WHAT IS XERISCAPE?

The Xeriscape Garden is an interactive teaching tool in the selection of heat tolerant, water-wise plants, integrated pest management and alternative landscaping techniques. Master Gardeners will explain the principles and eco-benefits of this drought resistant garden design and planting techniques which help to create this incredible gardening spectacle.

Xeriscape was developed in Denver, CO, at a time when there were severe water shortages, and it is now one of the most accepted landscape practices in the western part of the US. In fact, some SW cities require that all new landscaping be xeriscape! The term xeriscape is derived from the Greek word Xeros which means dry. It refers to a landscape that uses little supplemental water.

If you would like to schedule a free guided tour for your group or organization, contact the Master Gardener Hotline at 845-340-3478.

MASTER GARDENER PROGRAM

Master Gardeners are volunteers, trained in the art and science of gardening, who provide the public with gardening programs and activities that draw on the horticulture research and expertise of Cornell University.

Other Master Gardener Programs Include:

Horticulture Hotline:
Experts answer your questions about gardening, home lawn and landscaping.
Call 845-340-3478 (DIRT).

Soil Analysis,
Insect and Plant Identification.

Fun and Educational Workshops,
Bus Trips, and Annual Events like our Spring Seedling Sale, Garden Day, and Plant Swap and Sale!

Xeriscape Garden Demonstration and Teaching Garden at SUNY Ulster in Stone Ridge.

Master Gardener Volunteer Training Courses begin in September 2019
For an application call 845-340-3990 ext 335.

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A monthly workshop series using a hands-on approach to explain the principles of gardening.

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These FREE classes are held at the SUNY Ulster Xeriscape Garden, 491 Cottekill Road, Stone Ridge, NY on the 3rd Saturday of each month.

**Classes start at 10 am and last about 30 minutes**

Learning in the Garden Workshop Series Schedule:

- **June 16:** Gardening in a Changing Climate
- **July 21:** Using Annuals in the Perennial Garden
- **Aug. 18:** How to Take Garden Photos Like a Pro
- **Sept. 15:** Annual Master Gardener Plant Sale
- **Oct. 20:** Natives, and other Plants, for Late Season Color

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