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Greely Lease NMGs Voting YES



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As was announced, the Greely Lease project received almost unanimous support from the Nueces Master Gardeners. The following is a recap:

97% voted yes.

3% voted no.

57% of the active Master Gardeners cast a vote.

What this means for the project? The City of Corpus Christi Parks and Recreation Department, upon receipt of the results of our vote, asked the Director of Parks and Recreation, E. Jay Ellington, to schedule a town hall meeting for the residents of the neighborhood in the immediate area around the Garden Senior Center. Getting the consent from the residents is the first step in the formal approval process and must be completed before any further actions are taken.

At the town hall meeting/s the Parks and Recreation Department and the NMGs will present the proposed plan for the educational gardens and answer any questions or concerns the residents may have. Thereafter, the residents will have a specific time period to advise the Parks and Recreation Department of any opinions in favor of or objections against the project. It is expected this process will take roughly 45 days, or until mid-September, to complete.

If the Parks and Recreation Department receives what can be determined to be a small amount of objections to the project, the next step is for the Parks and Recreation Department to schedule a presentation to the Corpus Christi City Council for their approval, rejection or if they require additional information.

This is what has been established at this time. You will be kept informed as this progresses.

New Certified Master Gardeners

Kelly Munguia of Class 28 became a Certified Master Gardener early in July. She is



already actively involved with the Plant Show Committee and other NMG activities. She brings with her a bountiful knowledge of horticulture and will be an excellent contribution to our organization. Shown to the right is recently certified Master Gardener Brian Carter

receiving his badge from CEA Kevin Gibbs and NMG President John Slusarz. Brian is already Chairperson for the Plant Show Committee.



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MASTER GARDENERS MEETING Tuesday, August 21

10:30am Board of Directors Meeting
11:30am Meet & Greet Lunch
12:00pm Presentation
12:30pm General Meeting

There are not any volunteers for luncheon this month. You can still step up and contact Rita as shown below.

If you could volunteer to help with future lunches, you can contact Rita Phillips 991-0750 or email her at rnphillipsccctx@grandecom.net and it would be greatly appreciated by everyone.



From Betty Rogers TIPS ON REPORTING YOUR HOURS

Intern Training Class - As always, all Master Gardeners are encouraged to assist when possible and attend class/accompany field trip activities to earn those much needed Continuing Education hours.

As MGs (students and interns included) you are a member of Garden Council. Please plan to attend those meetings. The meeting itself does not count for hours, but if there is a program certified MG's can count that for CE time. Students and interns do not receive credit but will receive knowledge and make new friends.

Happy birthday!

Nueces Master Gardeners with a birthday this month include the following. When you see one of them, be sure that you take time to tell and wish them a **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Aug 19	Ryan Hanisch	Class 28
Aug 20	Lan-Lee Lin	Class 10
Aug 20	Brenda Bishop	Class 26T
Aug 23	Kelly Munguia	Class 28
Aug 24	Sabra Morlan	Class 13
Aug 29	Brian Carter	Class 28



OTHER ACTIVITIES THIS MONTH

Wed, Aug 1 - Coastal Bend Cacti & Succulent Society, 7pm, GC, 687-6474

Thur, Aug 2 - Orchidology: 7pm BG 852-2100

Sat, Aug 18 - Getting Ready for Fall Gardens - Frank Eicholz, Nueces Master Gardener, says vegetable garden season starts early in south Texas for a second crop of warm season veggie favorites. 10:30-11:30 a.m. BG

Wed, Aug 21 - Plumeria Society, BG, 991-4376

Thur, Aug 26 - Bonsai Society, 7pm, GC, 992-0009

Thur, Aug 26 - Bromeliad Society, 658-8650 GC 7pm

Thur, Aug 23 - Harvey, One Year Later symposium Port Aransas - College of Natural Sciences The University of Texas at Austin Registration is required and FREE. Register early because registration will close at 200 people. [CLICK THIS](#)

