

**34th Florida Master Gardener Continued Training Conference
Program Agenda**

Sunday		Sunday, October 18, 2015			
12:30pm-5:30pm	Optional Pre-Conference Field Trips				
4:30pm-6:30pm	Pre-Conference Registration Open [Palms Ballroom Foyer] Early Silent Auction Donation Check-In [Cypress 2]				
Monday		Monday, October 19, 2015			
6:30am-9:00am	Breakfast at Embassy Suites - Included in Hotel Reservation [Dining Room]				
7:30am-6:00pm	Registration Open [Palms Ballroom Foyer]				
7:30am-2:00pm	Silent Auction Donation Check-In [Cypress 2]				
9:00am-9:30am	Welcome and Announcements [Palms CD] Wendy Wilber , Florida Statewide Master Gardener Coordinator, UF/IFAS				
9:30am-11:30am	OPENING KEYNOTE PRESENTATION [Palms CD] Florida Wildlife Corridor: Connecting to Keep Florida Wild Mallory Lykes Dimmitt , Florida Wildlife Corridor Executive Director Moderator: Wendy Wilber				
11:30am-5:30pm	UF/IFAS Extension Bookstore Open [Cypress 1]				
11:30am-1:00pm	Author <u>Ginny Stibolt</u> Book Signing [Cypress 1]				
11:30am-1:00pm	Lunch on Own				
Concurrent Sessions 1					
1:00pm-2:00pm	A-1	B-1	C-1	D-1	
	Invasives & Wildlife	Hort & Garden	Soils & Diagnostics	FFL	
Location	Palms CD	Palms E	Palms G	Palms F	
Moderator	Ed Thralls	Brooke Moffis	Kim Gabel	Christine Kelly-Begazo	
	Steve Johnson What's in Your Yard?: Managing Invasive Wildlife in Your Florida-Friendly Landscape	Shirley Barber Beautiful Gardens Begin with the Seed	Abid Al Agely Biofertilizer: Mycorrhizae	Joe Sowards Tips and Strategies for a Successful Demonstration Garden	
2:00pm-2:15pm	Move to Next Session				
2:00pm-7:30pm	Silent Auction Open [Cypress 2]				
Concurrent Sessions 2					
2:15pm-3:15pm	A-2	B-2	C-2	D-2	
	Invasives & Wildlife	Hort & Garden	Soils & Diagnostics	FFL	
Location	Palms CD	Palms F	Palms E	Palms G	
Moderator	Katherine Oliver	Claire Lewis	Yvette Goodiel	Lynn Barber	
	Mary Jane Cary Teaming with Nature: Landscaping with the Natives	Christine Kelly-Begazo Not Your Average Palm	Rao Mylavarapu Soil Testing and Figuring Out What Your Soil Needs	Laurie Trenholm Frustrated by Fertilizers: Getting to Know Those Nutrients & What's in the Bag	
3:15pm-3:45pm	Refreshment Break and Move to Next Session [Palms Ballroom Foyer]				
Concurrent Sessions 3					
3:45pm-4:45pm	A-3	B-3	C-3	D-3	
	Invasives & Wildlife	Hort & Garden	Soils & Diagnostics	FFL	
Location	Palms F	Palms E	Palms CD	Palms G	
Moderator	Mary Derrick	Kate O'Neill	Norma Samuel	Gabrielle Milch	
	Bill Giuliano, Holly Ober, and Steve Johnson Coping with Wildlife That Can Be Dangerous or Damaging	Dale Galiano Garden Art	Carrie Harmon Plant Disease Diagnosis: How to Make a Sick Plant Talk	Gail Hansen Bridging the Divide: Strategies for Homeowners and HOAs Working Together	
4:45pm-5:00pm	Move to Next Session				
5:00pm-6:00pm	GENERAL SESSION 2 [Palms CD] Bromeliads, Backyards, and Mosquitoes Roxanne Connelly , UF/IFAS Professor and Medical Entomology Specialist Moderator: Wendy Wilber				
6:00pm-7:30pm	Welcome Reception and County Photos [Palms AB and Prefunction Area]				

