

What's In A Name? Demystifying Latin botanic names

Saturday, January 22 | 10:00-11:30

Diane Greening, Native Plant Expert | Ellyn Lanz, Latin Interpreter

Is *Boltonia asteroides* from outer space? What's *Lobelia siphilitica* got do with syphilis? Learn to decipher Latin genus and species names of some popular natives. Expand your knowledge of native plants, their Latin roots, pronunciation and common meanings, as well as quirky ways plants have been identified.

Diane Greening is co-chair of CFC's spring Native Plant Sale. She is a former Illinois Master Naturalist. Ellyn Lanz is a retired Latin teacher, a pastel painter of landscapes, and a gardener in her yard near the Chicago Botanic Gardens.



Add A Little Prairie to Your Garden

Saturday, February 26 | 10:00 - 11:30

Cindy Crosby, Author

Include native Illinois prairie plants in your garden and watch the pollinators arrive! Native prairie plants can make a ho-hum garden intriguing and exciting. Learn what Illinois native prairie plants work well in a home garden, and how to choose the best plants for your location.

Cindy Crosby is the author, compiler or contributor to more than 20 books. She is a Master Gardener and a steward for the Schulenberg Prairie at The Morton Arboretum and at Nachusa Grasslands.

Designing Your Native Plant Garden

Saturday, March 12 | 10:00 - 11:30

Matt Hokanson, Owner Woods to Wetlands

Matt will discuss elements of good garden design and share plant combinations for various settings. Learn about plants that will work in your yard and be ready to order and plant a great garden this spring!

Matt is the owner of Woods to Wetlands, an ecological services company that specializes in native landscaping design and installation. He is also experienced in natural area restoration and is a certified burn expert.



Give Native Plants a Home

Saturday, April 23 | 10:00 - 11:30

Give Native Plants a Home by Alicia Timm, chair of Citizens for Conservation's Habitat Corridors program.

Learn how to identify the habitats in your yard and welcome the perfect native plants that will succeed in each. Just in time to determine which native plants to purchase at CFC's Native Plant Sale! Alicia will also provide multiple regional resources. Bring the natural beauty home!

Alicia brings her experience advising homeowners on appropriate native plants for their various habitats and will share specific recommendations for each of nine possible conditions.

This program will be provided both in person at the Barrington Village Hall and on Zoom. Admission: Free to CFC Members. \$10 to non-member. Register Here.

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Note: Our previously scheduled program on April 23 by Dr Michael Jeffords on Vanishing Edens had to be canceled. We are fortunate to have Alicia Timm step in with an informative program provided both in person at the Barrington Village Hall and on Zoom. If you have already registered for the Vanishing Edens: Biodiversity in a Changing World Saturday, April 23 program, no need to re-register.

Programs will be presented at the Barrington Village Hall and simultaneously via an online webinar. Registration will provide location and sign-in information for webinars. Come at 9:30 for coffee and exhibits.

RSVP 847-382-SAVE (7283) or to communityed@citizensforconservation.org.

Please provide your name, email, phone number & program name.