Sat, Aug 25 - Lessons Learned from Harvey's Impact on Local Landscapes - Kevin Gibbs, Nueces Co. Extension Horticulture Agent 10:30-11:30 Botanical Gardens

GC - [5325 Greely Dr, CC, TX CLICK FOR MAP](#)

ONGOING PROJECTS

[CLICK THIS - COMMITTEE/PROJECT CONTACTS PDF](#)

BOTANICAL GARDENS, Wednesday, 7:30 am

GREELY SENIOR CENTER COURTYARD, 1st Mon., 8am Jessica Latimer 563-6008 or 429paloma@att.net

EARTH-KIND BEDS AT BOTANICAL GARDENS -

Times and days vary by each team - Contact Paul Parr for info. paulnorman4910@aol.com

FOOD BANK PROJECT Tuesdays 7:30am (Except MG meeting day then Wednesday) Contact: Mary Lambert 813-7596 or cwlmel@yahoo.com

NATURE CONSERVANCY Mon.s, 4:00pm & Blucher Park 5:00pm (Behind the Main Library). Contact: Karen Smith 877-9723



Agents Notes

Kevin O. Gibbs, CEA - Horticulture
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service



Broken Water Lines, but Captured Memories

After graduating from high school, I decided to take a break; lots of folks told me don't do it because you'll never go back to school if you do. The next year was spent working with my mom at the newspaper office, my mom was social (an extreme extrovert) and plenty of people stopped in to visit. We ran into all kinds of crazy people, but it's the regulars that I remember the most, many of them are still my friends to this day. After a year, though, I decided that I was feeling refreshed and that college was a good place to go.

Lubbock, Texas wasn't exactly a mecca of horticulture, but Texas Tech was close to home and it was a good school. After some research, the hard kind, we couldn't just go on the web back then, I found that Tech had a great horticulture program with a good reputation, so in the Spring of 1987, I began classes as an incoming Freshman.

My parents helped tremendously, but I decided if I was going to be a horticulture major, that I should get a part-time job in horticulture. I created a resume, which didn't contain much, and began to go from nursery to nursery explaining that I was a hort major and that I wanted to work in the industry. Most places told me that they had more applicants than they could ever need, but to go ahead and fill out the application anyway and they'd call me if they had an opening. I filled out the application and they placed it in the folder along with the existing stack they already had. Frustrated and about ready to give up, I remembered that there was a nursery on the North side of Lubbock called Ivey Gardens, so I made my way there, expecting to hear the same old thing that all the other nurseries had told me.



Mark Ivey was working in the front and as I introduced myself and told him about being a hort major, he smiled and told me they had tons of hort majors who came out, but that they generally didn't know too much. I asked him if he wanted me to fill out an application and he said "naw, but I tell you what, I'll give you a little quiz and if you can answer most of the questions then I'll consider hiring you". Ivey Gardens was a large place about 40,000 square feet of greenhouse space, so you can imagine my nervousness as he began to lead me through the aisles asking me plant questions. To my surprise, I knew almost every plant that he asked about and then he began asking me more

detailed questions about their care. I guess I must have done ok, because he said, "You know your stuff pretty good, I think we can use you". I worked at Ivey Gardens for the next five years. The Ivey's were and still are some of the best people I've ever known. I learned many things working there and made many friends. Work wasn't always glamorous (cleaning under the tables, unloading soil trucks etc.), but I learned that how a place looks is just as important as what is in it and what you are selling. We replaced poly, we built tables, we added 40,000 more square feet, we did all kinds of stuff.



One day while cleaning under the tables, one of the sprinkler lines busted. Glen, Mark's dad wasn't too happy about it and he proclaimed, "the next person who breaks a water line is fired!" We laughed about it and went on cleaning. Before long, we saw Mister Ivey pulling a loaded cart towards the back, then a loud pop, we turned to see water spewing everywhere. He had just hit a sprinkler and now water was shooting high into the air, we cautiously asked, "Well, how in the world are you gonna fire yourself?" He didn't say a word, he just got the biggest grin you'd ever seen on his face. Lots of days passed after that and many things happened in that greenhouse, my wife and I even got married at Ivey Gardens. It's still a place of cherished memories!

