

URBAN GARDENING *Festival*



A FREE COMMUNITY EVENT FOR ALL HOSTED BY THE MASTER GARDENERS OF DAVIDSON COUNTY

**SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2018 | 9AM - 4PM, RAIN OR SHINE
AT THE DEMONSTRATION GARDEN
AT ELLINGTON AGRICULTURAL CENTER**

**SUPPLIERS • ARTISANS • EXHIBITORS • PLANT DIAGNOSTICS • HOW-TO DEMONSTRATIONS
CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES • FOOD TRUCKS • LIVE MUSIC**

- Talk to experts from over 50 exhibitors including experts in chickens, beekeeping, and composting and shop local artisans handmade products, like pottery, woven baskets, planters & pots, and more. Tasty eats, beverages, and ice cream will be available for purchase from local food trucks.
- Gardening questions of any nature will be answered at the "Ask a Master Gardener" booth. Master Gardeners of Davidson County, who are trained by UT Extension Agents, will present how-to demonstrations on container gardening, growing herbs, flower gardening, and more.
- See some of the latest trends in backyard gardening and hear presentations from an impressive lineup of speakers from across the state. Seven free interactive presentations, given by UT Extension Agents, Master Gardeners and local experts, will be offered in the Program Tent. Topics range from soil fertility to small scale greenhouses, to attracting backyard birds and pollinators, to controlling moles and voles.
- The Chef Tent is the place to learn how to make an energy drink from local honey, how to make herb-infused butters and pesto with ingredients right from the garden, or watch a cooking demo from a local pro using locally grown produce.
- Find an assortment of handmade crafts for sale including mini-gardens in unique containers, cork wreathes and serving trays, and so much more.
- For junior gardeners, there's plenty to do at the Children's Tent including make-and-take marigolds, face painting, and decorating garden rocks.

DEMONSTRATION GARDEN ADDRESS: 5201 MARCHANT DRIVE, NASHVILLE, TN

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