

## Master Gardener Trainee Volunteer Checklist of Activities\*

MG Trainee Name \_\_\_\_\_

\* Master Gardener trainees should select a minimum of 10 out of the 17 MG activities listed below. Please make your own arrangements with the chairperson/contact leader to participate. They will initial your form after you've completed the activity. All hours worked are added towards the 60 hour volunteer requirement.. The **highlighted** activities are mandatory. Note: Some exceptions apply. To discuss with the extension agent, Tom Becker, call 239-770-8642.

**NOTE: Please let the activity leader know if have to cancel.**

	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>INITIALED BY</u>	<u>NOTES:</u>
1	<b>Help Desk at Extension – Terry Park</b> Contact - Peggy Cruz 533-7504 2-3, ½ day sessions mandatory for all <b>Objective:</b> To assist Extension office staff in answering residential questions.			<a href="mailto:cruzph@leegov.com">cruzph@leegov.com</a> signup on the calendar circulated during class
2	<b>Herb Garden – Terry Park</b> Contact – Millisa Bell 699-0684 Objective: Plan, prepare, plant & maintain the Herb Garden.			<a href="mailto:tribalbeat@gmail.com">tribalbeat@gmail.com</a> Tuesday mornings MG work at Terry Park.
3	<b>Palm Garden – Terry Park</b> Contact - Donna Cressman 415-1633 Objective: Plan, prepare, plant & maintain the Palm Garden.			<a href="mailto:dcressman01@aol.com">dcressman01@aol.com</a> Tuesday mornings MG work at Terry Park
4	<b>Butterfly Garden – Terry Park</b> Contact – Gayle Edwards 826-4103 Objective: Plan, plant & maintain the Butterfly Garden at Terry Park.			<a href="mailto:mreds025@gmail.com">mreds025@gmail.com</a> Tuesday mornings MG work at Terry Park
5	<b>FYN Demo Garden – Rutenberg Park</b> Contact - Lucy Breitung 494-6041 Objective: Plan, plant & maintain the FYN Demonstration Garden. (Mandatory for all) Facility contact: John Kiseda, 432-2030			<a href="mailto:lfbreitung@gmail.com">lfbreitung@gmail.com</a> Wednesday mornings or attend FYN advisory meeting 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed. 1PM or attend FYN Intro. Class
6	<b>FYN Demo Garden – CC Historical Museum</b> Contact - Judy Peltier 558-8213 Objective: Plan, plant & maintain the FYN Demonstration Garden.			<a href="mailto:jborpel@aol.com">jborpel@aol.com</a> Tuesday mornings or, tour garden 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed. at 1PM
7	<b>Suncoast Community Garden – North. Ft. Myers</b> Contact - Bobbie Robertson 357-4329 Objective: Plan, prepare, plant, harvest & maintain the Community Garden.			<a href="mailto:doborob@aol.com">doborob@aol.com</a> Call for scheduled time

8	<b>Edison Estate Outreach</b> Contact - Debbie Hughes 834-2093 Objective: Shadow and develop specialty. Work in the garden center or propagation center.			<a href="mailto:dhughes@edisonfordwinterestates.org">dhughes@edisonfordwinterestates.org</a> Call for scheduled time
9	<b>Lakes Park 'Fragrance' Garden</b> Contact - Dave Bush 828-242-1453 Objective: Plan, plant & maintain garden beds.			<a href="mailto:david.p.bush@gmail.com">david.p.bush@gmail.com</a> Wednesday and Saturday mornings
10	<b>Speaker Garden Topic</b> – assistance Contact - Tom Becker 533-7515 Objective: Create a 20-30-minute presentation on a specific topic for the speaker's bureau			<a href="mailto:tbecker@leegov.com">tbecker@leegov.com</a> see existing topics at <a href="http://lee.ifas.ufl.edu/FYN/MGSpeakers.shtml">http://lee.ifas.ufl.edu/FYN/MGSpeakers.shtml</a>
11	<b>FYN Yard Recognition Visit</b> Contact - Carolee Drotos 561-1846 Objective: Participate in visiting a yard as part of a team, to determine if FFL.			<a href="mailto:cdrotosswales@yahoo.com">cdrotosswales@yahoo.com</a> 2nd Monday or by appt. Teams in Ft Myers, Cape Coral and on Pine Island
12	<b>Farmer's Market -Centennial Park</b> Contact - JoAnn Soyka 278-3983 or 464-5346 Objective: To provide advice and guidance to the public.			<a href="mailto:zackjoannchewy@aol.com">zackjoannchewy@aol.com</a> Thursday morning from 9-1 in parking lot under highway
13	<b>Rain Barrel Workshop Laborer</b> Contact - Warren Bush 541-7934 or Tom Becker 770-8642. Objective: Help with registration or help build a rain-barrel at workshops open to the public.			<a href="mailto:wbimbush@yahoo.com">wbimbush@yahoo.com</a> Feb. 9, Riverside Pk, B.S. . March 23, Rutenberg Pk April 21, Rotary Pk. CC
14	<b>Youth and 4-H Garden Club Assistance</b> Contact - Cathy Suggs 533-7516 Objective: Teach club members to garden and/or volunteer with community service project.			<a href="mailto:suggsct@leegov.com">suggsct@leegov.com</a> Fair Judging -2-18, (3-7pm) Skill-a-thon 2-26-26 (3-7) County Event 4-6 , 8-Noon
15	<b>Soil, Water Testing Lab Helper</b> Contact - Peggy Cruz 533-7504 Objective: Run and record homeowner pH or salinity soil or water samples			<a href="mailto:cruzph@leegov.com">cruzph@leegov.com</a> Thursdays only. at Terry Pk. Observe tests being run by Master Gardener.
16	<b>Native Plant Sale Day Advisor</b> Contact - Marlene Rodak 273-8945 or John Sibley 671-9663 Objective: Answer questions as public looks at native plants (Bonita Springs Riverside Park or Rotary Park in Cape Coral)			<a href="mailto:rodakma@msn.com">rodakma@msn.com</a> <a href="mailto:johnsibley1@gmail.com">johnsibley1@gmail.com</a> Can work FYN info. table. Feb. 9, 9AM-2PM, Riverside Park Ap. 21, Rotary Pk., 9-2Pm
17	<b>OTHER Volunteer or Training Activity</b> Contact - Tom Becker 533-7515 <b>Objective:</b> To try out a new activity that does not fit one of those listed above.			<a href="mailto:tbecker@leegov.com">tbecker@leegov.com</a> Call for suggestions.

Term: MG = Master Gardener  
FFL= Florida-Friendly Landscaping™  
FYN= Florida Yards & Neighborhoods Program

## **Sites and Addresses for Master Gardener Activities:**

**Cape Coral Historical Museum:** 544 Cultural Park Boulevard Cape Coral, FL

**Centennial Park:** 2000 W First St Fort Myers, FL 33901

**Edison Estates:** 2350 McGregor Blvd, Fort Myers, Florida

**Lakes Park:** 7330 Gladiolus Drive, Fort Myers, FL

**Rutenberg Park:** 6490 South Pointe Blvd, Fort Myers, FL

**Suncoast Community Outreach Garden:** 2241 Case Lane, N Ft Myers

**Terry Park:** 3460 Palm Beach Blvd, Fort Myers, FL

**Rotary Park:** 5505 Rose Garden Rd., Cape Coral, FL

**Riverside Park:** Old Rt 41, Bonita Springs, FL