



Rain ^{soon!} Gardens

FREE Rain Garden Workshops

The key to managing rainwater and protecting Puget Sound

A rain garden is a shallow depression in a yard planted with a variety of flowers, shrubs and grasses that “don’t mind getting their feet wet.” Learn how rain gardens help soak up rainwater from downspouts, driveways, and sidewalks, while protecting our local waterways. When planted with the right types of plants, rain gardens also attract birds, butterflies and bees.

You’ll receive a FREE rain garden manual and additional materials. You’ll also have a chance to start designing your own rain garden during the class! There are opportunities to gain further hands-on experience by helping create rain gardens later in the summer.

Choose from these dates -- 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 22 Bellevue
Thursday, February 12 Carnation
Tuesday, March 3 Renton
Tuesday, March 17 Seattle Aquarium
Thursday, March 26 Wallingford
Thursday, April 23 South Seattle

Workshops are FREE, but advanced registration is required. For more information, workshop locations, or to register, contact Stewardship Partners at (206) 292-9875 or e-mail ba@stewardshippartners.org.

Co-sponsored by: King Conservation District, Stewardship Partners, WSU Native Plant Salvage Project/Foundation, Seattle Tilth, Seattle Public Utilities, NW Environmental Education Council, Seattle Aquarium, and King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks.

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Stewardship Partners helps private landowners restore and preserve the natural landscapes of Washington State through incentive-based conservation and restoration activities.

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WSU Native Plant Salvage Project provides hands-on education to protect water resources and wildlife habitat from the South Sound prairies to the shores of Puget Sound.



The NW Environmental Education Council fosters an ecologically sustainable world through diverse educational opportunities, professional training, and strategic Pacific Northwest partnerships



The Seattle Aquarium inspires conservation of our marine environment and offers fun, exciting ways to discover more about Puget Sound through hands-on marine experience and preservation education.



Seattle Tilth inspires and educates people to garden organically, conserve natural resources and support local food systems in order to cultivate a healthy urban environment



Seattle Public Utilities provides reliable water, sewage, and solid waste services to the city of Seattle.



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