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## *Evenings with the Master Gardeners*

Resources referenced:

### **April 14, 2020**

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#### *Andy Kennedy, New to Routt County?*

- CSU Routt County Extension [Website](#)
- CSU Master Gardeners Office Hours and site visits – Thursdays 10am to 1pm
- RC Weed Program [Website](#)
- Botanic Gardens – [Steamboat](#), [Vail](#), [Denver](#)
- Plant Select [Website](#)
- Other Local Experts – nurseries, landscapers, [Yampatika](#)

#### *Jo Smith, Preparing Your Garden Soil for Spring Planting*

- [CSU Extension Fact Sheet 7.220: Colorado Gardening: Challenge to New-comers](#)
- [CSU Extension Fact Sheet 7.235: Choosing a Soil Amendment](#)



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**April 21, 2020**

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Lynn Shattock-Miles, *Perennial Gardening*

- CSU Routt County Extension [Website](#)
- Plant Select Website <https://plantselect.org/>

Pat Tormey, *Dividing Perennials– Fear Not!*

- ***We Dig It!*** Program to save perennials from construction sites, etc. Let us know if you have plants that need saved! Email [csumgprogram@co.routt.co.us](mailto:csumgprogram@co.routt.co.us)

Allison Mecklenburg, *Season Extension for Plant Success!*

- [Climate Summary of NW Colorado](#)
- [Estimating Soil Texture](#)
- [Colorado Mountain Gardening Basics](#)
- [Vegetable Gardening in the Mountains](#)
- [Growing Vegetables in a Hobby Greenhouse](#)
- [Calculating sun or shade in your garden](#) from Penn State Extension



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**April 28, 2020**

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Britni Johnson, *Vegetable Gardening*

- CSU Extension [Website](#)
- [Community Ag Alliance Marketplace](#)
- [Yampatika](#)
- Community Cultivation: 970-734-4322
- [Yampa River Botanic Park](#)
- [Bud Werner Memorial Library](#)
- Many private businesses and groups; please see video recording Barb Sanders, Arlene VanBaak, and Carol Iverson,

*Insects: Don't kill the good bugs!*

- [Managing Insects in the Home Garden](#) from Perdue University Extension
- [Controlling raspberry cane borers](#) from Michigan State Extension
- [CSU Slug Fact Sheet #5.515](#)
- [CSU Hornworm Fact Sheet #5.517](#)
- [Hornworm Fact Sheet](#) from University of MN Extension

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Barb Sanders, Arlene VanBaak, and Carol Iverson,

*Insects: Don't kill the good bugs!*

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- [CSU Aphid Fact Sheet #5.511](#)
- [Aphid Fact Sheet](#) from University of UT Extension
- [CSU Earwig Fact Sheet #5.533](#)
- [CSU Flea Beetle Fact Sheet #5.592](#)
- [CSU Grasshopper Fact Sheet #5.536](#)
- [Cabbage Looper Fact Sheet](#) from University of MD
- [Where to Start with Pest Control](#) from the National Pesticide Info Center



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## *Evenings with the Master Gardeners*

Resources referenced:

**May 5, 2020**

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Todd Hagenbuch and Nancy Porter, *Weeds in the Garden and Beyond*

- CSU Routt County Extension [Website](#)
- [Routt County Weed Program](#) and [Routt County's 15 Noxious Weeds Guide](#)

Becky Edmiston and Holly Rogers, *Permaculture Design*

Books:

- Gaia's Garden- Toby Hemenway
- The Permaculture Handbook- Peter Bane
- Practical Permaculture –Jessi Bloom and David Boehnlein
- Grow your own Herbal Remedies- Maria Noel Groves
- Growing 101 Herbs that Heal- Tammi Hartung
- Medicinal Herbs a beginner's guide- Rosemary Gladstar

Internet:

- Permaculture Principles- thinking tools for an era of change. [Permacultureprinciples.com](#)
- The Micro Gardener. [Themicrogardener.com](#)
- Permaculture Research Institute. [Permaculturenews.org](#)

Magazines:

- The Herbal Healing Library- Bottom line books
- Herbal Remedies Top 100 Healing Herbs- Publisher Stanley Harris

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Tracy Zuschlag, *Gardening for Pollinators with Native Plants*

- National Wildlife Federation [Native Plant Finder](#)
- [Colorado Native Plant Society](#)
- CSU Fact Sheet #5.615 - [Attracting Native Bees to Your Landscape](#)
- CSU Fact Sheet #5.616 - [Creating Pollinator Habitat](#)
- Fact Sheet #7.242 - [Native Herbaceous Perennials for Colorado Landscapes](#)
- Medicine Bow-Routt USFS [Forest Product Permit Info](#)
- [www.pollinator.org](http://www.pollinator.org) - Enter zip code for free planting guide/tips
- [www.xerces.org](http://www.xerces.org)
- [A Few of My Favorite Natives](#) handout by Karen Vail
- Book: *Edible and Medicinal Plants of the Southern Rockies*- Mary O'Brien and Karen Vail