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Directions to Penn State Extension Cumberland County

The Penn State Extension office moved to a new location in April 2008. Our address is now:

**310 Allen Road, Suite 601
Carlisle, PA 17013**

From Rt. 81, take the Plainfield exit (Exit #44). From 81 South, turn right at the bottom of the exit ramp. From 81 North, turn left at the bottom of the exit ramp. Go about 1/4 mile on Allen Road (Rt. 465 North), past the first traffic light at Logistics Drive, to the Cumberland County Service Center (brick building) on the right, just before the intersection with Rt. 11. Our entrance is at the back of the building.

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Wednesday evenings

April 7, 14, 21, 28—2010

7:00-8:30 p.m.

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Sustainable Gardening



Join Penn State Extension in Cumberland County for a series of four evening sessions on sustainable gardening topics. Learn tips and techniques to conserve resources in the garden and landscape.

Time: 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Dates: Wednesday evenings

◆ **April 7, 2010: Terra Firma**

Good soil is the foundation of sustainable gardening. Learn soil management basics, including composting and mulching tips, with **Annette MaCoy**.

◆ **April 14, 2010: Green Roof Gardens**

Green roof systems conserve water and energy while reducing runoff. **Zach Williams** will explain how, including a hands-on demo of green roof planting.

◆ **April 21, 2010: Container Vegetables**

Steve Bogash shares the latest and greatest varieties and techniques for a bountiful harvest from container-grown plants.

◆ **April 28, 2010: Pruning Basics**

Learn proper pruning principles for trees and shrubs with **Annette MaCoy** and **Bob Carey**. Bob will demonstrate hands-on pruning techniques in a walk around the office building.

What is sustainable gardening? It goes by different names, such as naturalistic landscaping or ecological landscaping, but whatever its name, it means an earth-friendly approach to gardening and landscaping that can save you time and money.

Sustainable gardening practices promote local food production and proper plant care, conserve precious natural resources such as water and soil, and enhance biodiversity to create a garden that is healthy, beautiful and productive.

Location:

All workshops will be held at the Cumberland County Extension office, 310 Allen Road, Carlisle. See directions on the back panel.

Speakers:

- ◆ **Steve Bogash** is the Penn State Extension Regional Commercial Horticulture Educator, specializing in vegetables, small fruits, cut flowers, and marketing.
- ◆ **Bob Carey** is an ISA-certified arborist in Cumberland County, a garden writer, and the host of "Garden Talk" on WI00 Radio in Carlisle.
- ◆ **Annette MaCoy** is the Penn State Extension Consumer Horticulture Educator in Cumberland County.
- ◆ **Zach Williams** is the Roof Garden Design Manager for Carlisle SynTec's Roof Garden Systems.

Registration Information:

Class size is limited, so please register early. Registration is requested by **March 30, 2010**. The fee for each individual class is \$6.00. Register for all 4 classes for only \$20.00 and save \$4.00. Walk-in registration at the door is \$8.00 per class.

Fee includes all handouts and light refreshments. You may register by phone using a credit card. You may also mail in the registration form with a check made payable to "PSCE Program Fund" or with credit card information.

For Penn State Master Gardeners, each class qualifies for 1 ½ hours of Extension-sponsored update training.

REGISTRATION FORM

Sustainable Gardening Series

April 7, 14, 21, 28—2010

Please register by March 30, 2010

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

County _____

Daytime Phone _____

E-mail _____

Registration Fee: \$6.00 per person, per class, in advance; or \$20.00 to register for all 4 classes in advance. Walk-in fee is \$8.00 per class.

Please register me for the following sessions:

- April 7: Terra Firma—Soil Management
- April 14: Green Roof Gardens
- April 21: Container Vegetable Gardens
- April 28: Pruning Basics

Total enclosed: _____ sessions X \$6.00 = _____
OR 4 sessions for \$20.00 = _____

Please make checks payable to: PSCE Program Fund

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