

Fee:

- **Master Gardener Volunteer - \$220.00** (with volunteer service)**
- **Commercial - class only (no volunteer service)- \$450.00** (limit: 2 applicants)

The fee listed above is non-refundable after you are accepted into the class.

DEADLINE: December 19, 2016

Fee covers - textbook, speaker's travel expenses, handouts, and other class-related expenses.

- **Class space is only reserved once fee is paid.**

**There are two partial scholarships sponsored by LCMGA for someone showing financial hardship to enroll in the Master Gardener™ Program. Please write an application letter addressed to Liz Olsen, Master Gardener™ Program Coordinator, stating why you would want to be considered and the hardship conditions. All recipients of a scholarship are required to complete all requirements for the program.

Weekly Classroom Topics may include:

(subject to change)



Vegetable Gardening
Organic Gardening
Plant Propagation/Seed Starting
Soils and Soil Health
Insects -Problems & Beneficials
Plant Problem Diagnosis
Integrated Pest Management
Basic Botany
Pesticide Use and Safety
Tree Fruits and Berries
Pruning
Plant Diseases
Natives and Conifer I.D.
Pollinators



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Accommodation requests related to a disability to the DAS Coordinator at 541-737-4098 or disability.services@oregonstate.edu at least two weeks prior to first class.

OSU Extension Office - Lincoln County 541-574-6534



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Thank you for the interest you have
expressed in being part of the
Oregon State University Extension Service
2017 Master Gardener™ Program.

Orientation (required):

Will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 2017
at OCCC Community Room, 9:00 a.m.

It is very important to attend this **required** orientation.

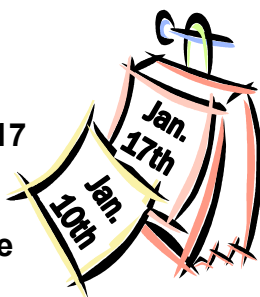
PLACE: Orientation is held at the Oregon Coast
Community College Central Coast Campus—400 SE
College Way in South Beach. (see directions below)

- ◆ **Directions from East - Hwy. 20**—As you enter Newport, proceed to the first light, preparing for a left turn at the light. This is the intersection of Hwy. 20 and Hwy. 101. Proceed approximately 1.5 miles, crossing the Yaquina Bay Bridge and continuing south to 40th Street. Turn left at 40th Street (turning lane). Proceed up the hill approximately one mile. Turn right into Oregon Coast Community College. Parking in the college parking lot is free.
- ◆ **Directions from North - Hwy. 101**—As you enter Newport, proceed to the intersection of Hwy. 20 and Hwy. 101. Continue through the intersection for approximately 1.5 miles, crossing the Yaquina Bay Bridge and continuing south to 40th Street. Turn left at 40th Street (turning lane). Proceed up the hill approximately one mile. Turn right into Oregon Coast Community College. Parking in the college parking lot is free.
- ◆ **Directions from South - Hwy. 101**—Turn right at 40th Street in South Beach. Proceed up the hill approximately one mile. Turn right into Oregon Coast Community College. Parking in the college parking lot is free.

Class Information:

Day: Tuesdays beginning
January 10 through March 28, 2017

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at the
Oregon Coast Community College
400 SE College Way
South Beach, OR 97366



Earning your Master Gardener™ Badge

After completing all classes and final exam, each Master Gardener Apprentice spends a minimum of **60 hours** learning by experience in the community.

- **30 hours** in the OSU Extension Plant Clinic Help Desk answering community garden-related questions. Traditionally, office hours are 9:00 a.m.-12 noon on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. **[SEE MG REQUIREMENTS on page 2 of MG APPLICATION]**
- **30 hours** outside the OSU Extension Office participating in designated projects and events in and around the community. **[SEE MG REQUIREMENTS on page 2 of Master Gardener APPLICATION]**
- These hours are a valuable component of the Master Gardener Program™ and are a necessary time commitment. The community depends upon the “volunteers” in the office to answer questions and learn more about their gardens. You, the volunteer, continue to learn outside the classroom, gaining experience and training. When you decide to apply for the program, please take these additional hours into consideration. You will not have Master Gardener status until these hours are completed.

Enrollment

Class size is very limited, so register early to be accepted.

Students for the class are accepted
on a **first come, first served basis.**



Registration available online, visit
http://extension.oregonstate.edu/lincoln/master_gardeners

APPLICATION & PAYMENT deadline:
Monday, December 19, 2016

The cost of the Master Gardener Class is \$220.00 with volunteer service commitment. **Please contact OSU Extension Lincoln County at 541-574-6534** now to enroll for 2017.