



THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

Cooperative Extension

Yavapai County

November 1, 2023

Dear Yavapai County Resident –

Thank you for expressing an interest in the 2024 Master Gardener Volunteer training class.

The 2024 Master Gardener Volunteer training will be held at the Camp Verde Community Library, 130 Black Bridge Ln Rd, Camp Verde.

- Class dates: Wednesdays, January 17, 2024 to May 8, 2024
- Times: 9:00am to 12:30pm

The purpose of this class is to train volunteers who will then share their science-based learning within the community. Course topics include basic botany; climate and soils; composting; water and irrigation; ecosystems and native plants; plant selection, planting, staking and pruning; woody plants (fruit and ornamentals); vegetables and annuals; weed management; wildlife damage control; plant diseases; entomology; integrated pest management and pesticide safety; a field trip; and public outreach training.

Requirements:

- Pay non-refundable fee of \$275 when accepted into the class
- Before class completion, comply with the University of Arizona requirements to become a UA volunteer
- Volunteer at least 50 hours within 13 months of training and in each subsequent year volunteer at least 25 hours and attend 12 hours of continuing education

The application for the 2024 Master Gardener Volunteer training is attached. It is a fillable PDF form. You may email it to: barnesm@arizona.edu or send via U.S. Mail – the address is on the application. Applications must be received or postmarked by December 1, 2023.

Applications will be reviewed in early December. The results of that process will be emailed to you by December 20th. The class will be limited to 26 attendees due to space limitations.

Matt Halldorson
Yavapai County Director
Associate Agent – Agriculture and Natural Resources
Encl.