Master Gardeners and those of the public interested in attending this program from Idaho, Wyoming, Utah and Montana are invited to attend. Students and faculty from the University of Idaho and BYU-Idaho are also invited to attend.

Convention Schedule

Friday, June 29th

Located at the Thomas E. Ricks Gardens on the BYU-Idaho Campus, Rexburg, ID

8:00—8:40
Registration and check-in. Location of registration is the East side of the Benson building, signs will be posted.

8:40
Welcome and presenter introductions.

9:00—12:00
Classes and tours begin and rotate on the hour.

12:00
Lunch is provided on site in the orchard.

1:00—4:00
Afternoon classes and tours continue, which rotate on the hour and finish at 4:00.

Please check which events you will attend. Only sign up for six.

- The Benefits of Accessing Nature across the Lifespan: Dr. Reese Nelson, Brigham Young University - Idaho.
- Microbes That Eat Your Face - Underground Wonders Of Composting and Soil: Susan Bell, University of Idaho Extension.
- How Weeds Can Tell You the Condition of Your Soil: Carol Brennan, Ada County Master Gardener Program.
- Basics of Beekeeping and Making Your Garden a Haven for Pollinators: Reed Findlay, University of Idaho Extension.
- Wildlife Damage Control in the Yard and Landscape: Lance Ellis, University of Idaho Extension.
- Creating Rooms, Implementing Spatial Design, and Unique Places in the Landscape: Skyler Westergard, Brigham Young University - Idaho.
- Better than Organic; Home Gardening Basics, Storing Produce, and Seed Saving: Dr. Daniel Dewey, Brigham Young University - Idaho.
- Permaculture Design for Easier Landscape Maintenance: Jennifer Werlin, University of Idaho Extension.
- New Flower and Vegetable Varieties Being Introduced in 2018: Jerry Toll, Brigham Young University - Idaho.
- Identification of, and Solutions for, Insect Pests in the Landscape: Brad Gamett, University of Idaho Extension.
- Growing Native Plants in an Urban Landscape: Andy West, University of Idaho Extension.
- Identifying the Symptoms of Herbicide Injury on Plants: Dr. Don Morishita, University of Idaho Extension.