A lot of things have changed since those days sweating my butt off at Ivey Gardens, but I wouldn't change one thing about it. Often, when I go home to visit, I have to stop by and see how my old friends are doing. They're still the same caring people that I grew to love. Cherish your hard work, those days turn into some of the sweetest memories. I wonder how many more water lines were broke after I left and if anybody actually got fired!

If you're ever in Lubbock, visit Ivey Gardens at 1318 E. Municipal Drive. Tell them Kevin sent you.

Master Gardener Plant Sale

Saturday Oct. 13

10am-2pm

Senior Garden Center

5325 Greely Dr.

Learn about the plants

From 9 until 10am

Nueces Master Gardeners

will be on hand to inform

you about many of the

various types of plants

that are being offered in

the sale that will fit into

your garden or home.

Canna (Canna x generalis)

HUNDREDS OF PLANTS

Indoor - Outdoor - Potting

Succulents - Shrubs - Herbs

Vines - Spices - Tropicals

ALL PLANTS ARE LOCALLY GROWN BY NUECES MASTER GARDENERS

Give us a helping hand. Bring your

bags or boxes to carry plants home.



Recycle your old plant pots. Bring them to the sale and the Master Gardeners will put them to use.



NMG Plant Sale Countdown - 73 Days

Counting the time down from August 1st until the plant sale on October 13th there are 10 weeks and 3 days, that comes out to 73 days (or 1,752 hours). If you are still planning to propagate any plants from seed, NOW is the time. There are not many plants, mostly annuals, that have a bloom time, time from when the seed is sown to when the plant blooms, under 70 days. There is a small listing on page 7 of some quick growing plants that might help if you are still looking to start some plants from seed for the sale.

PLANT INFORMATION - As soon as you have established what plants you will have for the sale advise NMG Madeline Church via email at madichurch@hotmail.com the following; 1)common plant name, 2)scientific plant name, 3)number of plants and 4)the size of pots, see below for sizing pots. One of the many tasks that have to be done before the sale is labeling and tagging the plants. It is anticipated that there will be over 1,000 plants in the sale, that is a lot. As Master Gardeners we want our professionalism to show and to have more information on the plants than the big box stores.

POT SIZES - To simplify the sizing of pots the committee has opted to use only the pot height, in inches, when reporting the plants that you are propagating for the sale. The volume system (such as pint, quart, gallon) has too many variables and different interpretations. The example to the left gives a general illustration of the various size pots, the soda can and milk bottle are to give a scale to the pots.



The overall plant size, quality or unique variety of the plants, the material the pot is made of, the pot diameter or pot width will be taken into account when the plants are priced for the sale.

VOLUNTEERS - Once again we come to the Master Gardeners with hat in hand to find out if you can offer your assistance in the following areas of the plant sale that will need volunteers:

- Starting weeks before, and probably right up to the sale, the info tags for each plant pot and the table signs will have to be prepared. This will involve looking up the plant information, typing it into a formatted form on a computer and printing out the tags and/or signs.
- Help will be needed on the day before the sale, on Friday, October 12, to set up tables, unload plants as they are dropped off and then help sort, arrange, tag and price plants as they are received. These activities will probably continue the morning of the sale.
- The day of the sale volunteers will be needed to be cashiers (3), answer questions from the shoppers and generally help the shoppers wherever they may need assistance, help carry out and load purchased plants into vehicles.
- After the sale all left over plants are planned to be moved to the courtyard.

If you, including your friends and/or relatives, can help with any of the above areas, please advise Thorunn Kelley (thorunnkelley32@gmail.com) or Madi Church (madichurch@hotmail.com).

