UPCOMING HORTICULTURAL EVENTS

CAPE COD COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

Join Russell Norton, Horticultural Specialist for the Cape Cod Cooperative Extension, as he presents a series of lectures/demonstrations on growing different fruits for the backyard. Choose one or attend all three. These events are free and open to the public and pre-registration is required.

Open to the Public ~ Free of Charge ~ Pre-Registration Required

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BACKYARD TREE FRUIT



March 14, 2013 from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Mashpee Public Library

64 Steeple St., Mashpee, MA 02649

Growing tree fruits in the backyard is a truly rewarding experience; however, if not properly maintained it can be truly discouraging. Russ will cover all the basic information needed for you to successfully grow tree fruits such as apples, cherries peaches and plums. Topics to include; pruning, pest control, site selection and cultural practices. This presentation will be helpful for both the novice as well as the experienced grower.

FRUIT TREE PRUNING

March 23, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Crow Farm, 192 Massachusetts 6A Sandwich, MA 02563



Join Russ as he demonstrates pruning techniques for apple and peach trees. Please dress appropriately as the entire workshop will be held outside in the orchard.

BERRIES FOR THE BACKYARD



April 8, 2013 from 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Harwich Community Center

100 Oak St., Harwich, MA 02645

Berries such as strawberries, blackberries, raspberries and blueberries grown in the garden have an unrivaled quality compared to those typically found in the supermarket. These berries are also fairly easy to grow, making them a good choice for the garden. Topics to include; pruning, pest control, site selection and cultural practices.

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