



Master Gardener

## MGACRA Educational Program Schedule for 2024

### General Education Programs are 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday Programs are FREE and open to the Public

Theaters	Time	Kind	Location	Speakers	Topic
January 17	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Room 1	Laura Westermeier	Mosses and Ferns
January 27	9:30-1:00	4 <sup>th</sup> Annual Seed Swap	Rowser Building	Dr. Laura Mentore Bicknell Robbins	Companion Planting With Herbs Pruning for A Healthy Landscape
February 21	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Room 1	Don Peschka	Understanding Weeds
March 20	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Room 1	Ajoy Muralidhar	Container Waterlilies
April 13	8:30 am – 3:30 p.m.	Symposium MGACRA \$75 Others \$85 <i>Registration closes March 24</i>	Gari Melchers Home & Studio❖	Bryce Lane Jenny Rose Carey Dr. Leonard Githinji	Sustainable Gardening: Growing a Greener Future
April 17	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Theater	Pam Camblin, Jere Mollen, Nancy Hoover	Straw Bale Gardening
May 15	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Theater	Mike DiSalvo	Hugh Mercer Apothecary Garden
June 12 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Room 1	Jansen Gedwed	Hydroponics
July 17	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Theater	Ray Mukula	Plant Communication
August 21	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	ZOOM ONLY	Elaine Mills	Landscaping
Sept. 18	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Theater	Joe Mathias	Winter Care for Roses
October 16	1:00 p.m.	Education Program	CRRL* Theater	Scholarship Recipient	TBD
November 20	1:00 pm	Annual Meeting	CRRL* Theater	MGACRA	Elections & Trainings

# Rowser Building - 1739 Jefferson Davis Hwy, Stafford, VA 22554

❖Gari Melchers Home & Studio, Belmont, 224  
Washington Street, Falmouth, VA

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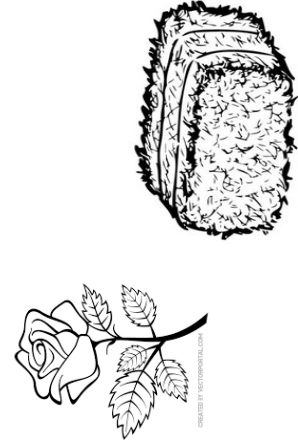
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## FREE and Open to the Public

Come learn about weeds, lawns,  
straw bale gardening, poppies,  
hydroponics, plant  
communication, landscaping,  
landscaping and care for roses



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