

UF/IFAS Orange County Extension Education Center

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Monday thru Friday from 8 - 5

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Monday - Friday
8 am - 12 pm, 1 pm - 5 pm
Extension Education Center,
Orlando

Tuesdays 9 am - 12 pm
MREC, Apopka

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Leu Gardens

**Commercial
Plant Diagnostic Clinic**

Tuesdays 1 pm - 4 pm
MREC, Apopka



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AUGUST 2017 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

1	<p>Florida-Friendly Landscaping at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 10 - 11:30am. \$5 per household includes one Florida-Friendly Landscaping™ book and rain gauge. This program will help you make better decisions in your landscaping practices with tips to guide you in plant choice, irrigation practices, fertilizer applications and pest control. Pre-registration is required at www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
3	<p>Fit to Dance at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. Thursdays from 10 - 11am. \$5 per session, pay at the door (cash or check only please). Silver Sneakers members free. Join us for an exercise program fit for all ages! Come to one session, or come to them all. This series has no end date, we'll keep going as long as you keep coming. No reservation required. Just come in ready to move!</p> <p>Commercial Pesticide Applicator License Testing at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 8:30am to 12:30pm. Must bring a valid picture ID. Registration required: http://pesticideexam.ifas.ufl.edu. For more information, contact Chris Weber at 407-254-9214.</p> <p>Keeping the Pressure Down at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. Thursdays August 3 to September 21 from 6 - 8pm. \$20 for the 8 week series. Do you have high blood pressure, or know someone who does? Keeping the Pressure Down will help you adopt a healthier lifestyle that can reduce your risk of heart disease and stroke. Join us for this 8-week series that includes: hands-on activities, healthy lifestyle tips, and group interactions. Advance registration is required at www.livingwell.eventbrite.com.</p>
5	<p>Peppers - Some Like It Hot! at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 9 - 10:30am. \$5per household. Peppers are a favorite vegetable in the home vegetable garden. Some like the taste, some like the ornamental value and some like them hot. Learn about the history of the pepper, what pepper varieties are best adapted to the Central Florida climate and how to best grow them. Pre-registration is required online at www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
8	<p>Basics of Vegetable Gardening in Central Florida at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 6 - 8:30pm. \$5 per household. New to Florida and like to grow your own vegetables? This class is for you. Learn the basics of Florida vegetable gardening including soil preparation, adjusting soil pH, fertilizing, irrigation, pests and diseases. Gardens may be grown year-round in Florida. Pre-registration is required at www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
9	<p>Review & Exams Ornamental/Turf and Private Ag Pesticide Applicator Licenses at the UF/IFAS Extension Seminole County, Sanford. 8:00am-4:00pm. CEUs available! Registration: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pesticide-applicator-exam-and-review-ornamental-turf-and-private-ag-tickets-35546457411.</p>
10	<p>Fit to Dance at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 10 to 11am. (See August 3 for details.)</p> <p>Peppers - Some Like It Hot! at the Jessie Brock Community Center, Winter Garden. 6 - 8:30pm. (See August 5 for details.)</p> <p>Organic Methods & Pest Management at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 6 - 7:30pm. \$5 per person. Learn organic gardening including the use of organic material to improve your sandy soil, organic fertilizers, and integrated pest management from the first steps of identifying the pest, determining if there is a need for control and the most environmentally friendly control methods to use for insect and disease problems in the home vegetable garden. Pre-registration is required www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
11	<p>Florida-Friendly Landscaping at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 10 - 11:30am. \$5 (See August 1 for details.)</p>
15	<p>Alternatives to Traditional Vegetable Gardening at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 6 - 7:30pm. \$5 per person. This class will go through the various methods of vegetable gardening, from containers and raised beds to hydroponics. Come and find out what works best for you! Please register online at www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
17	<p>Fit to Dance at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 10 to 11am. (See August 3 for details.)</p> <p>WEBINAR: Money Decisions Online class. 12 to 1pm. FREE. We will explore how consumers make decisions about money and strategies to achieve personal finance goals without getting sidetracked. https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/5514142455340495618.</p> <p>The Top 25 Insect Pests in the Home Vegetable Garden at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 6:30 - 8pm. \$5 per household. Less than one percent of all insects in Florida are harmful. Which are they, what damage do they cause, and how to rid yourself of them will all be presented in this program. Pre-registration is required online at www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
22	<p>gARTening: Building a Pollinator Hotel at the UF/IFAS Extension Orange County. 6 to 7:30pm. \$10 per person. In this workshop, participants will learn about native pollinating insects and pollinator hotels. Pollinator hotels are built using simple materials to provide a nesting habitat for these solitary and often docile species. Participants will create a personalized pollinator hotel to take home to their garden. Pre-registration is required online at www.gardenflorida.eventbrite.com.</p>
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