



The Advanced Gardener series is designed to help both beginner and advanced gardeners enjoy all of the health, satisfaction, and learning that comes from managing the home landscape and growing some of your own produce. Sessions are free and open to the public.

MONTHLY SESSIONS

JANUARY	Pruning, Planting, and Management for Trees and Shrubs
FEBRUARY	Lawn Management Bootcamp
MARCH	Soil, Composting, and Fertilizers
APRIL	Organic Gardening
MAY	Weeds You Should Know and How to Kill Them
JUNE	Garden Diseases and Disorders
JULY	Fire Ants: History, Biology, and Control
AUGUST	More Flowers in Your Landscape
SEPTEMBER	Mushrooms: Foraging and Cultivation
OCTOBER	Seed Saving and Plant Propagation
NOVEMBER	Garden Produce: Storage and Preservation

MEETING LOCATIONS

SECOND THURSDAYS	Patrick Beaver Library in Hickory 375 3rd St NE 6 pm – 7 pm
THIRD TUESDAYS	Main Library in Newton 115 West C Street 6 pm – 7 pm
FOURTH TUESDAYS	Maiden Branch Library 11 South A Avenue 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm



Advanced Gardener Certification

Attend nine of the eleven presentations and complete 20 hours of service/learning activities. No fees required.

Master Gardener Certification

Attend all eleven presentations, complete ten hours of extension workshop education, complete online quizzes and exams, complete one assigned project, and complete forty hours of community service in gardening activities. \$100 fee.



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