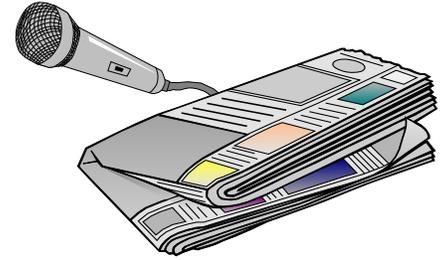




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MASTER GARDENER TRAINING COURSE ANNOUNCED!

The University of California Master Gardener Program is an educational program designed to teach and effectively extend information to address gardening needs in the many communities throughout California. Master Gardeners learn University-based scientific information and then volunteer to extend that knowledge to the gardening public. Master Gardener volunteers are people of all ages and from all walks of life with a common desire to help others learn about water conservation, integrated pest management (IPM), sustainable landscape practices and much more.

Want to learn more about this program? Two orientations are scheduled. The first will be Wednesday, November 4, at Round Table Pizza in Willows from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. The second will be held in Orland on Thursday, November 12, from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. at the UCCE Cooperative Extension Office at 821 E. South Street in Orland. The course consists of over 50 hours of intensive training taught by University of California specialists and other professionals from the nursery and landscape industry. There is a fee of \$175.00 to cover training class expenses. Along with instruction, you will also receive books and materials as part of your fee. Some of the topics to be covered include irrigation, soils, composting, fertilizer management, managing home orchards and vineyards, propagation, plant diseases, entomology, IPM, and many other subjects. More information can be obtained by phoning the UCCE Office at 530-865-1107 or at our website <http://ucanr.edu/sites/glenng/>.

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