

## Directions

**From Route 84:** Exit 3 West onto 17M, at 2nd traffic light make left onto County Route 78 (Wiedy's Furniture is on the corner). Stay on County Route 78 through 2 lights to entrance to Community Campus on the right.

\*Make right onto campus at Egerton Ave., left onto Dorothea Dix Drive, then first right onto Ashley Avenue. Follow road until it comes to a "T" - make left onto Seward Avenue. Drive approximately 500 ft. and turn left into parking lot for 18 Seward Ave. (You will see Cornell Cooperative Extension Orange County listed on the sign. Enter through front door; use elevator or stairs to our offices on the third floor.)

**From Route 17W:** Exit 123 onto 17M for 5.7 miles, left onto County Route 78 (the former Wiedy's Furniture is on the corner). Stay on County Route 78 through 2 lights to entrance to Community Campus on the right. \*See above.

**From Route 17E:** Exit 120 to Route 211 West. Go 2.9 miles and turn right onto Monhagen Avenue. Follow directions from Route 211 (see below).

**From Route 211 West:** Turn right at light onto Monhagen Avenue (continuation of Route 211 West). Make 3rd left-hand turn onto Community Campus (Gino's Deli is on the right). Bear right onto Seward Avenue and make immediate right turn into parking lot for 18 Seward Ave. (You will see Cornell Cooperative Extension Orange County listed on the sign. Enter through front door; use elevator or stairs to our offices on the third floor.)

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# 11 Great Gardening Programs this year!



JANUARY:  
*Gardening on the Rocks*

FEBRUARY:  
*Composting*

MARCH:  
*Soil*

APRIL:  
*Pruning*

MAY:  
*Container Gardening*

JUNE:  
*Using Tropicals for Structure and Pizzazz*

JULY:  
*Invasive Plants*

AUGUST:  
*A Flower Arranger's Garden*

SEPTEMBER:  
*Infusing with Herbs*

OCTOBER :  
*Perennials*

NOVEMBER:  
*Gardener's Grab Bag*



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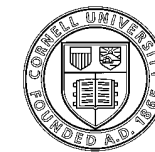
## A Gathering of Gardeners

**A Year of Monthly Gardening Programs!**

**Every Month From 7-9 PM**

Hosted by the  
Master Gardeners of  
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## A Gathering of Gardeners

\$10 person per class / \$9 person for Gardening in Orange County subscribers

Please check Gatherings you want to attend:

\_\_\_ Jan. \_\_\_ Mar. \_\_\_ May \_\_\_ Jul. \_\_\_ Sep. \_\_\_ Nov.  
\_\_\_ Feb. \_\_\_ Apr. \_\_\_ Jun \_\_\_ Aug. \_\_\_ Oct.

Cost for the entire series \$100 per person,

\$90 per person for Gardening in Orange County subscribers.

\_\_\_ Classes at \$ \_\_\_ per class = \$ \_\_\_

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Attn: Gathering of Gardeners

# A Gathering of Gardeners

Hosted by the Master Gardeners of Cornell  
Cooperative Extension Orange County

**From 7:00 - 9:00 PM**  
**at Cornell Cooperative Extension Orange County**  
**Community Campus, 18 Seward Ave., Third Floor, Middletown, NY 10940**

JANUARY 20, 2009

### ***Gardening on the Rocks***

Are you constantly unearthing rocks in your yard? This presentation will highlight ideas for creatively using rocks in the garden including the basics for building stone walls. (Second floor conference room)

FEBRUARY 17, 2009

### ***Composting***

Everyone can compost. Learn how to reduce waste while building the health of your soil. Explore the numerous techniques and options for creating your homegrown "black gold." (Second floor conference room)

MARCH 17, 2009

### ***Soil***

Learn to identify your soil type and test your soils pH. This class will demystify your soil analysis report. Learn how to use this information to correctly amend your soil for the appropriate garden use. Bring in a sample of your soil.

APRIL 21, 2009

### ***Pruning***

Do you want to prune your plants but don't know where to begin? Learn the basics for proper pruning techniques of different types of plants. Tool selection will also be discussed.

MAY 19, 2009

### ***Container Gardening***

Be inspired by beautiful slides of various plant combinations. Learn how to choose and combine plants for different conditions. A demonstration will feature creative ways to incorporate new and unusual plants with some of your old favorites.

JUNE 16, 2009

### ***Using Tropicals for Structure and Pizzazz***

Learn to utilize exotic tropical plants in your landscape to give it the extra zing your friends will envy. They're not just houseplants anymore.

JULY 21, 2009

### ***Invasive Plants***

Invasive non-native plants are a threat to our ecology, by overtaking native plants and causing destruction of our wildlife habitats. Learn which plants are considered invasive and why.

AUGUST 18, 2009

### ***A Flower Arranger's Garden***

Learn how to plan a garden full of flowers suitable for cutting and arranging. Learn the principles of floral design and how to create a vase arrangement fresh from your garden. Proper techniques for conditioning flowers for optimum vase life will be discussed. Bring in flowers from your yard to create an arrangement.

## A Year of Monthly Gardening Gatherings!

❖ 11 Great Topics

❖ Attend as many as you like  
❖ Only \$10/person per class  
(Only \$9/person per class for Gardening in Orange County subscribers)\*

Walk-ins are welcome!

SEPTEMBER 15, 2009

### ***Infusing with Herbs***

Discover culinary uses of herbs. Learn to put your herbs to use.

OCTOBER 20, 2009

### ***Perennials***

This class is an overview of perennial considerations. Learn how to plan for and choose the right perennials for your garden.

NOVEMBER 17, 2009

### ***Gardener's Grab Bag***

This is a mix of short gardening topics. Master Gardeners will share some of their favorite holiday themed ideas. (Second floor conference room)

\* Cost for the entire series is \$100 per person; \$90 per person for Gardening in Orange County subscribers.

**Topics are subject to change.**  
**Call 845-343-0664 or**  
**e-mail [mgghelp@cornell.edu](mailto:mgghelp@cornell.edu)**  
**for more information.**