

Instructors

The instructors for this program are all members of the Athens Area Master Gardeners Association. In addition to their various and extensive backgrounds in the subject areas, they have completed the Georgia Master Gardener program through the University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Program. The Master Gardener Program trains and certifies individuals in horticulture and related areas. In exchange for this specialized training, master gardeners volunteer their expertise and services to help educate others through horticulture projects that benefit the community.

Robert Wyatt	Master Gardener
Amanda Tedrow	UGA Cooperative Extension Agent
Brenda Beckham	Master Gardener
Rick Hafenbrack	Master Gardener
Frank Johnson	Master Gardener
Randy Elmore	Master Gardener



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Grow Your Own Food

A Gardening Series

Brought to you by Athens Technical College and Athens Area Master Gardeners Association



Nine Classes!

**Thursdays 6-7:30 p.m.
Starting September 17th, 2009**

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Grow Your Own Food

If you want to learn how to grow your own food from professional gardeners, this series is for you. Nine classes are designed to take you from learning to test your soil and get your garden ready for planting, to harvesting and preserving your food. You will learn from Master Gardeners who are trained through the University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Master Gardeners Program and are dedicated to educating others in their expertise.



Program Outline & Instructors

September 17

- **Soil and Soil Amending**

Robert Wyatt

Learn how to test your soil and how to correct problems.
A \$6 testing fee applies to this class for testing your soil.

September 24

- **Composting and Mulching**

Amanda Tedrow

Learn how to compost and use mulch to maximize success in your garden.

October 1

- **Starting Seeds, Transplanting, and Saving Seeds**

Amanda Tedrow

October 8

- **The Spring Garden**

Amanda Tedrow

October 15

- **Harvesting**

Brenda Beckham

- **Irrigation**

Rick Hafenbrack

October 22

- **Small Fruit**

Frank Johnson

October 29

- **The Winter Garden**

Amanda Tedrow

November 5

- **Insects, Diseases, and Weeds**

Randy Elmore

November 12

- **Preserving the Harvest**

Brenda Beckham

Grow Your Own Food

To schedule classes, simply call Athens Technical College at 706-369-5763, or register online at athenstech.edu.

The price for each class is \$15. Or register for all nine classes for \$99.

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