Fall Home and Garden Show and Coastal Bend Area Plant Show



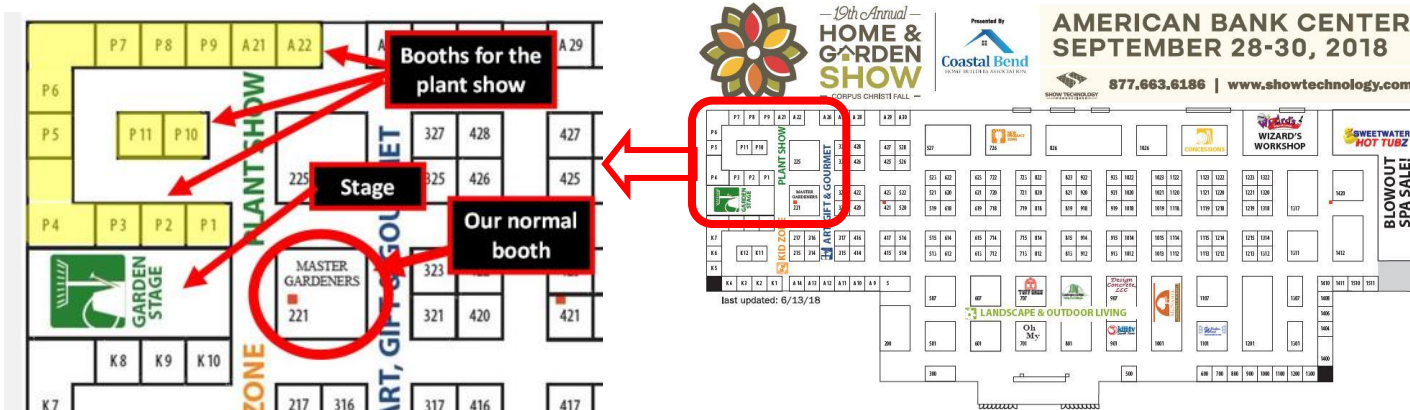
The Fall Home and Garden Show at the American Bank Center, on September 29 - 30, is going to be quite different this year as it will include the premier Coastal Bend Area Plant Show. The plant show is designed for all youths throughout the entire coastal bend that are in grades K-12. For the plants entered into the show there will be a contest, with prizes, for best plants in three different categories and by three age groups. The rules, entry form and exhibitor card are all available online, [CLICK THIS](#) or click the individual links below, if you know of a youth who would like to enter a plant in the contest.

To download the PDF for the rules [CLICK THIS](#)

To download the PDF for the entry form - [CLICK THIS](#)

To download the PDF for the exhibitor card - [CLICK THIS](#)

The group that manages the show is Show Technology and they have gone overboard to accommodate and support the plant show. They are giving significant assistance, in the form of materials, publicity and additional booths for the plant show. Shown below is the floor plan of the show with the section that is being allocated for the plant show enlarged. The Master Gardener booth area is still in the same floor location, with the stage directly behind. The entire upper left corner of the show floor area has been given over for the plant sale, that's 13 booth spaces.



Don't forget, you need to mark your calendars and leave the dates of September 28 - 30 open, there will be extra volunteer help required for the plant show. MGs, or their friends, relatives or someone that owes you a big favor, will be needed prior to the show to set up tables for the show and receive, stage and tag the plants as they are dropped off.

When the show is open to the public, on Friday, we would like to have at least one Master Gardener available in the plant show area, at all times, to answer questions, generally be helpful, and to actively promote our upcoming Master Gardener Plant Sale, on Saturday, October 13. Additional information will be made available as we draw closer to both the Home and Garden and Plant Sale dates.



September		
Friday	Saturday	Sunday
28	29	30

2018 NMG Training Classes

The training classes and labs for Class 29 are underway for the new Master Gardener Interns. Shown below is the August schedule. Master Gardeners are encouraged to attend any and all classes or labs.

MG attendance at any class or lab can be credited to your Continuing Education (CE) hours and reported through VMS accordingly. However, all Master Gardeners should remember that the classes are intended for the students education and your active participation in class or lab activities should contribute towards and not detract from the student educational process.

