



**UCCE Master Gardeners of Lake Tahoe
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Coordinator's Corner:

Greetings!

It is hard to believe that we are getting more snow in mid-April but I guess that's life in Tahoe.... We have some great events and workshops lined up from April- June and we really hope you will be able to join us.

Information on how to sign up or just show up to some of our events are below. Thanks for reading!

Sincerely,

Megan Suarez-Brand

Community Soup Night
Thursday, April 19th from 5:30 - 7:00 pm
South Lake Brewing Company

Join us this Thursday night for a kick off event focused on connecting *local people to local food*. This is a family friendly event!

Join us for a night of culinary fun and FREE FOOD as we work to bring local produce, food and gardening to South Lake Tahoe.

--Soup prepared by South Tahoe High School Culinary Arts Program

--Bread prepared by LTCC Culinary Arts Program

--Salad prepared by Sierra House Elementary School

UCCE Master Gardeners of Lake Tahoe and will be on hand to answer your veggie gardening questions and to invite you to our upcoming workshops.

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APRIL 19
5:30 - 7:00 pm
South Lake Brewing Company
1970 Lake Tahoe Blvd
Donations welcome

Presented by UCCE Master Gardeners of Lake Tahoe. For more information, visit <http://www.ucanr.edu>. UC ANR is an equal opportunity provider and employer. The University of California, working in cooperation with County Government and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Find out how to join a local CSA food box program and meet local El Dorado County Farmers.

Discover what our local elementary schools are doing to bring gardens into their classrooms.

Thank you to all the co-sponsors, El Dorado County Farmers, students and community members for making this a reality!

FREE Tahoe Friendly Garden Workshops
April 28th, May 19th & June 16th from 1-3 pm
Spring at the South Lake Tahoe Library

This spring the UCCE Master Gardeners of Lake Tahoe in partnership with South Tahoe Public Utility District and Friends of the Library will be hosting 3 free garden/landscape design workshops. All Tahoe Friendly Garden Workshops will be held at the South Lake Tahoe Library: 1000 Rufus Allen Blvd, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150. Workshops will be presented by the UCCE Master Gardeners of Lake Tahoe and South Tahoe Public Utility District.



Workshop #1: Choosing the right plants for your garden, Saturday, April 28th, 1-3 pm

Workshop #2: How to Design a Tahoe Friendly Garden, Saturday, May 19th, 1-3 pm

Workshop #3: Irrigation: the basics for your home landscape, Saturday, June 16th, 1-3 pm

Participants will get to plan or re-imagine their home garden while also getting hands-on experience. As a group we will be helping to re-design and plant one of the memorial gardens at the library.

Materials provided to registered participants.

Sign-up for one or all workshops at:

<http://ucanr.edu/tahogardenworkshop>



Growing Food in Tahoe Workshops

May 14th- June 14th (Evenings Mon - Thurs)

Join us & get plants for your garden

We're back at it with another packed series of Growing Food in Tahoe Workshops!

We will be offering a series of 5 workshops on Potatoes, Onions, Raspberries, Kale/Lettuce and Tomatoes.

Each week will be a new theme.

Workshops are family friendly and you get to go home with plants for your home garden!



Classes will run from May 14 - June 14th, 2018 in the evenings.



* **Mondays:** Tahoe City, UC Davis TERC
Environmental Field Station

* **Tuesdays:** South Lake Tahoe Library (*except
June 12th at Bijou School)

* **Wednesdays:** Truckee Demonstration Garden

* **Thursdays:** Incline Village, North Tahoe
Demonstration Garden

Most workshops are free but some have a suggested donation to assist with routine maintenance at demonstration gardens. The Growing Food in Tahoe Workshop series are a part of a larger climate study to see which varieties grow best in our Tahoe environment.

For more information on times and locations

please visit: <http://ucanr.edu/sites/mqlaketahoe/files/278132.pdf>

Thank you to our partners at UC Davis TERC, Slow Food Lake Tahoe, South Lake Tahoe Friends of the Library and North Tahoe Demonstration Garden. We are excited for another great round of spring workshops!

Sincerely,

Megan Suarez-Brand, Program Coordinator

The UCCE Master Gardeners of Lake Tahoe strive to meet the horticulture needs of the Lake Tahoe Basin Community, we are pleased to extend research-based information to fellow gardeners on home horticulture. Our Master Gardener volunteers receive training and certification from the University of California Cooperative Extension and provide practical scientific gardening information.

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