



Garden Speaker Series

LADYSMITH COMMUNITY GARDENS SOCIETY

and THE TOWN of LADYSMITH presents:

JAN 8
9:30-11:30am

1

Tapping the Wild Maples

Speaker: Rose McCulley, J&R Farm **Location:** Aggie Hall, 1110 - 1st Ave

\$2

Join Rose to learn how to tap our local maple trees for syrup!

FEB 20
7:30-8:30pm

2

Fruits & Berries in the Garden

Speaker: Bernie Dinter **Location:** United Church Hall, High St.

\$5

Hands on, very informative demo regarding pruning & care of fruit & berry bushes, trees, & vines (kiwi, grape & fig included.)

MAR 4
6-7:30pm

3

Habitats of Home

Speaker: Brenda Beckwith of UVic **Location:** Ladysmith Library

Free

Create natural habitats (mini meadows, hedgerows, ponds) on small urban lots. Habitats which work within the ecological balance of your yard to attract and support it's beneficial creatures.

MAR 20
7:30-8:30pm

4

Abundance through Permaculture

Speaker: Jason Greenwood **Location:** United Church Hall on High Street

\$5

Jason will cover permaculture techniques to create abundance, not only in your garden, but in your soil!

APR 5
1-4pm

5

Holland Creek Wild Edible Walk

Speaker: Jay Rastogi **Location:** Holland Creek Trail, Dogwood Trail Parking Lot

\$15

Meet in Dogwood trail parking lot and explore the nutritious greens, herbs and teas to be gathered in nature. Wear sturdy boots and weather appropriate clothing.

APR 17
7:30-8:30pm

6

Edible Landscaping

Speaker: Nora Arajis **Location:** United Church Hall on High St.

\$5

Enjoy a trellis of cherry tomatoes cascading over an entry way, a border of fragrant herbs, the fall red of blueberry bushes, or a laden dwarf apple tree. Edibles can be integrated beautifully into ornamental garden designs. Come learn how!

MAY 3
1-4pm

7

Edible Mushrooms in the Garden

Speaker: Kevin Mitchell **Location:** Community Garden

\$15

Kevin will demonstrate the seeding the spawn of edible mushrooms into chip mulch in our gardens. Spawn to seed at home will be available for purchase if desired.

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