

Connecticut Master Gardener Coastal Certificate Program Spring 2019

APRIL 23, 25, 30 & MAY 2, Fieldtrip TBD Yale Peabody Museum, New Haven

Tuesday, April 23 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Introduction: Surf and Turf

Judy Preston, Long Island Sound Study/CT Sea Grant

Coastal Watersheds and LIS

MaryBeth Hart, CT Dept of Energy and Environmental Protection

How Did We Get Here? History of the American Lawn

Judy Preston, LIS Study/CT Sea Grant

Thursday, April 25 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Nitrogen Loading to LIS Embayments

Jamie Vaudrey, UConn Marine Sciences

Turf and Nitrogen Pollution

Tom Morris, UConn Plant Sciences

Organic Turf Management

Tom Barry, Greens Farms Academy

Tuesday, April 30 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Creating Bird Friendly Habitat

Katie Blake, Audubon CT

Lawns and Pollinator-friendly Habitats

Jim Sirch, Yale Peabody Museum

Pollinator Pathways

MaryEllen LeMay, Housatonic to Hudson

Thursday, May 2 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Long Island Sound: Land and Sea

Bill Lucey, LIS Soundkeeper, Save the Sound, CFE

Putting it all together: Cues to Care

Judy Preston LISS/CTSG

Outreach Projects, Program Evaluations



YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE A MASTER GARDENER TO ATTEND BUT AN OUTREACH PROJECT IS REQUIRED TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE THE CERTIFICATE

Important Dates:

Outreach Projects Due: Friday, September 13 Graduation: Sunday, October 13, Yale

Peabody Museum Field Trip: TBD

6 AMG Credits for successful completion

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