

2022 FMG Training Class Schedule

Date	Day	Time	Topic and Handbook Chapters	Presenter	Class Location
1/22	Sat	9 am- Noon	Introduction/ Welcome to VCE- <i>Chapter One</i> Civil Rights and Risk Management	Sue Tepper- <i>Training Coordinator/</i> Rick Hernandez- <i>Extension Agent</i>	Fork Union Community Center
1/25	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Basic Botany- <i>Chapter Two</i>	Peggy Singlemann- <i>Director of</i> <i>Park Operations and Horticulture/</i> <i>Maymont Foundation</i>	Zoom- On Line
2/1	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Soil and Nutrient Management- <i>Chapters</i> <i>Three and Four</i>	John Galbraith- <i>VT Plant and</i> <i>Environmental Sciences</i>	Zoom- On Line
2/8	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Water Quality and Conservation- <i>Chapter</i> <i>Nineteen</i>	Frank Reilly- <i>Environmental</i> <i>Scientist and Master Gardener</i>	Zoom- On Line
2/15	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Vegetables- <i>Chapter Thirteen</i>	Cindy Ann Trentacosta- <i>Master</i> <i>Gardener Emeritus</i>	Zoom- On Line
2/22	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Home Fruits and Berries- <i>Chapter Fourteen</i>	Brad Jarvis- <i>Madison Extension</i> <i>Agent</i>	Zoom- On Line
3/1	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Turfgrass Management- <i>Chapter Fifteen</i>	Mike Goatley- <i>VT Turfgrass</i> <i>Extension Specialist</i>	Zoom- On Line
3/8	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Herbaceous Plants and Landscape Design- <i>Chapters Eighteen</i>	Tim Ohlwiler- <i>Horticultural</i> <i>Extension Agent</i>	Zoom- On Line
3/12	Sat	9 am- Noon	Pruning- <i>Chapter Eleven ** Bring Pruning</i> <i>shears to class**</i>	Steve Archer- <i>Certified Arborist</i>	TBD
3/15	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Entomology- <i>Chapter Five</i>	Vicky Brunjes- <i>Piedmont Master</i> <i>Gardener</i>	Zoom- On Line
3/22	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Plant Disease- <i>Chapter Seven and Eight</i>	Tim Ohlwiler- <i>Horticultural</i> <i>Extension Agent</i>	Zoom- On Line
3/26	Sat	9 am- Noon	Plant Propagation- <i>Chapter Ten</i>	Kirsten Ginipro	Tufton Farm
3/29	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Pest Management/ Pesticide Safety- <i>Chapter</i> <i>Nine</i>	Ashley Appling- <i>Horticultural</i> <i>Extension Agent</i>	Zoom- On Line
4/5	Tue	6 - 9 pm	Help Desk/ Fluvanna MG Projects and Activities	Maggie Eckman- <i>Master</i> <i>Gardener/ Project Coordinators</i>	Zoom- On Line

4/9	Sat	9 am- Noon	Woody Plants, Trees and Shrubs- <i>Chapter Sixteen</i>	Jonah Fielding- <i>VA Department of Forestry</i>	Pleasant Grove Park
4/16	Sat	9 am- Noon	Wildlife Habitats and Native Plant Butterfly Garden- <i>Chapter Twenty</i>	Walter Hussey- <i>Master Gardener and Naturalist/ Sue Tepper- Master Gardener</i>	Pleasant Grove Park
5/14	Sat	10 am- Noon	Graduation	FMG Officers and Members/ VCE Staff	TBD