

Gig Harbor Demonstration Garden Events 2023



YOUTH WORKSHOPS

Ages: 5-11 FREE
Saturdays 10:30am-12pm

May 20

Ready Set Grow

Children will participate in composting, creating a container garden, and will learn basic plant care.

June 17

Fairies & Gnomes

Children will design and plant their own miniature fantasy garden.

July 15

Flowers & Pollinators

Children will learn about flower parts and common pollinators.

August 19

Weird & Wonderful Plants

Children will learn about strange & different plants and will make their own Chia Pet

September 16

Fall Harvest & Scarecrows

Children will make their own scarecrow and harvest fall vegetables from the garden.

Each workshop is limited to 21 children and must be pre-registered. Registration for each workshop opens 30 days prior to the event. ghmg youthprogram@gmail.com



GARDEN TALKS

Gardening talks by Pierce County Master Gardeners one Saturday each month. All classes are free and do not require registration. 10am-11am

April 15

Organic Pest Control

(Speaker Ava Brock)

May 13

Accessible Gardening

(Speaker Caitlin Moats)

June 10

The Resilient Yard

Climate Change & Your Garden
(Speaker Mike Peronto)

July 8

More Trees Please

Creating Your Own Urban Forest
(Speaker Gail Hecmanczuk)

August 12

Waterwise Gardening

(Speaker Nancy Goodin)

September 9

Urban Meadows

(Speaker Raylee McKinley)

CONTAINER PLANTING CLASSES

Free hands-on classes on how to correctly plant and grow successful flower and veggie/herb gardens in containers for your deck or patio. No registration needed. All container planting classes will be held on Saturdays from 10am-11am.

April 29, May 6, May 27, June 3, June 24, September 2, September 23

MASTER GARDENER CLINICS

Bring us your plant questions! The Demonstration Garden is open to visitors every Wednesday year-round from 9am-11:30am. WSU Extension Pierce County Master Gardener clinics are held at the Demonstration Garden from 10am to 2pm every Saturday from April through September.

IT'S OUR 50th BIRTHDAY!



April 8 1-4pm in Puyallup

Come celebrate our 50th Anniversary with us! Register on our website!

Gig Harbor Demonstration Garden at Sehmel Homestead Park

10123 78th Ave NW Gig Harbor, WA 98332



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Visit our Website for more details.
Call our office for plant questions
253.798.7170



Puyallup Demonstration Garden Events 2023



CHILDREN'S EVENTS

Ages 3-11 FREE Saturdays at 10am

March 18

Winter Open House - Come visit the Garden while it's waking up from a long winter's nap.

May 6

Ready Set Grow - Spring is planting time. Explore how we get the garden growing!

May 20

Stepping Stones- Step into the garden and make your own stepping stone for home.

June 3

Frog vs Toad - Which one are you? Come compare these two water garden friends.

June 17

Worms!!! Discover how cool worms are. They eat our food waste and make our veggies and flowers grow.

July 8

Fairies and Gnomes - Make a magical and fanciful dish garden for home.

2 Sessions - Preregistration Only

August 5

Pollinators - Bees, butterflies, moths, bats, hummingbirds and even the wind!

October 7

Fall Fest - Help harvest the veggies you planted and celebrate the garden.



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COMPOSTING CLASSES

Free hands-on classes on how to transform your yard and kitchen waste into gardening gold! Saturdays from 11-12pm.

June 10 Composting 101

Learn the basics of backyard composting

July 15 Bokashi Composting

Kitchen Scaps & Anaerobic Fermentation

August 19 Worm Composting

Kitchen Scraps in Vermiculture

DEMONSTRATION GARDEN VISITS and TOURS

The Demonstration Garden is open to visitors every Tuesday 10am-12pm April-October. You can request a tour of the garden by contacting our team on our website.

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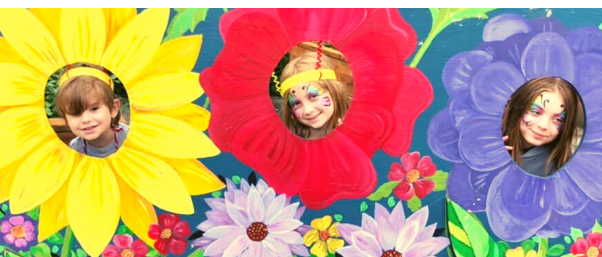


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