2018 Ohio Master Urban Farmer Workshop Series

Monday Evenings
6:30-9:30pm
September 10, 18, 24
October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
November 5, 12, 19

OSU Extension Franklin County Office

This series consists of eleven evening (6:30-9:30pm) workshops starting September 10 and ending November 19, 2018.

The cost is $175 and registration is due by August 15, 2018.

These workshops will be held at the Ohio State University Extension Franklin County Office, in the Arena District downtown at 530 W. Spring St, Suite 275, Columbus, OH 43215

For additional information, contact Mike Hogan at 614-866-6900, ext. 206 or by email at hogan.1@osu.edu.
The Ohio Master Urban Farmer Workshop Series is an intensive educational program developed by OSU Extension.

This series of eleven evening workshops is designed to help individuals learn how to produce and market all kinds of food products in an urban environment. While the workshop content will be introductory, individuals who already have some experience growing or marketing food products will benefit from participating.

The cost of the entire program is just $175 per participant, which will include a course notebook, several books, light refreshments each evening, one free soil test, and an urban farm bus tour.

For more information about the Ohio Master Urban Farmer Program, contact OSU Extension Educator Mike Hogan at 614-866-6900, ext. 206 or by email at hogan.1@osu.edu.

Topics to be covered in the program:

- Introduction to Master Urban Farmer Program
- Introduction to Urban Agriculture
- How to Choose a Farm Enterprise
- Site Selection Issues
- Soil Testing for Urban Sites
- Basic Plant Science
- Soil Quality & Soil Health
- Fruit Production in Urban Settings
- Insects & Diseases
- Integrated Pest Management
- Bees & Native Pollinators
- Season Extension Techniques
- Marketing Bootcamp (How to market your products in any setting)
- Farmers Markets for Dummies
- Vegetable Production
- Tomato Production
- Food Safety & GAPS
- Developing Grant Proposals
- Zoning & Legal Issues
- Hydroponic & Aeroponic Production
- Micro – Greens Production
- Columbus Urban Ag Bus Tour
- Graduation!

Return by August 15, 2018 to:
Ohio State University Extension
Franklin County
530 W. Spring St, Suite 275
Columbus, OH 43215

Name(s)_______________________________
Address_______________________________
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Phone______________________________
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Do you have experience growing food crops?

Do you have experience marketing food crops?

To pay by credit card, register online:
  go.osu.edu/MUF2018

To pay by check, return this form and a check for $175 made payable to:
OSU Extension Franklin County (or return with request for financial scholarship)