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UNIVERSITY of FLORIDA



2017 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



*Proudly Serving the
Residents of Osceola*

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UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County
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Monday-Friday
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

11/15/2017



Holiday Craft Show

UF|IFAS Extension Osceola County
Saturday, December 2, 2017
11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Looking for that unique gift for family and friends? Come shop with us after the St. Cloud Parade! Vendors will have make-and-take projects for a small fee and items for sale.

Free to attend!

If you're interested in being a vendor, please contact Karen at 407-973-4058 by November 17th to secure a table.

A Home of Your Own, First Time Homebuyer – One Day Class (English)

UF|IFAS Extension Osceola County
Wednesday, January 17, 2018
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

www.tinyurl.com/myochohome

Registration begins:

Sunday, December 17, 2017 at 8:30 a.m.

Fee: \$10.00

This class addresses the ins and outs of buying/building a home. Participants will learn how to prepare financially, select a home, negotiate price, review contract and what to expect at closing.



A Home of Your Own, First Time Homebuyer – One Day Class (Spanish)

UF|IFAS Extension Osceola County
Thursday, January 18, 2018
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

www.tinyurl.com/myochome

Registration begins:

Monday, December 18, 2017 at 8:30 a.m.

Fee: \$10.00

This class addresses the ins and outs of buying/building a home. Participants will learn how to prepare financially, select a home, negotiate price, review contract and what to expect at closing.

Is a Conservation Easement Right for Your Land?

UF|IFAS Extension Osceola County
Friday, January 26, 2018
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

<https://ocagriculture.eventbrite.com>

Conservation easements are voluntary agreements that keep land in agricultural production, rangeland, or natural habitat. This workshop explains how landowners can reduce tax liability and protect their property into the future through easements.

Vegetable Gardening

Mary Jane Arlington Gym and Aquatic Center
625 Country Club Drive, Poinciana
Thursday, February 1, 2018
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

<http://ocagriculture.eventbrite.com>

Learn how to grow vegetables including soil preparation, adjusting soil pH, fertilizing, irrigation, pests and diseases.

Beekeeping: Is it for me?

UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County
Thursday, February 1, 2018
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

<http://ocagriculture.eventbrite.com>

Covers basic considerations for potential beekeepers: legal aspects, space needs, risks, equipment needed, startup costs, time requirements for hive maintenance.

Florida-Friendly Best Management Practices for Protection of Water Quality (GI-BMP)

UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County
Thursday, February 8, 2018
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Fees apply.

Deadline to receive pre-registration discount is February 4, 2018

<http://occeu.eventbrite.com>

For landscape/pest management/property management professionals. This training is required to obtain the new Commercial Fertilizer Applicator License. Fees apply.

Clase Basica de Jardin de Vegetales

Mary Jane Arlington Gym and Aquatic Center
625 Country Club Drive, Poinciana
Thursday, February 8, 2018
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

<http://ocagriculture.eventbrite.com>

Aprenda como crecer sus vegetales, discutiremos como preparar el suelo, ajustar el pH, fertilización, pestes y enfermedades.



New Technology for Commercial Crop Production-CEU Day

UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County

Wednesday, February 28, 2018

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

<http://occeu.eventbrite.com/>

Live video training includes: Weed Management in Vegetables, Alternative Specialty Crops, Peach Production Update. CEU's available: Certified Crop Advisors; Pesticide Applicators. Fees apply.

Florida Friendly Landscaping Series

Mary Jane Arlington Gym and Aquatic Center
625 Country Club Drive, Poinciana

March 1 - Part 1 – Right Plant, Right Place & Water Efficiently

March 8 - Part 2 – Fertilize Appropriately, Mulch & Attract Wildlife

March 15 - Part 3 – Manage Yard Pest Responsibly & Recycle Yard Waste

March 22 - Part 4 – Reduce Stormwater Runoff & Protect the Waterfront

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

<http://ocagriculture.eventbrite.com>

Do you want to have a beautiful garden without spending too much money or spending a lot of time gardening? Come to learn the basic principles of Florida Friendly Landscaping. Every class will discuss two or more of the FFL Principles.

Florida Friendly Landscaping en Español

Mary Jane Arlington Gym and Aquatic Center
625 Country Club Drive, Poinciana

April 5 - Parte 1 - Planta Correcta, Lugar
Correcto & Irrigar de Forma Eficiente

April 12 - Parte 2 - Fertilizar de Forma
Apropiada, "Mulch" & Atraer la Fauna

April 19 - Parte 3 - Maneje los Insectos y
Enfermedades de Forma Responsable &
Reciclemos

April 26 - Parte 4 - Reducir la Encorrentia de
Aguas Pluviales & Protección de los
Cuerpos de Agua

11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

<http://ocagriculture.eventbrite.com>

¿Quiere usted tener un jardin bonito sin gastar mucho dinero o estar mucho tiempo trabajando en el jardin? Les invitamos a que asista a la serie de clases donde hablaremos de los principios básicos de como tener un jardin eficiente en Florida.

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Florida-Friendly Best Management Practices for Protection of Water Quality (GI-BMP)

UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County

Thursday, May 3, 2018

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Fees apply.

Deadline to receive pre-registration discount is April 29, 2018

<http://occeu.eventbrite.com>

For landscape/pest management/property management professionals. This training is required to obtain the new Commercial Fertilizer Applicator License. Fees apply.

Florida-Friendly Best Management Practices for Protection of Water Quality (GI-BMP)

UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County

Thursday, August 16, 2018

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Fees apply.

Deadline to receive pre-registration discount is August 12, 2018

<http://occeu.eventbrite.com>

For landscape/pest management/property management professionals. This training is required to obtain the new Commercial Fertilizer Applicator License. Fees apply.

PLANT CLINIC IS OPEN

Mon. - Fri. | 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Master Gardeners available 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Call 321-697-3000

UF/IFAS EXTENSION OSCEOLA COUNTY OFFERS SOLUTIONS FOR YOUR LIFE!

Services and programs include:

- 4-H Youth Development
- Health & Wellness
- Nutrition & Food Safety
- Personal Finances
- Home Buying and Maintenance
- Natural Resources
- Lawn & Gardening
- Agriculture

What does this mean for YOU as a Resident of Osceola County?

We are here to offer you education utilizing research-based, unbiased information from the UF/IFAS. Our programs are developed based on the needs of the local community. We partner with groups in our community to expand our outreach.

Persons with accessibility requirements should contact the UF/IFAS Extension Osceola County office at least 3 working days in advance of the program.

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