

## **Rutgers Master Gardeners of Ocean County Speakers' Bureau Topics**

### **Demonstrations:**

- Bulbs in Containers
- Butterfly Puddlers
- Container Gardening
- Planting Garlic
- Seed Starting
- Terrariums
- Winter Sowing
- Worm Composting

### **Vegetable Gardening:**

- Edible Landscapes
- Extending the Vegetable Growing Season
- Growing Vegetables in Containers
- Spring: Get your Veggie Garden Growing
- Summertime Veggie Issues
- Vegetable Diseases
- Vegetable Seed Saving

### **Insects and Diseases:**

- Beneficial Insects-Love That Bug
- IPM for Homeowners
- Ticks
- Causes of Tree Stress

### **Container Gardening with:**

- Flowers
- Herbs
- Veggies

### **Youth Programs:**

- All about Sunflowers
- Butterflies
- Decomposers-worms and compost
- Pass the Plants, Please (parts of plants we eat)
- Ticks- Tick safety
- Where does your candy Come From?

### **Miscellaneous:**

- Attracting Hummingbirds and Butterflies
- Beach to Bay Planting
- Black Gold-Composting
- Creating Winter Interest
- Fall: Putting Your Garden to Bed
- Garden Railroads
- Landscape Design
- Seashore Gardening
- Spring: Getting Your Garden Growing

### **Annuals and Perennials:**

- Captivating Color (Annuals)
- Easy Care Perennials
- Shade Perennials

### **Shrubs:**

- Hydrangeas
- Roses
- Shrubs of Ocean County

### **Native Plants:**

- Going Native
- Secrets of Low Maintenance Landscaping
- Using Native Plants

### **Indoor Plants:**

- Cacti and Succulents
- Care of Houseplants
- Orchids

### **Community Gardens:**

- Harvesting & Food Safety in Community Gardens
- Keeping Pests Out of the Community Garden
- Keys to Successful Composting
- Starting a Community Garden

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