

Friday Schedule

- All day** Container Gardening (Paul Cavanaugh) — *Meet at Container Tent*
- 9:30** Yes, You Can Control Fire Ants! (Blake Layton) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
- 9:30** Be a Plant Detective! (Alan Windham) — Seminar B (*Big Shop*)
- 9:30** Managing Emerald Ash Borer (Jason Gordon) — Seminar C (*Composting Center*)
- 10:00** Herb Garden Walking Tour (Donna Beliech) — *Meet in Herb Garden*
- 10:15** Mississippi Grown Tea (Guihong Bi and Judson LeCompte) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
- 10:30** Garden Mama's Dream Garden (Nellie Neal) — Seminar B (*Big Shop*)
- 10:30** Vegetable Garden Walking Tour (David Nagel) — *Meet at Info Tent*
- 10:30** Raising Backyard Chickens for Eggs (Tom Tabler) — Seminar C (*Composting Center*)
- 11:00** Home Vegetables in Subirrigated Containers (John Monroe) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
- 11:00** Pond Management Workshop (Bill Maily and Shelby Bearden) — *Meet at North End of Pond*
- 11:30** Boost Your Home's Curb Appeal (Shaun Broderick) — Seminar B (*Big Shop*)
- 11:30** Savory Pumpkin Cooking (Chef Nick Wallace) — Seminar C (*Composting Center*)
- 11:30** Plant Disease Walking Tour (Alan Henn and Rebecca Melanson) — *Meet at Info Tent*
- 11:45** Fruity Smoothie Time (Natasha Haynes) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
- 12:00** Insect ID Walking Tour (Blake Layton) — *Meet at Info Tent*
- 12:30** Fruit and Vegetable Disease Management (Rebecca Melanson) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
- 12:30** Zinnias: Gateway Drug to Growing Fresh Flowers (Gary Bachman) — Seminar B (*Big Shop*)
- 12:30** Preventing Zika and West Nile Viruses (Paul Byers) — Seminar C (*Composting Center*)
- 12:30** Butterfly Garden Walking Tour (Tricia Nelson) — *Meet in Butterfly Garden*
- 1:00** Flower Garden Walking Tour (Shaun Broderick) — *Meet at Mound*
- 1:15** Growing Fruits and Vegetables for Urban Spaces (Casey Barickman) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
- 1:30** Zinnias: Addicted to Floral Design (Jim Del Prince) — Seminar B (*Big Shop*)
- 1:30** Container-Scaping Made Easy (Kiki Fontenot) — Seminar C (*Composting Center*)
- 1:30** Landscape Plant Walking Tour (Geoff Denny) — *Meet at Info Tent*

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- 10:00** Attracting Butterflies to Your Garden (Tim Burress) — Seminar C (*Composting Center*)
- 10:00** Herb Garden Walking Tour (Donna Beliech) — *Meet in Herb Garden*
- 10:15** Impatiens in the American Garden (Patrick McLoughlin) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
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- 10:30** Vegetable Garden Walking Tour (David Nagel) — *Meet at Info Tent*
- 11:00** All-America Selections for Home Gardens (Gene Blythe) — Seminar A (*Conference Room*)
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Friday and Saturday
October 14–15, 2016

9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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Healthy Living — Healthy Gardening

Special Events

- Seminars** — Seminars are in three locations: **Seminar A** (main office conference room); **Seminar B** (in the station's shop, east of the garden); and **Seminar C** (Composting Center, south of pond, down the hill). See the list of seminars, workshops, and walking tours for more details.
- Plant Vendors** — Wholesale and retail plant and yard art vendors from across the Southeast will set up shop on the west bank of the pond. They have a great selection at great prices!
- Pond Management Workshop** — Find out if you are managing and harvesting your pond properly. This 11 a.m. workshop will be at the north end of the pond.
- Ask MSU** — Bring your gardening questions to the Main Tent. Here you can get plants identified at the Plant Doctor Table, have your soil pH tested (bring your soil sample), and learn about insects, diseases, and weeds. Also in and around the Main Tent, cooperating agencies and commercial exhibitors offer informative displays.
- Plant Swap** — Bring one or two plants to the Madison County Master Gardeners to trade at the Plant Swap from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Main Tent. Rules are posted on the website.
- Butterfly Garden** — Learn from the Copiah County Master Gardeners about butterflies and how to attract them to your garden.
- Shade Gardening** — Learn to landscape that shady part of your yard. The demonstration is available all day.
- Container Gardening** — Learn about salad tables and other gardening ideas to assist people with limited mobility.

- Backyard Habitat** — This demonstration at the deck, sponsored by Mississippi Soil and Water, will be offered all day.
- Corn Meal Grinding Demonstration and Steam Engines** — Observe the process of making stone-ground corn meal and see a collection of antique steam engines, all in running condition.
- Farm Tours** — A wagon ride tour of the Experiment Station will depart from the Wagon Ride Tour Stop starting at 10 a.m. each day and running about every 20 minutes.

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Plant Vendor Area

Metro Master Gardeners
Yard Art Us
Horizons America Inc.
Nugget's Spoons
The Funny Farm
Cleber LLC
Louisiana Growers
Southern Woodkraft
The Lazy Scroll
Thursdays Market
The She Shed
Folsom Nursery Inc.
Buds & Blooms
Jackson Farms Nursery
Mizell's Camellia Hill Nursery
Red Oak Nursery
Rivers Greenhouse & Garden

Food & Drink Vendors

Allen Community Fire Department
Copiah County 4-H
Copiah County
Cattlemen's Association
Exquisite Creations
Happy Foods
Hinds Independent
Methodist Church
Chautauqua Garden Club
And More!

**Look for assistance
and information from
Mississippi State
University staff in and
around the garden.**

Tent Exhibits

Madison County Master Gardeners
Mississippi 811
Mississippi Bug Blues Program
Mississippi Museum
of Natural Science
Mississippi Nursery
and Landscape Association

Mississippi Soil and Water
Conservation Commission
MSU-ES
NRCS-SWCD
Physiotherapy Associates
Soil Testing

Around the Garden Exhibits

Copiah County Master Gardeners
Pine Belt Master Gardeners
Lincoln County Master Gardeners
Red Barn Produce
Jaybird Banjo
Brooks Derryberry
and Ruth Brinson, Musicians
Reid Bishop, Musician

Southern Fruit Fellowship
Mississippi Dept. of Agriculture
Mississippi's Toughest Kids
Sweet Potato Sweets
Mississippi Gardener Magazine
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