Want to Become a Master Gardener Volunteer?

- Classes will be held each in February and March 2021 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the OSU Extension Office 7868 CR 140 Findlay, OH. First come availability.
- Class (see topics below) includes an extensive training manual and experienced educators on the various horticultural topics.
- Understand that this is a volunteer opportunity with The Ohio State University to educate others about horticulture in the community. You must be willing to contribute 50 hours of time your first year and 30 hours thereafter to remain active.
- Must pass a BCI background check.

The Hancock County Master Gardener program is open to Hancock County residents who have interest in gardening and are willing to educate others. Trainees receive 50 hours of training in horticultural topics. Training topics include: botany, plant nomenclature, understanding soils and fertilizer, plant pathology, entomology, integrated pest management, pesticide safety, growing vegetables and fruits, woody and herbaceous ornamentals, home lawn management, plant diagnostics.

How do I know if I'd make a good Master Gardener Volunteer?

- You want to learn more about plants and gardening.
- You are eager to participate in a practical and intensive training program.
- You enjoy sharing your knowledge with others.
- You have the time to attend training
- You have time to serve your community as a volunteer educator.

You may contact the Ohio State Extension Office by visiting the office or by calling 419-422-3851 if you are interested. More details about the class will be sent to you at a later date. Questions can be asked to Karl Farwig by email khfarwig@gmail.com or by phone, 419-348-7577.

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