

**38th Annual**



## Truck Crops Branch Experiment Station

**2024 Experiment Station Road  
Crystal Springs, MS 39059**

**Friday and Saturday  
October 14 and 15, 2016  
9 a.m. to 2 p.m. both days**

Landscaping, greenhouse and nursery businesses, and commercial production of fruit, vegetables, and turf are major contributors to Mississippi's economy and quality of life. To celebrate this contribution, Mississippi State University will hold its 38th annual Fall Flower & Garden Fest at the Truck Crops Branch Experiment Station in Crystal Springs (25 miles south of Jackson on Highway 51, Exit 68 off I-55). The two-day fest offers gardeners and homeowners from across the Southeast a wealth of vegetable, fruit, flower, nutritional, and other information. For more information, call (601) 892-3731.

**Be sure to LIKE our Facebook Page (Fall Flower & Garden Fest), follow us on Twitter (@MSUFallFest), and visit our website at [http://extension.msstate.edu/fallfest!](http://extension.msstate.edu/fallfest)**

**The Fall Fest has gone mobile! Download Guidebook for Apple or Android to your phone or tablet, then search for "Fall Fest." The new app has the complete schedule, and you can rate each talk!**

**Healthy Living – Healthy Gardening**

### For the Gardener

- 🍷 A three-acre garden full of vegetables, herbs, annuals, perennials, and landscape ideas
- 🍷 Huge plant sale
- 🍷 Grass trial
- 🍷 Plant and insect identification
- 🍷 Backyard wildlife habitat
- 🍷 Farm wagon tours
- 🍷 Fruits and pecans
- 🍷 Pond management workshop
- 🍷 Specialty crops
- 🍷 Composting demonstration
- 🍷 Banana trial
- 🍷 Flower trials
- 🍷 Mulch demonstration
- 🍷 Climbing vegetables and flowers
- 🍷 Hummingbird garden
- 🍷 Container gardening
- 🍷 Shade gardening
- 🍷 Butterfly garden and walking tour
- 🍷 Wildlife food plots
- 🍷 Vegetable garden walking tour
- 🍷 Flower garden walking tour
- 🍷 Plant disease walking tour
- 🍷 Insect and insect damage walking tour
- 🍷 Herb garden walking tour
- 🍷 Landscape plants walking tour
- 🍷 All-America Selections Winners
- 🍷 Mississippi Medallion Winners
- 🍷 Beekeeping
- 🍷 Master Gardeners
- 🍷 Plant Doctor (bring your gardening questions)
- 🍷 Soil testing  
**(bring a soil sample)**
- 🍷 Plant Swap!  
**(bring 1 or 2 plants to swap)**

### Seminars

- 🍷 Yes, You Can Control Fire Ants
- 🍷 Mississippi Grown Tea
- 🍷 Home Vegetables in SubIrrigated Containers
- 🍷 Fruity Smoothie Time
- 🍷 Fruit and Vegetable Disease Management
- 🍷 Growing Fruits and Vegetables for Urban Spaces
- 🍷 Be a Plant Detective
- 🍷 Garden Mama's Dream Garden
- 🍷 Boost Your Home's Curb Appeal
- 🍷 Zinnias: Gateway Drug to Growing Fresh Flowers
- 🍷 Zinnias: Addicted to Floral Design
- 🍷 Managing Emerald Ash Borer
- 🍷 Raising Backyard Chickens for Eggs
- 🍷 Savory Pumpkin Cooking
- 🍷 Preventing Zika and West Nile Viruses
- 🍷 Container-Scaping Made Easy
- 🍷 Impatiens in the American Garden
- 🍷 All-America Selections for Home Gardens
- 🍷 Attracting Butterflies to Your Garden

### A Free Event Sponsored by –

Truck Crops Branch Experiment Station  
Central Mississippi Research and Extension Center

Mississippi State University Extension Service  
Mississippi Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station

*We are an equal opportunity employer, and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status, or any other characteristic protected by law.*

Food and drinks will be for sale throughout the day.