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**Welcome to our UCCE Master Gardeners of  
San Bernardino County Monthly Newsletter**

We invite you to register for free Zoom workshops, see how the desire to learn changed Gretchen Heimlich-Villalta's future in our [Master Gardener Spotlight](#), read [Coordinator's](#)

[Corner](#) on Loving Your Summer Garden, [Janet's Jottings](#) on "Making a Difference Locally" and our June IPM focus on Lawn Care at [What's Bugging Your Garden](#).

## Where To Find Us This Month

Have Gardening/Landscaping Questions? Join any of our free Zoom talks listed below and ask your gardening questions at the end of class!

- **June 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday 3:00 to 4:00 pm** [“June in your Garden: Planting, Pruning, Fertilization, and Pest Management”](#)
- **June 10<sup>th</sup> Thursday 2:00 to 3:00 pm** [“Aprenda a cultivar hierbas”](#) (en Español)
- **June 10<sup>th</sup> Thursday 3:00 to 4:00 pm** [“Growing Herbs”](#)
- **June 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday 11:00 am to 1:00 pm** [“Ask a Master Gardener Time and Short Presentations: 11:00 am: Kitchen Gardening & 12:00 pm: Vermicomposting: Recycling for your Food!”](#) and our Master Food Preservers will be joining us this month too, so bring your food preservation questions too!
- **June 19<sup>th</sup> Saturday 2:00 to 3:30 pm** [“Edible Gardens: Summer Beans”](#) plus a short presentation by our San Bernardino County Master Food Preservers
- **June 21<sup>st</sup> Mon 6:00 to 7:00 pm** [“Fruit and Veggie Gardening in the Summer”](#)
- **June 24<sup>th</sup> Thursday 6:30 to 7:30 pm** [“Preparing your Yard’s Defensible Spaces for Fire Safety”](#)
- **June 28<sup>th</sup> Monday 6:00 to 7:00 pm** [“Seed Saver Series: Hand Pollinating your Fruits”](#)



## Coordinator's Corner

**By: Margaret O'Neill**

**Environmental Education and Master Gardener Coordinator**

### Loving Your Summer Garden!

Summer gardens are just around the corner and I am so here for it!! I can't wait to harvest some fresh home-grown tomatoes! I'm looking forward to some sweet...

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## **Janet's Jottings**

**By: Janet Hartin**  
**Area Environmental Horticulture Advisor**

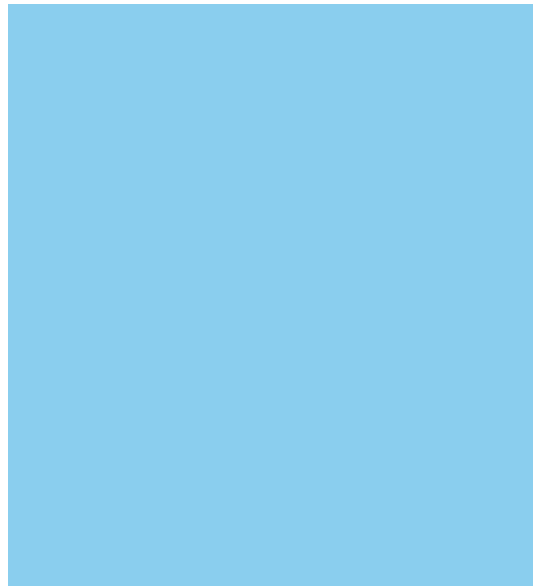
**Make a Difference Locally!!**

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**Monthly Master**



## Gardener Spotlight

### Monthly Master Gardener Spotlight

By: Debbie LeDoux, MG

### UCCE San Bernardino County Master Gardener Gretchen Heimlick- Villalta

A passion for gardening inspires many gardeners to want to learn more so they can become better gardeners. This desire to learn more leads many gardeners like Gretchen to the University of California...

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## What's Bugging Your Garden?

The University of California [Integrated Pest Management \(IPM\)](#) program

has a great website for controlling garden pest problems with the least impact on people and their surroundings.

