

**2017 Colorado Master Gardener Class Schedule– Tri River Area**  
**Thursdays – Classes will be in the Ute Water Conservancy District Building**  
**2190 H ¼ Rd, Grand Junction, CO**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Topic/Instructor</b>	<b>Book – Science of Gardening</b>	<b>*Online Homework &amp; Garden Notes</b>
<b>Jan 19</b>	<b>CMG Introduction</b> <i>Susan Carter, Susan Honea</i> <b>Botany- How Plants Grow</b> <i>Susan Carter &amp; Honea</i>	pp 1-10; 187-218 pp 13-68	#010-019; #120-122; #131-137; #141-147
<b>Jan 26</b>	<b>Entomology</b> <i>Bob Hammon, Entomology Agent, Tri River Area</i>	Pp 219-260	#310=317
<b>Feb 2</b>	<b>Plant Pathology</b> <i>Curtis Utley, Extension Agent Horticulture</i>	Pp 261-278	#100-110; #330-332
<b>Feb 9</b>	<b>The Science of Planting Trees &amp; Care of Woody Plants; Pruning</b> <i>Kamie Long and Vince Urbina, CSFS &amp; CMG</i>	pp 321-417	#150-155; #630-637; #610-618
<b>Feb 16</b>	<b>Soils, Fertilizers and Soil Amendments</b> <i>Ron Godin, Extension Agent, Tri River Area</i>	Pp 69-186	#210-253
<b>Feb 23</b>	<b>Small Fruit and Tree Fruit</b> <i>Dr. Horst Caspari, CSU Research Station</i> <i>Susan Carter, Horticulture Agent, Tri River Area</i> <i>Emily Dowdy &amp; Bryan Braddy, CSU Research Station</i>	Pp 305-319	#760-763
<b>Mar 2</b>	<b>Vegetables</b> <i>Carol O'Meara, Horticulture Extension Agent, Boulder County</i>	Pp 457-520	#710-724
<b>Mar 9</b>	<b>Irrigation Management and Xeriscaping and Waterwise Design</b> <i>Dr. Perry Cabot, CSU Water Resource Specialist,</i> <i>Western Slope and Susan Carter, Horticulture Agent, Tri River Area</i>	PP 581-625 545-577	#260-268
<b>Mar 16</b>	<b>Integrated Pest and Weed Management</b> <i>Retta Brugger Western Region, Range Mgmt.</i> <i>Teresa Nees Mesa Co. Noxious Weeds, Susan Carter biennial/perennial/annual weeds</i>	Pp 187-PP 279-301	#350-356; #108-109
<b>Mar 23</b>	<b>Herbaceous and Native Plants</b> <i>Susan Carter, Horticulture Agent, Tri River Area</i> <b>2:30pm Orientation and Training</b> <i>Susan Honea, Horticulture Program Coordinator,</i> <i>Tri River Ara, and Colorado Master Gardener</i>	Pp 545-579 419-431; 18-19	#410-415; #510-514; #580-583
<b>Mar 30</b>	<b>Turf Management</b> <i>Dr. Tony Koski, Extension Turfgrass Specialist, CSU</i> <b>Lunch for CGC's and Apprentice Master Gardeners</b>	PP 521-544	#550-554 #561-566

**The March 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> Classes will be held in the 'C' Building at the Mesa Co. Fairgrounds.**