



CENTRAL
STATE UNIVERSITY

Extension

Summer 2023 Seed to Bloom Botanical and Community Garden Programs

Black Heritage Community Garden Project

Thursdays, 6:00- 8:00pm

May 18, 2023	Warm Weather Crop Planting
June 15, 2023	Garden Weeds, Pests & Diseases
July 20, 2023	Early Harvest
August 24, 2023 <i>*(4:30-6:30pm)</i>	Extending the Season with Fall Crops / Mid-season Harvest
September 14, 2023	Extending the Season / Last Harvest /Clean-up

The Black Heritage Community Garden Project will require monitoring and tending the new variety of crops! Join us as we discover how well they perform. Attend one or all sessions that are of interest to you. Bring questions, water, sun protection & plan to get a little soil beneath your nails as we tend to these new crops!

CSU Speaker Series

Plant Identification with Dr. Marcus Nagle Friday, June 2, 2023 4:00-5:00pm

Have you ever wanted to be able to identify common local or garden plants? Or are you just curious about how to do it? Join CSU's horticulture expert to learn more about plant identification, from classic to on-line approaches. **(Adults 18+)**

Land-Grant Bee Research at CSU Friday, June 23, 2023 4:00-5:00pm

Join Dr. Hongmei Li-Byarlay as she talks about current bee lab research focuses including the breeding and selection of Ohio biters 1 (OB1) with high grooming and biting behavior against parasitic mites / behavioral resistance, and abiotic / biotic stress of pollinators in different landscapes / farm settings. **(Adults 18+)**

Herbs of the Apothecary Garden Friday, July 7, 2023 4:00-5:00pm

Visit the newly-planted apothecary garden with Clare Thorn, focusing on herbs which offer scent, texture, teas, culinary purposes, and can offer a therapeutic retreat for relieving every -day stress. **(Adults 18+)**

Extending the Garden Season *Thursday, August 24, 2023 *4:30-6:30pm

When temperatures begin to cool, you have options to grow vegetables into the fall or winter! Brian Kampman will lead this program on how to use a cold frame or row cover with hoops for late fall or early spring planting. **(Adults 18+)**

Creating a Perennial Vegetable Bed Friday, September 22, 2023 4:00-5:00pm

Did you know that some vegetables are perennials? Join Clare Thorn to learn about our new perennial vegetable bed containing asparagus, rhubarb, and spinach. No need to replant each spring! **(Adults 18+)**

Use QR code to register



To make reservations, or for more information, contact Clare Thorn at 937-376-6627 or email: cthorn@CentralState.edu

The Seed to Bloom Botanical and Community Garden is located at the intersections of St. Rt. 42 E and Wilberforce Switch Rd. (across from the CSU main entrance); use parking lot on Wilberforce Switch Rd.



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