

April 2017

The Extension Connection

Duval County Extension Office

Program Location: 1010 N McDuff Ave, Jacksonville, FL 32254, unless noted
8 am - 5 pm 904-255-7450 <http://duval.ifas.ufl.edu>



Healthy Relationship Workshops

ELEVATE: Marriage Enrichment

April 24 @ Right Direction Baptist Church 6 - 8:30 pm
April 26 5:30 - 8 pm

Before You Tie the Knot

April 24 5:30 - 8 pm

Smart Steps for Step-Couples

April 25 @ Cobbin Legal EC Center 5:30 - 8 pm
April 27 5:30 - 8 pm

Workshops include Dinner, Certificate & Incentives

For more information and to register go to:

<http://smartcouples.org>

2017 4-H Annual Dinner & Auction



April 8 5 pm

Live and Silent Auction

Menu: BBQ \$25 Per Ticket



Presented by: Duval County 4-H Foundation

Contact TWeaver@coj.net to purchase tickets
or for more information



MASTER GARDENER PLANT SALE AND EXPO

April 22 9 am - 1 pm

Attend Seminars and Demonstrations,

Ask Experts Gardening Questions,

Drop off Soil Samples for pH Testing,

and Shop for Florida-Friendly Plants!

Cash or checks only. Call for more information

Backyard Poultry Seminar



April 12 6 - 8 pm

April 14 9 - 11 am

\$5 Call to register

Meets COJ & Beaches Educational Requirement for Hen Permit



2017 4-H Summer Day and Residential Camp

Registration is now OPEN @:

http://duval.ifas.ufl.edu/4-H_camps.shtml

For more information contact khaupt@coj.net

4-H At Large Club Meeting

April 11 6 pm

Learn about the 4-H program in Duval County!

Contact gschmidt@coj.net for more information

Duval 4-H County Events

April 1 9 am - 1 pm

All are invited to attend and observe

the 4-H projects and presentations

Contact gschmidt@coj.net for more information

Spring into Gardening

April 12 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Learn about Microgreens, Fruit Options
for Landscapes, and Compost Techniques
Mandarin Garden Club, 2892 Loretto Rd.

\$10 Call to register

Canning Classes

No Sugar Products - Pomegranate Jelly

Honey & Thyme Blackberry Jam

April 3 9 am - Noon

Roasted Tomato Soup & Cheese Crackers

April 8 9 am - 1 pm

Chicken in a Can

April 17 9 am - 1 pm

Registration and Pre-payment required

\$20 per person - Call to register

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More Extension Events

To register or to request an educational program at your location, call 904-255-7450

Educational program areas:

Family Life Education	Money Management
Nutrition, Health	Agriculture / Small Farms
Florida Friendly Landscaping	Natural Resources
Commercial Horticulture	Commercial Pest Control
Home Gardening	Community Gardens
Free soil testing for pH	Urban Trees
Food Preservation	Healthy Homes
Financial coaching by Florida Master Money Mentors	

Mon - Fri, 9 am - noon & 12:30 - 3:30 pm - Master Gardeners available to answer your gardening questions.

4-H clubs - Contact Andy Toelle to enroll youth in a club or to organize a club in your neighborhood

4-H School Enrichment - Contact Andy Toelle

Embryology Science	Model Rocketry
Public Speaking	Relationship Smarts!
On My Own Financial Simulation	
YUM (Youth Understanding MyPlate) & Health Rocks!	



April

4-H Legislature registration open on 4HOnline, registration will be open through April 28, Contact savnannat@coj.net for more information

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April 1

4-H County Events, 9 am - 1 pm, Contact gschmidt@coj.net for more information

Master Gardener Plant Clinics, 10 am - 2 pm, @ locations:

Lowe's Northside, 13125 City Square Dr.
Lowe's Westside, 5155 Lenox Ave.
Home Depot, 855 Lane Ave.
Turner Ace Hardware, 13164 Atlantic Blvd.
Rockaway Nursery, 510 Shetter Ave.
Earth Works, 12501 Beach Blvd.
Lowe's, 12945 Atlantic Blvd.

April 3

Canning Class: No Sugar Products - Pomegranate Jelly, Honey & Thyme Blackberry Jam, 9 am - Noon, \$20, Call to register

April 5

Landscape Design 101, 6 - 8 pm, Regency Square Library, Call to register

April 8

Canning Class: Roasted Tomato Soup & Cheese Crackers, 9 am - 1 pm, \$20, Call to register

4-H Annual Dinner and Auction, 5 pm, \$25 per ticket, Contact TWeaver@coj.net to purchase tickets or for more information

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April 19

Butterfly Gardening 101, 7 - 8 pm, Mandarin Library, Call to register

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