



GILPIN COUNTY
COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY
EXTENSION

Classes & Events 2019

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Winter Bird Feeding and ID Feb. 5, 6:30pm.

Gilpin Public Library (15131 CO-119) Learn how to bring birds to your feeder and what birds you'll most likely see there. FREE!

Composting for the Mountains Mar. 19, 6:30p
Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.) Tips to help you compost, whether to reduce stuff to landfill, create usable compost, or deal with wildlife. \$5

Solar Energy and Electric Vehicles Tues. Apr. 30, 6pm, Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.) Thinking about installing solar on your house? Know before you go: Solar energy and electric vehicles. \$5

Mountain Vegetable Gardening (& Herbs) Sat. May 4, 2pm Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.) Learn how to grow a vegetable garden here in the mountains. Info about growing herbs as well. \$5

Attracting Birds to your Yard Tues. May 14, 6:30pm Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.) Learn how to bring birds to your garden, feeders and more. \$5

Planting for Bees Thurs. May 23, 6:30pm, Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.) What to plant for season-long food for native pollinators and honeybees. \$5

More 

Mountain Plant Sale Saturday, June 8, 9am sharp!
Behind the Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.)

Birds and Blooms Thurs. June 13, 9am. Discover early blooming flowers, and identify birds by sight and song. Open to adults and older kids. Bring binoculars. Meet at the Exhibit Barn Lobby, 230 Norton Drive, \$5.

Family Nature Walk Thurs. June 20, 9am. Join us for a family friendly walk as the sun reaches its zenith on the solstice. We will look at everything natural – birds, plants, butterflies, insects, trees, animal signs and more. This is a great walk for the whole family to learn more about what’s out there in Gilpin County. Meeting point and cost TBD.

Weed ID and Control Tues. July 2, 6:30pm
Exhibit Barn (230 Norton Dr.) Learn to identify noxious weeds in this friendly class, understand why they are a problem, and find out how to control them. Live samples of weeds will be available; feel free to bring in plants for ID. FREE!

Weed Booth & Wildflower Seed Sale - Gilpin County Fair, July 12-14 - NOTE NEW DATE!
Friendly and informative wildflower sale and weed booth at the fair. Come join us! We’ll be in the Exhibit Barn, 230 Norton Drive.

Bee Day August 24. For all you **‘wanna-bees’**, come to a morning class to learn what’s involved with keeping honey bees. In the afternoon, we will talk about native bees, their natural history, and how to deal with nuisances like yellow jackets. We will spend time outside to see if we can find and identify some of our native bees. You will be able to sign up for either or both classes. Cost and meeting location TBD.

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