

AUGUST-OCTOBER CLASSES PORTLAND NURSERY ON STARK 5050 SE Stark St.

Register in-store, call 503.231.5050, or email stark-classes@portlandnursery.com.
Tea and coffee provided. Classes free unless otherwise stated.

August 1, Sunday 1pm Small Scale Permaculture

Small Scale Permaculture with Leonard Barrett of [Barrett Ecological Services](#) and permaculture for renters blog <http://permacultureforrenters.com>. Learn how permaculture concepts can be applied to backyard food gardens to increase productivity, diversify yields, build soil fertility, and reduce the need for weeding and other strenuous maintenance.

August 7, Saturday 10:30-11:30am - Water to the Weather for Healthy Watersheds

Water to the Weather for Healthy Watersheds with Chaun MacQueen. There will be time for questions following Chaun's presentation.

August 8, Sunday 1pm- Food forests with Leonard Barrett of Barrett Ecological Services

A food forest is a way of gardening that mimics the diversity and resilience of a healthy forest, and provides an abundance of fruits, nuts, vegetables, flowers, herbs, and more. Come learn about how to apply this technique at home.

August 13-15, Friday-Sunday Store Hours - Oregon Fuchsia Society Show and Sale

August 15, Sunday 1pm- Invasive Plants with the Mitch Bixby with the City of Portland

Learn how to identify and manage some of the worst invasive in our area.

August 22, Sunday 1pm- Bamboo with Ian Connor of Connor Bamboo

Fall in love with bamboo as Ian discusses some of his favorites and how to properly contain them.

August 29, Sunday 1pm- Seed saving with Vern Nelson

The Hungry Gardener columnist, and garden consultant.

As summer comes to an end learn about how to save seed of your favorite crops for next year!

September 5, Sunday 1pm- Outdoor Bonsai with Henry Sjoblom.

\$25.00 Limited to 10 people

Henry is an experienced bonsai enthusiast and he will share his tips on how to select and train plants for outdoor bonsai. In this workshop you will start your own bonsai! All materials provided.

September 12, Sunday 1pm- Gardening with native plants with Brent Ward of Portland Nursery

Natives are fantastic for the garden because they are low maintenance, attractive and great for wildlife. Learn how to cultivate different natives to fit your garden needs.

September 19, Sunday 1pm- Cover crops with Portland Nursery staff

We will highlight the different types of cover crops and their benefits. You will also learn how to plant and dig in cover crops.

September 26, Sunday 1pm- Pruning Japanese Maples with Brent Ward of Portland Nursery

Brent will be speaking about his favorite subject. He will highlight appropriate timing, the best tools, and proper techniques for pruning Japanese maples.

October 3, Sunday 1pm- Year Round Containers with Portland Nursery staff

Your containers can look full and fabulous all year with the right plants. Learn about some of our favorite plant selections for containers, and tips for planting.