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Tuesday	Tuesday, October 20, 2015			
6:30am-8:00am	Breakfast at Embassy Suites - Included in Hotel Reservation <i>[Dining Room]</i>			
7:00am-6:00pm	Registration Open <i>[Palms Ballroom Foyer]</i>			
7:00am-5:00pm	UF/IFAS Extension Bookstore Open <i>[Cypress 1]</i>			
7:00am-5:00pm	Silent Auction Open <i>[Cypress 2]</i>			
8:00am-9:30am	GENERAL SESSION 3 <i>[Palms CD]</i> Underutilized and Fantastic Woody Plants for Florida Landscapes <i>Gary Knox</i> , UF/IFAS Woody Plants Specialist and <i>Jason Smith</i> , UF/IFAS Forest Pathologist Moderator: Christine Kelly-Begazo			
9:30am-10:00am	Refreshment Break and Move to Next Session <i>[Palms Ballroom Foyer]</i>			
Concurrent Sessions 4				
10:00am-11:00am	A-4 Edibles	B-4 Hort & Garden	C-4 Soils & Diagnostics	D-4 FFL
Location	Palms CD	Palms G	Palms E	Palms F
Moderator	Carolyn Saft	Claire Lewis	Tracy Tesdall	Jack LeCroy
	Christine Kelly-Begazo Creating a Sustainable Food System in Your Backyard	Mark Hoyer Florida LAKEWATCH: Citizen Scientists Protecting Florida's Aquatic Systems	Sally Scalera Gardening is Really All About the Soil: Always Was & Always Will Be!	Deah Lieurance Invasive Plants - What You Need to Know!
11:00am-11:15am	Move to Next Session			
Concurrent Sessions 5				
11:15am-12:15pm	A-5 Edibles	B-5 Hort & Garden	C-5 Youth	D-5 FFL
Location	Palms E	Palms CD	Palms G	Palms F
Moderator	Matthew Orwat	Terry DelValle	Yvette Goodiel	Katherine Oliver
	Gabrielle Milch Vegetable Gardening for the Public	Catharine Mannion Attracting Pollinators & Beneficial Insects to Your Yard and Keeping Them There	Lesley Fleming 10 Ways to Use the Junior Master Gardener Program - Thinking Outside the Box	Claire Lewis Landscape Advisor Training: Navigating the FFL Recognition Checklist
12:15pm-1:15pm	Provided Boxed Lunch <i>[Palms AB]</i>			
12:15pm-1:15pm	Author Jim Stephens Book Signing <i>[Cypress 1]</i>			
1:15pm-3:15pm	4-H Plant ID and Judging Contest <i>[Cypress 3-5]</i>			
2:15pm-3:15pm	Industry Updates <i>[Palms CD]</i> Moderators: Wendy Wilber and Ed Thralls			
3:15pm-3:45pm	Refreshment Break and Move to Next Session <i>[Palms Ballroom Foyer]</i>			
Concurrent Sessions 6				
3:45pm-4:45pm	A-6 Hort & Garden	B-6 Hort & Garden	C-6 Awards	D-6 FFL
Location	Palms CD	Palms E	Palms F	Palms G
Moderator	Susan Kooiman	Sally Scalera	Emily Eubanks	Kim Gabel
	Lynn Barber, Sydney Park Brown, and Norma Samuel Favorite Funky Flowers and Great Plants You Should Grow	Suzanne Greene Propagation by Air Layer	2013 Florida Master Gardener Awards of Excellence Winners Award-Winning MG Project Updates	Tom Becker Mangrove Conservation Jeopardy: A Homeowner's Guide to Living with Mangroves
4:45pm-5:00pm	Move to Next Session Last Call for Silent Auction Bids <i>[Cypress 2]</i>			
5:00pm-5:45pm	GENERAL SESSION 4 <i>[Palms CD]</i> Mothball Tales: The Good, the Bad, and the Smelly <i>Rebecca Baldwin</i> , UF/IFAS Entomologist and <i>Paul Mitola</i> , FDACS Moderator: Emily Eubanks			
5:45pm-6:00pm	Silent Auction Announcements and Door Prizes <i>[Palms CD]</i>			
6:00pm-7:00pm	Silent Auction Checkout <i>[Cypress 2]</i>			
	Dinner on Own			

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Wednesday	Wednesday, October 21, 2015
6:30am-8:30am	Breakfast at Embassy Suites - Included in Hotel Reservation <i>[Dining Room]</i>
7:30am-1:00pm	Registration Open <i>[Palms Ballroom Foyer]</i>
7:30am-11:30am	UF/IFAS Extension Bookstore Open <i>[Cypress 1]</i>
8:30am-9:30am	GENERAL SESSION 5 <i>[Palms ABCD]</i> Poinsettias - Answering Questions about This Popular Holiday Plant <i>Jim Barrett</i> , UF/IFAS Horticulturist and Professor Emeritus Moderator: Nichelle Demorest
9:30am-10:45am	Awards Program <i>[Palms ABCD]</i>
10:45am-11:15am	Beverage Break <i>[Palms Ballroom Foyer]</i>
11:15am-1:00pm	CLOSING KEYNOTE PRESENTATION & PLATED LUNCH <i>[Palms ABCD]</i> Our Water, Our Future <i>John Moran</i> , Florida Nature Photographer and <i>Springs Eternal Project</i> Co-Director Moderator: Wendy Wilber
1:00pm	Conference Concludes