the process behind creating visually pleasing and functional residential landscape designs. The concepts described here are applicable to any scale or type of landscape.

September 12, 2013
Begonias
Town and Country Library
Thursdays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/tnc/
Learn about the many different varieties of begonias and how to use them in your yard. Discover the history of this wonderful plant and propagating strategies, so you will be able to have many more in your garden.

Sept 17, 2013
Terrariums
Charles Fendig Library
Tuesdays, 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/fen/
Learn about nature in a whole new way! During this hands-on presentation, you will learn how to create your own unique indoor garden. We will discuss container and plant selection, care and maintenance, and personalizing your terrarium. A suggested plant list and handouts are provided.
September 17, 2013  
Herbs and Spices  
Temple Terrace Library  
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM  

This program focuses on well-known herbs and their uses as well as the history of many of our favorite spices and the possibilities of growing them here. There is also a section on some native counter-parts to some of the herbs and spices.

Sept 24, 2013  
Bromeliads  
North Tampa Library  
Tuesdays, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM  
http://www.hcplc.org/hcplc/locations/nta/

This talk on bromeliads includes a hands-on presentation of several different types of bromeliads and where they grow.