Florida Friendly Plant Series

Jim Davis, Sumter County Florida Yards & Neighborhoods Extension Agent, with selected guest speakers is presenting a monthly landscaping series that will encompass everything you need to know to have the ideal Florida yard. Oxford Community Center is the class location. All Materials are included. Classes are free to the public. All classes are held at the Oxford Community Center, 4027 County Road 106, Oxford, FL. The community building is located 1 block from both U.S. 301 and County Road 466.

Classes are from 1 p.m. - 2 p.m.

No registration required. For more information contact Jim Davis at (352) 753-0124.

June 10th—“Hardy Summer Perennials and Annuals”
June 24th—“Alien Invaders”

Florida Gardens: Questions and Answers

This is where you get your gardening questions answered. Bring in a specimen of your plant, a picture or description of the problem or concern. Just walk in anytime-Master Gardeners & experts from the University of Florida will be there to assist you. This forum will be repeated the first & third Monday of every month same time- same place.

June 7th: Truman Recreation Center 2705 Canal St. 12pm to 2pm

June 21st: Sheriff’s Annex 466 and Morse Blvd. from 1pm to 4pm

Florida Landscape Homeowner Orientation

These classes are open to new homeowners in The Villages. Topics include operating your irrigation system and an overview of Central Florida Landscaping.

June 15th- 9am to 10:30am at Colony Cottage Recreation Center, The Villages, FL Instructor: Jim Davis, Florida Yards and Neighborhoods Agent and Brooke Burn, Urban Horticulture Agent Sumter County Extension Office, Bushnell

Evening Gardener

June 10th—“TBA”

From 5:30 to 7:00 at the West Central Florida Agricultural Center located at the Sumter County Fairgrounds. Please call To reserve your space! 352-793-2728.

Twice on Tuesdays

Pick up Tkt at LaHacienda Rec. Ctr., Tues-Fri: 9am to 4pm

June 22nd
“TBA”
9am Savannah Center
1pm Seabreeze
To pre-register or for more information, contact The Sumter County Extension Office (352) 793-2728

UF Lecture Series

Thursday June 14th
4:15-5:15

“Care and Selection of Crepe Myrtles”

Must pre-register by calling The Villages Life Long Learning College at 352-753-3035

Wildwood Growers Market

Every Saturday from 9am—1pm
Local growers within 100 miles of Sumter County, food & craft vendors and entertainment will be showcased in front of City Hall In Wildwood.
100 N. Main Street, Wildwood, FL

Check back in July for another month of educational events!
**4-H Day Camps**

10am-4pm Every Day!!! $25 p/week
First come first serve, space is limited!!!

**Wild Adventures:**
June 14-17, ages 8-13
Explore the Outdoors with Ms. Sarah and friends! Have fun fishing, hiking, and learning how to survive in the Wild Outdoors. 25 spaces.

**Bugs in my Garden:** Week 1: June 28—July 2; Week 2: July 26-30.
Ages 6-12, Catch bugs with Mr. Jim & get your hands dirty with Ms. Brooke as you learn basic gardening, catch bugs and discover their importance to plants. Friday is advanced Collection building day!!! Only 15 spaces each week.

**Farm to Plate:**
July 12-15, ages 5-12. Want to try your hand at growing worms, and eating blackberries. Have you ever wondered where does the marshmallow come from? Well let Ms. Susan and Ms. Sarah tell you all about it as you experience seeing food come from the farm to the plate on your kitchen table! 25 spaces.

**Munchy Adventures With Chef Nicky:**
June 21-24, ages 8-12. Chef Nicky, the guinea pig, loves fruits and veggies and wants you to come on an adventure with him to learn all about Healthy Eating. 30 spaces.

**Sewing Camp:** July 19-22, ages 8 & up. Want to design your own clothes and sew a straight line. Come spend the week with Ms. Ella and Ms. Sarah as they help you put together your own style! 10 spaces.

Campers should bring a sack lunch for all camps. Nutritious snacks and drinks will be provided.

Sign up today at 352-793-2728 or online at [http://Sumter4H.org](http://Sumter4H.org)

Programs are open to all youth. UF is an equal opportunity institution.