Whether it's fungal, insect or vertebrate pest, you can find some answers. If you still have questions, make sure to contact the MG Helpline.

This month we are highlighting the pages on **Caring for Your Lawn:**

[Lawns and Turf](#)

Also available in Spanish.

# UCCE SAN BERNARDINO MASTER GARDENERS' EVENTS **JUNE**

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**June In Your Garden (online):** Planting, Pruning, Fertilization & Pest Management

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**Apranda a Cultivar Hierbas (en Español) (Taller Virtual)**

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**Learning to Grow Herbs at Home (online)**

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**Ask a Master Gardener Time (online):** Kitchen Gardening, Vermicomposting and Master Food Preservers

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**Edible Gardens (online):** Summer Beans! & a short presentation by Master Food Preservers

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**Fruit and Veggie Gardening in the Summer (online)**

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**Preparing your Yard's Defensible Spaces for Fire Safety (online)**

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**Seed Saver Series (online):** Hand Pollinating your Fruits and Veggies

## TO DO LIST



- Fertilize acid loving plants, monitor bugs in the veggies
- Check sprinklers, make sure sprinklers are not hitting trees
- Mulch garden beds if not done last month, make sure mulch is at least 3 feet away from tree trunks
- General cleanup for fire protection
- Tie up vines
- Thin grapes

## WHAT TO PLANT IN JUNE



### TREES, SHRUBS, PERENNIALS

Not Recommended



### FLOWERS

**Transplants:** ageratun, bachelor buttons, celosia, cosmos, impatiens, lobelia, marigold, petunia, dahlias



### VEGETABLES

**From seed:** Last sowing of beans, beets, corn, cucumber, melons, parsnip, peppers, pumpkins, radish, all squash, tomatoes, celery, chayote squash, okra

**Transplants:** peppers and tomatoes



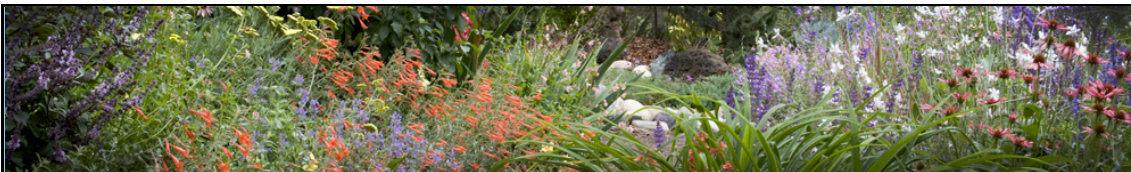
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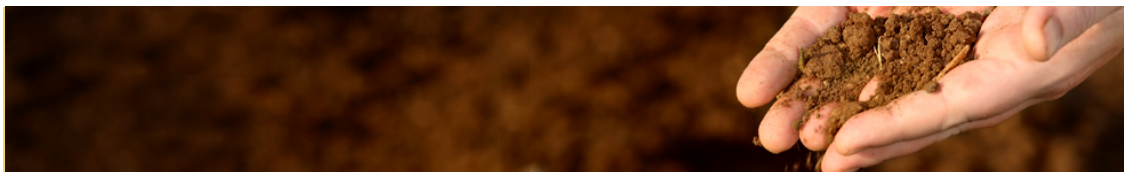


## UCCE MG Helpline

We can help with your growing and pest control questions.  
Email or phone us at the Master Gardener Helpline

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(909) 387-2182



## Who We Are

[UCCE Master Gardeners](#) are trained volunteers who provide unbiased research based information to the gardening public. Areas of expertise include drought-resistant sustainable landscapes and food production in home, community and school gardens. Master Gardeners reach over 35,000 San Bernardino County residents annually. Other UCCE programs in San Bernardino County are the [Master Food Preserver Program](#), [Youth/4-H](#), [Expanded Food and Nutrition Education \(EFNEP\)](#), commercial horticulture, livestock and natural resources. Learn more about our programs here: <http://cesanbernardino.ucanr.edu>



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