



Let's Grow!

2023 / A FREE Monthly Education Series for the Home Gardener from the Santa Fe Extension Master Gardeners

See reverse side for all locations and more information.

APRIL

Saturday, April 1, 9 am – 12 noon
How to Prune Roses Properly @
Cornell Rose Garden

Instruction from 9-9:30 am; hands-on pruning from 9:30 am-noon. Bring pruners, gloves, long-sleeved shirt, hat, container for cut rose canes.

MAY

Saturday, May 6, 9 – 11 am
How to Select & Plant a New Rose
@ Cornell Rose Garden

A new rose will be planted along with instruction on soil prep, fertilization, and how to identify and treat rose diseases and insects.

Friday, May 12, 3 – 6 pm &
Saturday, May 13, 9 am – 3 pm
Small Animal Barn, Ext. Campus

*** PLANT SALE ***

Saturday, May 27, 9 – 11 am
(TWO events, ONE location) @
County Ext. Campus, Native Plant
Demonstration Gardens

- How to Plant a Native Grass Meadow, 9 & 10 am

Learn how to successfully establish a native grass meadow from seed and which grasses do best in our area.

- How to Implement Erosion Control, 9:30 & 10:30 am

Learn about One-rock Dams, Media Lunas, Zuni Bowls, and more.

JUNE

Saturday, June 17, 9 am
Garden with Native Plants @
County Ext. Campus, Native Plant
Demonstration Gardens

Learn how to successfully grow colorful, drought-tolerant, low-maintenance native plants.

Friday, June 30, 5:00 – 7:00 pm
Gardening for the Past, Present & Future @ Garden at El Zaguán

Learn how the historic garden was created in the mid-1800s, changes in its landscaping over the last 170 years, and how climate stresses and sustainability goals are driving new plant choices and gardening practices.

JULY

Saturday, July 8, 9 am – 12 noon
How to Remove (deadhead) Spent Rose Blooms Properly @
Cornell Rose Garden

Instruction from 9-9:30 am; hands-on pruning from 9:30 am to noon. Bring pruners, gloves, long-sleeved shirt, hat, container for cut rose canes.

Saturday, July 29, 1 – 2:30 pm
Plants for Plentiful Pollinators @
Audubon Center Classroom

Native plants that support New Mexico's diverse pollinator species and how to promote a year-round pollinator-friendly landscape will be

JULY (cont'd.)

discussed, with a focus on drought-tolerant, resilient plants that provide blooms from early spring to late fall.

AUGUST

Saturday, August 5, 1 – 2:00 pm
Reducing Pesticides to Protect Butterflies and Moths in NM @
Audubon Center Classroom

Learn butterfly and moth biology, caterpillar host plants, pesticide risks, and how to avoid pesticide use in your pollinator garden.

Saturday, August 12, 9 – 11 am
Landscape Design Basics: Revitalizing a Flower Bed @
Garden at El Zaguán

Learn to create site appropriate, sustainable, and stunning gardens using an historic property as an example.

SEPTEMBER

Saturday, September 30, 1 – 3 pm
Save Seeds & Contribute to the Resiliency of Santa Fe Gardens @
County Ext. Campus

Learn the basics of harvesting, processing, and storage of a variety of seeds, including hands-on demonstrations and materials covering basic seed-saving methods for vegetables, herbs, and flowers.

For full descriptions of these events, go to: **sfemg.org - Public Event Calendar** on the **Home Page**.

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Locations:

Harvey Cornell Rose Garden

1320 Galisteo Parkway (corner of Cordova Road and Galisteo)

County Extension Campus, Native Plant Demonstration Gardens

3229 Rodeo Road

Garden at El Zaguan

545 Canyon Road

Randall Davey Audubon Center

1800 Upper Canyon Road

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