8/6/18 Mon. 1pm-4pm	Intro/Overview MG Committees Overviews	Nueces Master Gardeners Project Chairs, Betty Rogers & Kevin Gibbs	Del Mar Center 3209 S. Staples, Room 141
8/8/18 Wed. 1pm-3pm	Plant Science/Botany	Dr. Michael Womack, Exec. Dir. South Texas Botanical Gardens	Del Mar Center 3209 S. Staples, Room 141
8/13/18 Mon. 1pm-4pm	Plant Science/Botany	Dr. Michael Womack, Exec. Dir. South Texas Botanical Gardens	Del Mar Center 3209 S. Staples, Room 141
8/15/18 Wed. 1pm-3pm	Plant Science/Botany Lab	Carol Krank Nueces Master Gardener	Botanical Gardens & Nature Center 8545 S. Staples
8/20/18 Mon.	Soils & Fertility/Composting	Shanna Dunn Resource Soil Scientist USDA-NRCS	Del Mar Center 3209 S. Staples, Room 141
8/22/18 Wed. 1pm-3pm	Soils Lab	Deb Holliday Nueces Master Gardener	AgriLife Extension Service 710 E. Main Ave., Suite 1 Robstown
8/28/18 Tue. 1:30-5pm (joint class)	Plant Diseases/Pathology	Dr. Kimberly Cochran Extension Plant Pathologist	Rockport Extension Service 892 Airport Rd., Rockprt
8/29/18 Wed. 1pm-3pm	Diseases/Plant Pathology Lab	Beth Spirko, Nueces Tour MG volunteer sites	Botanical Gardens & Nature Center 8545 S. Staples

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2018 North Carolina State Extension Master Gardener Travel Study Program

Travel is a unique immersion experience, engaging all your senses in a learning opportunity that expands your perspective and knowledge in important ways. The NC EMGV Program offers horticultural educational travel study programs focusing on plants, insects, animals, ecology, biodiversity, geography, history, and horticulture production.

While you can read about plants and ecosystems, nothing compares to the benefit of direct experience. Seeing plants in their native habitat provides a better appreciation for how and why they grow the way they do and an opportunity to compare the ways plants (and animals) adapt to various environmental constraints. These lessons help us understand not only the ecology of other habitats, but also provide insights on growing plants at home.

Read more at: <https://gardening.ces.ncsu.edu/international-travel/>

Speakers Bureau

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KEDT Family Day on August 18, 2018 setup is at 8:30, event will run from 9 am until 1 pm. We'll be presenting Salad In A Pot demonstrations and then the kids will be planting a green bean in a pot. Please come and help out. You don't need to stay all day, just whatever time you can spare and we are looking for some MGs just to lend support.

Speakers Wanted!! For the upcoming Fall Home & Garden Show at the American Bank Center. It is that time of year, again. This is a great opportunity to show off your expertise or passion or demonstrate a skill with a support team of Master Gardeners. Time slots are still available Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 45 minutes each. Email Deb Holliday, dholliday@mygrande.net, to schedule your time.

Plumeria Plant Sale

On Saturday, July 21 the Plumeria Society of South Texas held a plant sale at the Senior Garden Center on Greely. NMG John Balcar was kind enough to send in a brief video taken during the show and clearly the video shows the popularity of their sale. To see the video - [CLICK THIS](#) or click the picture (might take a second or two to show the video) We can only hope that our plant sale on October 13 is slightly as flourishing as it appears the Plumeria Sale was. <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1hjMWCIH1i8rCJxxIS2X3xLmkEUIZhGg/view?usp=sharing>



Xeriscape Corpus Christi – Water Wise Gardening Month



The Xeriscape Committee is asking the mayor and the city council to proclaim August as "Xeriscape Corpus Christi – Water Wise Gardening Month" This will occur at the August 14th Corpus Christi City Council Meeting at 11:15 a.m. We would like to have a big group there to show their support. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend if possible. Our green-spaces need as much of your support as possible, especially in a budget deficit year!



