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

Thank you for your interest in our Master Gardener classes, activities, and news updates. There are a number of exciting opportunities coming up this month and a new monthly feature entitled 'Monthly Master Gardener Spotlight'.

Where To Find Us This Month

Upcoming Free Events:

- **March 7th:** [Prado Regional Park](#) “*From the Garden to the Table*” workshop from 9:00 to 3:00 pm. Talks include:
 - ~ 9:00 to 10:30 am “*Warm Season Veggie Gardening*” taught by

San Bernardino County (SBC) Master Gardeners.

~ 10:30 to 12:00 *"Preserving your Harvest"* taught by SBC Master Food Preservers, they will have some yummy samples to try too!

~ 1:00 to 2:00 pm *"Managing Garden Pests and Local Emerging Pests"* taught by SBC Master Gardeners, learn what you need to know to protect your veggies and plants from pests.

~ 2:00 to 3:00 pm *"Sustainable Landscaping"* taught by SBC Master Gardeners, a free landscape book will be given away with this class, so please [RSVP](#) by e-mailing Robin, if you plan to attend.

- **March 7th:** [San Bernardino Municipal Water District](#) *"Low Water Use Landscape Design"* 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.
- **March 7th:** Rialto Community Garden monthly talk with SBC Master Gardeners and Master Food Preservers. Topics: *"To Trellis or Not to Trellis and How to make Jellies and Jam with your Harvest"* 9:00 to 11:00 am.
- **March 10th:** [Waterwise Community Center](#) *"Open House and Student Showcase"* 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Come Join Master Gardeners and more at the Waterwise Community Centers annual "Open House and Student Showcase".
- **March 14th:** [Fontana's Lewis Library](#) *"From the Garden to the Table"* workshop from 9:00 to 3:00 pm. Talks include:
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- **March 21** : [San Bernardino Municipal Water District](#) “*Landscape Irrigation 101*” 9:00 to 12:00 pm.
- **March 28th**: [Highland Citrus Festival](#) 10:00 am to 3:30 pm.

Recurring Events:

- [Loma Linda Library](#) Have your home landscaping and gardening questions answered at the 'Ask A Master Gardener' help desk (upstairs) the 2nd Sunday of each month, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm.
- [CBWCD: Mulch Giveaway](#) every 1st and 3rd Saturday each month 8:30 to 11:30 am. [Seed Library](#) every Saturday 12:00 to 2:00 pm. Have your home landscaping and gardening questions answered at the new '[Ask a Master Gardener](#)' help desk from 12:00 am to 2:00 pm the 3rd Saturday of each month.
- [Redlands Saturday Certified Farmers Market](#) every 1st and 3rd Saturday each month 8:00 to 11:00 am.
- [Phelan Certified Farmers Market](#) every 1st and 3rd Monday each month 2:00 to 5:00 pm.
- [Wrightwood Certified Farmers Market](#) every Friday 4:00 to 7:00 pm.
- Want more programs and events, link to the San Bernardino [UCANR](#) website.
- Join us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) and visit our [MG Blog](#) or the [MFP Blog](#) !!
- Master Gardener helplines are just a click or phone call away (inquires will be answered within 48 hours).
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Monthly Master Gardener Spotlight Meet Loleta Cruz by Debbie Ledoux, MG

She has been a UCCE Master
Gardener in San Bernardino



County for over 25 years, and, as she says, “the rest is history.”

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**Janet's Jottings
Congratulations To Our
Latest Master Gardener
Graduates In The Class of
2020!**

Congratulations to our newest 52 graduates from all corners of the county.

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Coordinator's Corner

By: Margaret O'Neill

Environmental Education and Master Gardener Coordinator

Wondering what it is like to be a Master Gardener?

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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>

UCCE MG Helpline

We are here to help you, please give us a call with your gardening questions, We speak Spanish too!!

Email or phone the Master Gardener Helpline:
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