Sustaining Our World

Cost: $40.00
($30.00 for OSU Master Gardeners)
Deadline March 14, 2019

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Are You an active Master Gardener Volunteer?
_____ Yes. County_________________________

No refunds after March 14, 2019

Complete Registration Form and include a check payable to Master Gardeners of Hardin County

Mail to:
Master Gardeners of Hardin County
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806 W Franklin Street
Kenton, Ohio 43326

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### Speakers

**Kylee Baumle** – The life and plight of monarchs has been Kylee’s personal interest and area of study for more than 12 years. Kylee leads an annual tour to the monarch overwintering sanctuaries in Mexico. Kylee is an award winning horticulture author who writes not only books, but garden columns and trade magazine articles. Her 2017 book “The Monarch: Saving our Most-Loved Butterfly” is now in its 2nd printing.

**Dr. Jeff Stachler** – With an undergraduate degree in agronomy and a Ph.D. in Weed Science, Jeff has worked as the Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension Educator for Auglaize County since March 2015.

**Denise Ellsworth** – Program Director of Honey Bee and Native Pollinator Education, Department of Entomology/Extension at The Ohio State University in Wooster.

**David McPheron** – With a degree in Horticulture, Dave is the owner of Star Farms Native Plants. He is gathering local seeds and growing those into plants to sell for landscapes. He has been an active Ohio State University Extension Master Gardener Volunteer for 16 years and served as the Hardin County Volunteer Coordinator since 2013.

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**Topics**

*"The Monarch: Survival of a Species"*

Learn details about the life cycle of the monarch butterfly, the challenges it faces, and how each of us can help this iconic insect and pollinator as it struggles to not just survive, but thrive.

**Weed Identification and Management**

Identifying the weeds in our gardens help us to know how to manage them so that we can get the most benefit from the plants that we choose to grow.

**Plants & Pollinators** – How bees and other key pollinators help native plants... and what they get in return. What are some of Ohio’s common bee pollinators and how do they work with and help native plants?

**Why and How to use Native Plants**

We will explore why planting Native Plants impacts pollinators, where we find native plants in nature, and how they can fit into the beauty that we add to our environment.

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**Hardin Co. OSU Extension Master Gardener Volunteers**

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- **Location:** Mid-Ohio Energy Cooperative Community Room, 1210 W Lima Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- **Costs:** $40.00 (continental breakfast, lunch, handouts and door prizes). Only $30.00 for active OSU Master Gardener Volunteers.
- **Registration opens at 8:30 a.m. – 9:20 a.m. Program: 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**
- **Registration Deadline:** March 14, 2019. Class size is limited.
- **Master Gardener Volunteer Continuing Education Hours = 5**
- **More Information:** Call 419-674-8012.
- **Directions:** Lima Street is State Route 309. The Mid-Ohio Energy Cooperative is located west of Kenton. Your GPS may place it too close to town. The building is on the North side of 309, 0.8 of a mile west of the Rick’s Auto Sales.