Master Gardeners are trained volunteers with a commitment to Helping Others Learn to Grow. The Speakers Bureau offers Master Gardeners to present to your group or organization in person or online. Master Gardeners present on many gardening topics with an emphasis on sustainable practices and science-based information.

Virtual presentations are now being offered!

To request a Master Gardener to speak at your next event, fill out the form found on our website under the "Community/Education" tab.

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The Master Gardener Association of Cape Cod has a nominal fee of \$75 for speakers bureau engagements.



ASK A MASTER GARDENER

An integral part of the Master Gardener program is community outreach. You can find us throughout the year at various events, such as farmer's markets, where we share our horticultural knowledge.

Keep an eye out for the Master Gardener's information table, where we answer walk-up gardening questions and have handouts available on various topics. Please stop by to chat! Check our website to see where we'll be next.

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TOPICS BY SEASON

Spring

- Plant Selection
- · Preparing Your Garden
- Pruning
- · Seed Starting
- · Soil Preparation
- Spring Gardening
- · Vegetable Garden Design

Summer

- Mulching
- Vegetable Gardening
- Watering

Fall

- Cover Crops
- Gardening for Fall Color
- Growing Garlic & Winter Crops
- Planting Bulbs
- · Putting Your Garden to Bed

Winter

- Extending Seasons of Color
- Pruning
- Soil Preparation



TIMELESS TOPICS

Cape Cod Local

- Invasive Plants
- · Native Plants of Cape Cod
- Naturalizing Your Garden with Natives

Birds, Bees, Butterflies & Pollinators

- · Attracting Birds to Your Garden
- Companion & Pollinator Planting for Fruits & Vegetables
- · Gardening for Pollinators

Food

- · Growing, Drying & Using Herbs
- · Growing Edibles in Containers
- Growing Tomatoes & Squash
- Herbs
- · Raising Berries
- · Vegetable Gardening
- · Year-round Vegetable Gardening

General & Lifelong

- Color All Year: Multihued Landscape Plants
- Container Gardening
- Community Gardens
- · Gardening on a Budget
- Lifelong Gardening
- Gardening for Seniors
- Keeping Garden Records, Notes & Journals
- · Lasagna Gardening
- Pruning
- Raised Beds
- Vertical Gardens



TIMELESS TOPICS

Organic & Sustainable Gardening

- · Companion Planting
- Meadow Lawns
- Organic Gardening

Ornamentals

- Annuals
- Color All Year
- Fragrant Garden
- Hydrangeas
- Ornamental Grasses
- Perennials
- Roses
- Succulents
- Trees & Shrubs

Soil Health

- · Bokashi Composting
- Composting
- Dirt 101
- · Geologic History of Cape Cod & Our Soils
- · Soil Amendments
- · Soil Testing

Water

- · Building Water Features
- Drip Irrigation for the Home Gardener
- Sun, Soil & Water
- Use Less Water