A special thank you to Nueces Master Gardener Joanne Salge for heading up the Xeriscape committee and a big thank you to all who have helped in the Xeriscape Gardens. Your hard work is greatly appreciated!

Plants With Short Bloom Times

To assist MGs that are propagating plants from seed for the October 13 plant sale, shown below are a few examples of plants that have a quick bloom time.

40 Plants with Quick Bloom Times - From sowing seed to bloom

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|--------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Alpine aster | 11. Cleome | 21. Hardy geranium | 31. Purple coneflower |
| 2. Bachelor buttons | 12. Columbines | 22. Marigold | 32. Snowdrop anemone |
| 3. Bee balm | 13. Coreopsis | 23. Mexican sunflower | 33. Sunflowers |
| 4. Blackberry Lily | 14. Dianthus | 24. Morning glory vine | 34. Snapdragons |
| 5. Black-eye Susan (perennial) | 15. Delphinium | 25. Nigella | 35. Star Jasmine |
| 6. Black-eyed Susan (vine) | 16. Cosmos | 26. Nicotiana | 36. Sweet Alyssum |
| 7. Blanket flower | 17. Cup-and-saucer vine | 27. Nasturtiums | 37. Sweet peas |
| 8. Calendula | 18. Foxglove | 28. Pansy | 38. Verbena |
| 9. Chocolate vine | 19. Fuchsias | 29. Passionflower | 39. Wisteria |
| 10. Clematis | 20. Hyacinth bean vine | 30. Poppies | 40. Zinnia |



One Tomato, Two Tomatoes



*Submitted by Nueces
Master Gardener
Marsha Clodfelter*

"Two more tomatoes," I said. "That's ten altogether, so far."

"You're counting tomatoes? Really? Now, you're starting to sound like George," my husband said.

"George?"

"Yeah, remember that ole guy we used to live next door to who counted all of his tomatoes every day and cornered us in the back yard to give us a report?"

"Yes, I remember him. But now that I'm growing tomatoes, I'm starting to understand his tomato counting obsession."

"I always suspected he kept a spreadsheet. You're not going to plot your tomato crop on Excel, are you?"

My husband ducked as I aimed the hose towards him.

Many years ago, we'd rented a house next door to an elderly gentleman and his wife. He was retired and an avid gardener. George was up nearly every morning, his floppy hat protecting his bald head from the morning sun, tending his backyard crops and counting his bounty. He weeded, picked, and fertilized, his joy emanating from the cheery tunes he whistled while working.

I don't remember how many tomato plants George had planted in several rows, though I'm sure he knew and had reported the exact total. Every day when we wandered into our back yard, George suddenly emerged with a jovial "Hi, neighbor" to update his tomato tally. I suspected he peered from behind a window curtain throughout the day, awaiting our appearance.

"One hundred and nine," he'd report. "This time last year, I only had ninety-seven."

My husband and I feigned impressive looks and murmured what we hoped were appropriate comments, but secretly we thought someone who counted their tomatoes was a little daft.

Along with his daily tomato inventory, George related how many slugs he'd lured to their demise with his beer bait. He was pretty sure that God had made a mistake when he created slugs, but then he'd let someone develop beer to atone for his error. George poured beer into empty tuna cans and swore that slugs couldn't help but fall into his trap and drown themselves.

"Sixteen slugs last night!" He meandered over to the fence to tip the can and proudly show us the previous night's kill.

"We live next door to a guy who gets slugs drunk," my husband said while swilling his own evening brew. "Seems like a waste of good beer."

I love tomatoes. In the summer as a kid, I'd rummage through the refrigerator fruits and vegetables drawers for a cold afternoon snack that I spirited away to enjoy in my favorite childhood lair. I tucked the tomato under my chin, leaving my hands free to swing up into a catalpa tree in the front yard. There, hiding in the midst of the big green leaves, I'd bite into the giant red orb and suck the juice and seeds, relishing every last drop, wiping what dribbled down my chin with the back of my hand. Leaning back into the crook of the tree, I thought nothing tasted better. Alas, the tomatoes of my youth are long gone, replaced too often with visually beautiful tomatoes, bereft of taste.

