

# Free Waterwise Landscape Classes

# 2010 SCHEDULE

### **Tree Care & Pruning Workshop**

Saturday, March 20 10 a.m.

Kathryn Brown, Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District

Learn basic tree care and pruning principles from the Garden's lead horticulturist. Pruning techniques will be demonstrated. Come with questions about your own trees.

### Reduce, Replant, Relax: Redesigning Landscapes to be Waterwise

Saturday, March 27 10 a.m.

Rick Laughlin, APLD, Laughlin Design Associates

Why settle for landscapes that consume too much water, fertilizer, and time? Learn how to redesign your landscape using less lawn while still being the envy of the neighborhood.

### **Simply Waterwise**

Tuesday, April 20 7 p.m.

Ann Scott and Julie Myers, Salt Lake County Master Gardeners

Saving water in your yard doesn't have to be complicated. We can show you how to make it simple yet effective.

# **Easy Designs for Problematic Parkstrips**

Thursday, April 22 7 p.m.

Megan Ranstrom, Central Utah Water Conservancy District

Narrow, hot, and dry, parkstrips can be difficult areas to landscape. Learn how to design parkstrips that take less water and look beautiful.

# SUPER SATURDAY, May 1 Plant Clinic

Saturday, May 1 8 a.m. to noon

Conservation Garden Park Staff

Don't know what's bugging your yard? Bring in pictures or samples of your plant problems to receive a free diagnosis.

### **Drip Irrigation Basics**

Saturday, May 1 9 a.m.

Kelly Keicher, Netafim USA

Drip irrigation saves water but can be confusing to design and install. Learn about different drip systems and the best ways to design and install them.

#### **Waterwise Plants for Utah**

Saturday, May 1 10:30 a.m.

Rick Laughlin, APLD, Laughlin Design Associates

Many beautiful plants not only thrive in Utah but require little or no additional water. Learn about these plants and how to use them in your landscape.

### Spring Photography in the Garden

Saturday, May 15 10 a.m.

*Joey & Jarum Foote, Footeprints Photography* 

Develop your skills as a photographer with Joey and Jarum Foote. Learn photography techniques that will enhance the quality of your photographs. Open to all levels of experience and any type of camera (bring your own).

### **Creative Landscape Design**

Tuesday, May 18 7 p.m.

Ann Scott and Julie Myers, Salt Lake County Master Gardeners

Get the most out of your design. Learn to use color, shape, scale and other artistic principles to create beautiful outdoor spaces.

### **Vegetable Gardening**

Saturday, May 22 10 a.m.

David Rice, Weber Basin Water Conservancy District

You can't buy fresher, tastier vegetables than those grown in your own backyard. Learn the best methods for growing vegetables in Utah's climate.

### **Do It Yourself: Plant Pressing**

Thursday, June 3 7 p.m.

Lisa Harris, Master Gardener

Do you have a pressing desire to be creative? Come learn how to prepare and use plants in your craft projects. A craft project will be provided in the class. Class is free of charge, but space is limited, so register early.

# **SUPER SATURDAY, June 12 Plant Clinic**

Saturday, June 12 8 a.m. to noon

Conservation Garden Park Staff

Don't know what's bugging your yard? Bring in pictures or samples of your plant problems to receive a free diagnosis.

# Save Money with Smart Controllers

Saturday, June 12 9 a.m.

Ed Mathieu, Water Logic Technologies

Imagine not having to worry if your lawn was getting enough water. New irrigation timers can control the amount of water your lawn gets, keeping it green without wasting water. Learn about types of smart controllers, where to get them, and how to find rebates.

### **Barney's Perennial Picks**

Saturday, June 12 10:30 a.m.

Barney Barnett, Willard Bay Gardens

Learn from an expert about colorful and hardy Utah-friendly perennials and how to care for them.

## Larry Sagers' Favorite Waterwise Plants

Saturday, June 12 12:30 p.m.

Larry Sagers, KSL Greenhouse Show

Find out from Larry Sagers, host of KSL's "Greenhouse Show," which waterwise plants he prefers for Utah and how to care for them

### Summer Photography in the Garden

Thursday, June 24 7 p.m.

*Joey & Jarum Foote, Footeprints Photography* 

Develop your skills as a photographer with Joey and Jarum Foote. Learn photography techniques that will enhance the quality of your photographs. Open to all levels of experience and any type of camera (bring your own).

#### Weeds of the Wasatch

Saturday, June 26 10 a.m.

Clifton Smith, Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District

Are weeds in charge of your landscape? Learn about the weeds common to the Wasatch Front and how to get the upper hand.

### Do it Yourself: Plant Pressing

Saturday, July 17 10 a.m.

Lisa Harris, Master Gardener

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## **Creating a Waterwise Landscape**

Saturday, August 21 10 a.m.

Larry Rupp, Utah State University

Learn the basic principles of waterwise landscaping. Whether you are just starting out or redesigning an existing yard, what you learn here will save you time, energy, and water.

### Learn with "Joy in the Garden"

Thursday, September 9 6 p.m.

Joy Bossi, KNRS "Joy in the Garden"

Joy Bossi, radio host and garden consultant, will tour the Garden Park, providing excellent landscaping insights and ideas. Come with questions and walking shoes.

# SUPER SATURDAY, Sept 18 Plant Clinic

Saturday, September 18 8 a.m. – noon

Conservation Garden Park Staff

Don't know what's bugging your yard? Bring in pictures or samples of your plant problems to receive a free diagnosis.

#### Go Native!

Saturday, September 18 9 a.m.

Michelle Cook, Red Butte Gardens

Utah-native plants require less water and maintenance and are adapted to our environment. Learn how to use their beauty in your landscape.

# **Basic Waterwise Landscape Design**

Saturday, September 18 10:30 a.m.

Cynthia Bee, Solscapes

Successful waterwise landscapes begin on paper. Find out how to develop your landscape plan to ensure maximum beauty with minimum water.

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# SPECIAL EVENTS

### **Super Saturdays**

Saturdays, May 1, June 12 & Sept 18 8 am – noon

Super Saturdays are mornings filled with classes and oneon-one instruction in waterwise landscaping. Don't miss the opportunity to hear from experts on how to get the most out of your landscape. Admission and parking are free.

### **Mother's Day Garden Fair**

Saturday, May 8 9 am – 5 pm

Join us for our annual Mother's Day Garden Fair. There will be plant and garden-ware vendors, experts, workshops and mini-classes throughout the day. This is also an excellent opportunity to get that last-minute gift for mom! Admission and parking are free.

### Third Annual Utah Green Festival

Saturday, September 11 9 am – 5 pm

Reducing your carbon footprint can be as simple as selecting the right home appliances, flipping off the light switch, and implementing water-wise practices. Join us for a day full of informational classes, experts and vendors experienced in conserving energy, water and other natural resources, and learn what you can do to reduce your impact on the environment. Admission and parking are free.



### WATER CHECKS:

### A GREAT WAY TO SAVE SOME GREEN

If you're wondering how to save money on your water bill, call and schedule a FREE Water Check today. You'll get information on how well your sprinklers distribute water, your soil type, and all kinds of other useful tips, including a customized water schedule. Call 1-877-728-3420

Because after all, saving water saves green, too.



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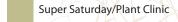
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