

REGISTRATION FORM

ONLINE OR MAIL-IN DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 23, 2016

(After the 23rd., Add \$5.00)

NO REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED AT DOOR

8:00- 8:15 am Registration & Continental Breakfast

We serve an assortment of muffins, breads, hot coffee & tea. Please enjoy these in the classrooms. Refreshments are not permitted in the auditorium. Thank you.

Name: _____

E-mail: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Check one: Gardening Public

Master Gardener from _____ County

Symposium \$25.00 \$ _____

Late Fee \$5.00 \$ _____ (add per person after Sept 23)

Total Enclosed \$ _____ (copy both sides for your records)

Make check payable to: Master Gardeners of Stark County

Register online at www.osustarkmg.org

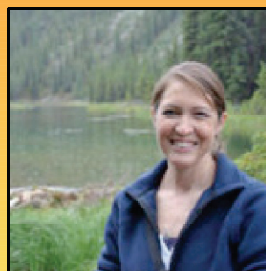
or Mail this form with \$25.00 payment to: Donna Modranski
3966 Shepler Church Rd. SW
Canton, OH 44706

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

MARNE TICHENELL

THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE HUNGRY: Controlling Nuisance Wildlife in the Home Landscape

Learn how to deal with wildlife conflict. Learn tools to manage and live with deer, geese, rabbits, skunks, bats, moles, voles, raccoons, woodchucks, and urban coyotes.



Marne Tichenell received her B.S. and M.S. in wildlife management and forestry from The Ohio State University. Her graduate research was on bat population response to harvesting in southern Ohio forest ecosystems.

She has gained experience working as a biological and wildlife technician for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and USDA Forest Service, as well as a naturalist for the Columbus and Franklin County Metro Parks, where she developed a passion for environmental education.

In late 2007, Mame accepted her current position as Wildlife Program Specialist, with the OSU Extension Program. She works to provide a variety of educational programs, workshops, conferences, and publications centered on wildlife ecology and biology, habitat management for wildlife, and managing nuisance wildlife species.

DEMONSTRATIONS

Soaker Hose DIY Create a Living Wreath

JOHN NIEBEL

RITA MULLET



Winter Containers

TRUDY HOOVER



ALSO INCLUDED

• Grand Prize & Raffle Baskets

• Breakfast & Snacks



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STARK COUNTY

Master Gardener

VOLUNTEERS

Saturday October 1, 2016

8:00 A.M. - 1:30 P.M.

(doors open at 8:00 a.m.)

R.G. Drage Career Center

2800 RICHVILLE DR SE, MASSILLON, OH 44646

Register online at
www.osustarkmg.org

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FEATURED SPEAKERS

MUMS THE WORD - Bill Aulenbach

Bill will discuss the design, variety selection, and growing of 12,000 plants grown each year for the Mum Fest. He will touch on the hardiness, how to grow, care for and overwinter garden mums. An FAQ will follow.



Bill Aulenbach is a native of Pennsylvania and a graduate of Penn State with a degree in Horticulture.

After completing his service obligation, he joined Yoder Brothers (now Aris Horticultural Services) in 1956, and retired in 2016.

During that time he worked in production, breeding and development, technical customer service, products management and marketing, and most recently as a technical consultant.

Bill was one of the founders of the Barberton Mum Fest, which is now in its 26th year.

Along with others, he creates the annual design each year, selects the varieties, and determines the growing protocol of over 20,000 mums.

BONSAI 101 - Ken Huth

Ken will have a mature Bonsai specimen and show some brief maintenance on them and create one or more Bonsai from scratch from normal stock. He will show cutting, shaping and also how to pot them and discuss the soils and care.



Ken has been an avid gardener for more than 40 years! He discovered Bonsai almost 30 years ago and has never looked back.

He has traveled to Japan to study and learn the art of Bonsai. Ken attends, displays and teaches at Regional and National Bonsai Shows. He has taught hundreds of students introducing them to Bonsai. He is very active in the Bonsai community, traveling and promoting the art across the country.

He owns a small Bonsai nursery in North Canton and hopes to open to the public in the near future.

SOAKER HOSE DIY - John Niebel

John will teach you the secrets to easily and inexpensively install your own drip irrigation system creating a perfectly watered environment. John will have on hand all of the components necessary to get going and will help with a "hands-on" display. A beginner gardener can irrigate up to 30 pots, hanging baskets and planters for less than \$100 and have it done in just a few hours.



John Niebel, a lifetime gardener, became a Master Gardener in 2015. As a realtor with Niebel Realty in Jackson Township since 1968 he understands the importance of good landscaping in defining the value of real estate.

A lifelong resident of Stark County, he has made gardening a full time retirement "job". He has diligently studied and learned various areas of gardening. He is well versed in raised bed gardens, working with kids in community gardens and at the top of the list are home drip irrigation systems for patio, deck and gardens.

WINTER CONTAINERS

Trudy Hoover

Trudy will demonstrate how you can have interest in your container gardens all year long. She will place emphasis on winter interest using greens, twigs and berries in containers.

Trudy has been interested in gardening most of her adult life. Her mother was an avid rose gardener. Gardening is in her blood and is a great love. She feels it is such a calming hobby. She became really involved in gardening after her youngest daughter left for college. It helped to fill the void of the empty nest. Shade and container gardening are her favorites.



Trudy became a Master Gardener in 2005. She enjoys sharing her knowledge of container gardening by giving informational talks on this subject around the Stark County area.

Trudy is retired from the American Heart Association where she had worked for 15 years.

DEMONSTRATIONS

CREATE A LIVING WREATH

Rita Mullet

Rita will demonstrate how to create a 'Living Wreath' to enjoy for years to come.

Rita's passion and specialty is Hosta but she loves growing many different shade plants such as hydrangea, astilbe and gingers as well as sun-loving daylilies and grasses. She has started to include native Ohio plants in her landscape, pollinator plants, and bee hives.



Rita and her husband own two and a half acres and garden one and a half acres of it in planted beds.

A born educator, Rita completed the Master Gardener Program in 2006 and is retired from the Sandy Valley Local Schools. As a member of the MG speaker's bureau, Rita gives presentations on shade and sun plants, container gardens, fairy gardens and also living wreaths as well as garden tours at her home.

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We have it all...
garden art, pots, gardening books...
and much more.

And this year we have added
holiday decorations!