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Many years later, in an attempt to reproduce tasty tomatoes, I tried my hand at gardening. Depending on where I lived, I'd had modest success. I'd grown tomatoes of many sizes and names, Big Boys, Better Boys, Best Boys, Beefsteaks and colors, Pinks, Purples, and Greens. Home-grown definitely tasted better than store-bought, but still not what I remembered.

Moving to Corpus Christi provided a particular tomato challenge. Last year, when my crop failed, again, (likely due to my late planting start and very early hot temperatures) I swore to never let another tomato plant, wilting and barren, darken my patio garden. However, when Botanical Gardens horticulturist, Carol Krank, spoke at a recent Master Gardeners meeting, she inspired me to try again. When I saw one of the varieties she mentioned, HM 1823, I bought three plants, determined to give a modest tomato crop a try.

And thus began my daily watch which eventually turned into a count.

At first I counted the blooms, but soon gave that up, as they bore nothing close to the number of the tomatoes that actually set onto the plants. Magically, the beginnings of the tomatoes appeared overnight, like a tiny tomato fairy had blown up wee green balloons and tied them to the plant. And I counted, three on one plant, two on another, three on the third. One thing I forgot to count was the number of days from the time the tomatoes appeared until they ripened into red beauties and were ready to pick and eat. As my husband and I shared the bounty, we noted that though still not the tomatoes of our youth, they were far superior to any we'd purchased in the store recently. We vowed to plant more next year.

And soon I noticed my husband watering and helping to tend the plants, noticing new blooms. Then came the day that he reported, "Two new tomatoes!"

I looked up and laughed. "You're counting tomatoes? Really? Now, you're starting to sound like George."

"Okay, but at least I'm not sharing my beer with slugs!"



Earth-Kind
Landscaping

**Nueces Master Gardener
Earth-Kind Beds at Botanical Gardens**

Want to help with the Earth-Kind beds? Some volunteers usually work Wednesday mornings at 8am, but you can work on your time, any time, any day. If you want to help, just contact any of the MGs shown below and they will provide the information needed for you to help out. More mulch has been added to the pile at the end of #3 and can be used as needed and added to just about any bed.

#5 Herbs - Jessica Latimer

#4 Vegetables - Brenda Ermis, Paula Silva, Jessica Latimer.

#3 Grasses - John Slusarz, Carlos Valdez

#2 Earth Kind - Pat Parr, Brenda Bishop, Jessica Latimer

#1 Roses - Kelly Denson, Sandra Williams, Brian Carter

Pathways - Paul Parr

Thanks, Paul Parr

Simple Computer Tips

What is on your screen is hard to read with small font. If you want to increase or decrease the font or overall content on the screen you are viewing:

Hold down the Control button and rotate the mouse scroll wheel



This will work with most internet pages and with Word, Excel and most programs.

Be aware that if the view is enlarged too much some parts may be out of view and unable to contact – just decrease the view and you are back in business.



Compost Tea

There is an article in the current issue of Galveston County Master Gardeners' Magazine dealing with compost tea. The links below are an extract and list YouTube videos that illustrate Compost Tea in detail you may want to see, just click the link:

An Introduction to Compost Tea	https://youtu.be/j7tOPJrtmTU
Compost Tea for Roses	https://youtu.be/mM8blvymPhU
Compost Tea for Vegetables	https://youtu.be/JFLXXau0vqo
Compost Tea for Garden Lawns	https://youtu.be/T9jeG_ANECg
Compost Tea for House Plants	https://youtu.be/1CjpOqKRBMg
How to Make Compost Tea: 4 Step	https://youtu.be/ZCAJTn9XF7U
Proven Compost Tea Recipes	https://youtu.be/qmqMlCh5Wtk
Compost Tea: Bacterial vs. Fungal	https://youtu.be/sYWAvmZ258U
Using Compost Tea: How to	https://youtu.be/BR7zQ86Z5jw

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