



Children's Garden Club

St. Louis County Parks & Recreation • Growing with the Nine Network

2012 Children's Garden Club

All meetings are at 9:00 a.m. – on the first Saturday of each month (except July and September) at different locations throughout St. Louis County and City. All are Free. No RSVP's are required, everyone welcome. The Children's Garden Club is designed to educate, as well as bring delight in gardening and horticulture with projects children can start themselves and take home to continue to grow and enjoy

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| January 7th | Use of dried material – Baisch & Skinner, Inc, – 2721 LaSalle Street |
| February 4th | Fun Things To Do In The Garden – Sappington Garden Center – 11530 Gravois Road |
| February 23-26 | Home & Garden Show – Beatle Mania
Flower Show America's Center & Edward Jones Dome |
| March 3rd | Growing in The Garden – Susan Grigsby's New book & Premier Book Signing
First Peas to the Table: How Thomas Jefferson Inspired a School Garden
Sherwood Forest Nursery & Garden Center – 2651 Barrett Station Road |
| April 7th | Fairy Gardens – For the Garden @ Haefner's Greenhouses
6703 Telegraph Road |
| May 5th | Annual & Vegetables – Compliment of Wiethops Greenhouses
at the Museum of Transportation – 3015 Barrett Station Rd. |
| June 2nd | Grilling Vegetables from the Garden & Pineapples Too
Sherwood Forest Nursery & Schnucks Markets
at Sherwood – 2651 Barrett Station Road |
| July 14th | Fun in the Garden – Chesterfield Nursery – 16825 N. Outer Road |
| August 4th | Toxic Plants – Queeny Park Wedding Garden – 1675 South Mason Road |
| September 8th | Fun in the Garden – Sherwood Forest Nursery & Garden Center
2651 Barrett Station Road |
| October 6th | All about Bats For the Garden @ Haefners Greenhouses
6703 Telegraph Road |
| November 3rd | Herb – Chocolate – Watch chocolates being made, and taste some fresh samples @ Chocolate Chocolate Chocolate Company – 6740 Chippewa St. |
| December 1st | Holiday Decorations – Sherwood Forrest & Garden Center
2651 Barrett Station Road |





For ages 4-14 years
(4-6 yrs. must be accompanied by parent)
9 am-11 am

Wildlife Gardening Jan 14- Feb 11

As Wildlife Gardeners, children will gain an understanding and strengthen their appreciation for the wildlife that is part of their local community. They will also enjoy novel, hands-on project based learning as they have fun learning to garden for wildlife, building components of wildlife habitat, and taking part in an integrated curriculum that will strengthen skills in math, science, language and social studies.

Health & Nutrition Mar 17- Apr 14

Children understand how their food choices affect not only their own health, but also farmers, the environment, and your local community. Students will discover where food comes from, how our bodies use food, and what happens to food waste. They'll participate in the ecological cycle of food production, compost formation, and recycling back to the soil. Kids will learn about the "Food Plate", have "hands on" experience with growing their own food, tasting and harvesting. They will also have a community service project donating to the "Feed My People" food pantry.

Jr. Master Garden Club

The series of classes is part of the "Golden Ray Series" out of the Texas A & M University AgriLife Extension Program. The Junior Master Gardener Program is a new and innovative 4-H youth gardening project. It is modeled after the highly successful Master Gardener program and offers horticultural and environmental science education, leadership and life skills development through fun and creative activities. This program is committed to helping young people become good gardeners and good citizens so they can make a positive contribution to their community, school and family.



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Greensfelder Recreation Complex
550 Weidman
Ballwin, MO 63011
314-615-8482

(When weather permits, classes will move to the barn off of Mason Rd. in Queeny Park)