



SOUTH SEATTLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE GARDEN CENTER

SEMINARS & EVENTS

Spring 2004

The Garden Center opens for business April 1 through June 26, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Seminars and workshops have an enrollment minimum of 10 people unless otherwise stated so pre-registration is required (206) 764-5323.

SALE!

Spring Opening Sale - 20% off all plants!

Thursday, April 1; Friday, April 2; and Saturday, April 3

Create Your Own Hypertufa Container

Saturday, April 17; 9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Fee \$25 Includes Supplies
15 People Maximum

Hypertufa troughs are modeled after the old English trough gardens. At a time before plastics the English carved animal feed troughs out of limestone later discovering they made good containers for plants. We now mold these containers from lightweight materials. Alpine like plants like the good drainage and the protection from sudden temperature change that these troughs provide. Small plants can be beautifully displayed in these natural looking containers, which can be easily moved as conditions change or if you want to display them in a new location. After the demonstration of how to make and plant a trough you will make your own to take home and display. Bill Havens has been a Master Gardener for more than 10 years and is currently vice president of the WSU Master Gardener Foundation of Washington State. Dean Waddle was raised on a 240-acre hop farm, worked in his aunt's floral business and enjoys working with plants in his garden and community.

Mosaic Birds and Bees; Flowers and Trees

Saturday, May 8; 12:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Fee \$45 Includes Supplies
Call (206) 634-2566 to pre-register
15 People Maximum

Create a simple and stunning mosaic wall plaque in one session. Learn Sarah's uncomplicated technique for making a beautiful stained glass mosaic with little mess and lots of fun! Choose from a variety of garden life images, such as a robin, an iris, or a maple leaf. Included are colorful mosaic bits and pieces of stained glass, stone mix and a reusable mold. This is not a glue-then grout class-instead we mix, pour, then embed. Everyone leaves with a finished 12" x 12" x 2" project after one 4-hour session. No experience is necessary. Sarah Donnelly is a Seattle craftsperson and author (Easy Mosaics for your Home and Garden) who designs and teaches with humor and enthusiasm.

Annual Spring Sale 20% Off All Plants

Thursday, May 20; Friday, May 21; and Saturday, May 22

Garden Art/Information Fair

Saturday, May 22
11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Closed Saturday, May 29 for Memorial Day

Exciting Plant Combos for Low Water Gardening

Saturday, June 5
10:00 - 11:30 a.m., Fee \$10

Which plant combos make for interesting design and great plant happiness. Whether you are creating a stunning Mediterranean garden, a cottage or Northwest native garden, find out which plants and soil conditions will make your garden a pleasure to work in and more likely, to just be in. Tory Galloway has been planting low water gardens in Seattle for 17 years and is currently the owner of Piriformis, the drought tolerant nursery.

Arboretum Tour & Tea

Thursday, June 3
1:00 - 4:00 p.m., Free
20% Off All Garden Center Plants

Year-End Sale

30% Off All Plants
Thursday, June 24, Friday, June 25 and Saturday, June 26

SPRING WALK IN THE SOUTH SEATTLE ARBORETUM - FREE!

Join SSCC horticulture faculty member, Van Bobbit on a lunchtime stroll through the arboretum. This is the season when everything seems to be bursting into bloom. See flowering cherries, magnolias, viburnums, osmanthus, and more. Finish up with refreshments at the Garden Center. Tuesday, April 13, 11:30-12:30. Meet at the entrance to the Arboretum.

LANDSCAPING YOUR GARDEN

Would you like to become your own garden designer? Or just want some good advice? This course is designed for homeowners, beginning and experienced gardeners to teach you how to become your own designer. The fourth night is devoted to reviewing your project and plans. The instructor is a landscape architect who has been teaching this class for many years. This is an excellent class for couples!

Item 1573	6:30 pm - 9:30 pm	SSCC, LHO3	Doug Rice
Th (4 sessions)	4/22 - 5/13		\$95

(Plus nursery visit to learn planting design on Sat. 5/15, 10 am - 12 pm.)

REJUVENATE OR RENOVATE YOUR GARDEN

Are you ready to work in your garden but wonder where to start? Whether you are planning a new garden or renovating an existing one, this session is for you. Spend a morning with an experienced landscape gardener and learn how to create a "vignette" within your own landscape space. This session will help simplify the design and plant selection process and allow you to design and create a landscape in manageable sections. Spring is the perfect time to begin! Lots of resources will be provided.

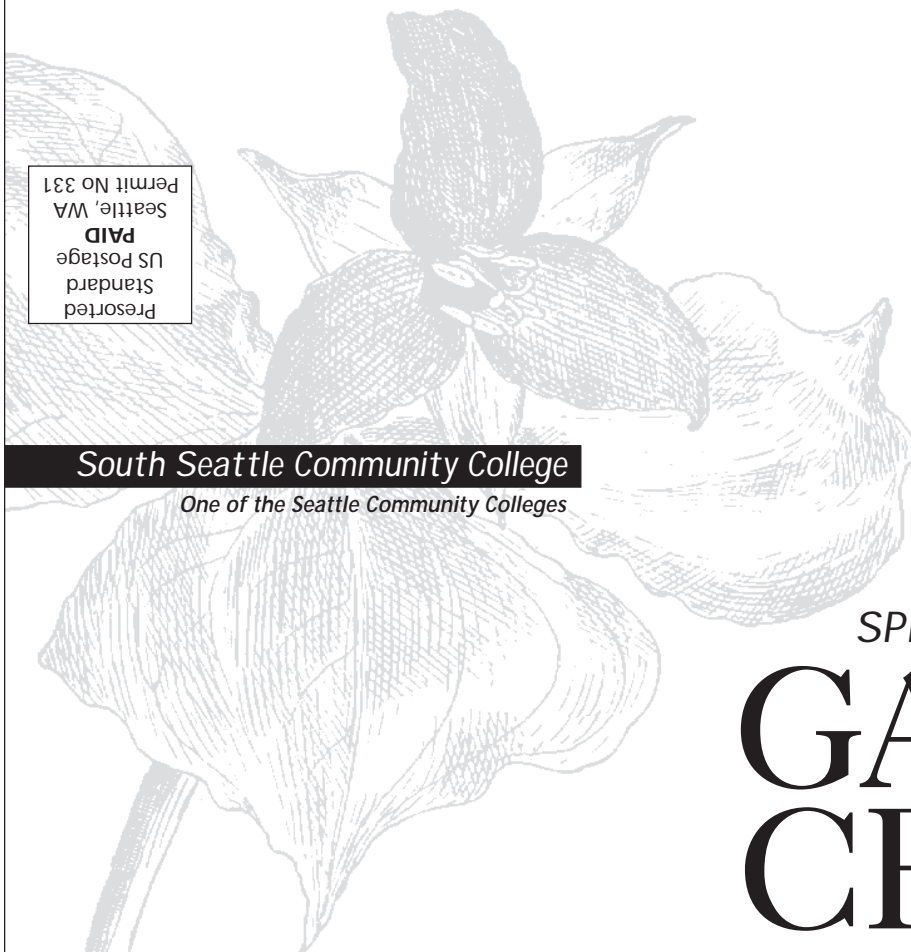
Item 1576	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	SSCC Garden Center	Frank Goshen
Sa	4/17		\$49



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