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Learn to teach gardening to children

Want to help a budding gardener grow? Macomb County MSU Extension (MSUE) is inviting those interested in teaching a Junior Master Gardener Program to the "Let's Get Growing! Youth Gardening Training."

Participants will learn hands-on, age-specific teaching methods, curriculum development and how to administer a program. Those who complete the program will be eligible to teach the Junior Master Gardener Program, a six-week program running in April and May.

Trainings will be held from 6-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Feb. 19, 26, and March 4, in the MSUE assembly rooms, 21885 Dunham Road (near entrance E) in Clinton Township. Two team preparation meetings also will be held March 19 and April 2.

There is a \$50 fee for the training which includes the National 4-H Horticulture, Vegetable Gardening and Middle School Garden curricula and additional ideas, lessons and resources.

Registration is required and open until Feb. 10 (or until the class is full). For more information or to register, call 586-469-6431.

4-H Future Entrepreneurs club seeks members

Macomb County youths, ages 14-19, interested in learning what it takes to start and run a business are encouraged to participate in the 4-H Future Entrepreneurs Club.

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Club members will experience fun and educational activities, learn about financial and entrepreneurial literacy, increase their knowledge of business and get to work with local business owners.

The club's objective of starting a business this year requires additional members who are serious about starting a business.

Club meetings run from 6:15-7:45 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at the MSU Extension offices, 21885 Dunham Road (entrance E) in Clinton Township.

For more information or to become a club member, call 586-469-7432.

For more information on any of the Macomb MSUE community programs including Children-Youth-Family, Agriculture and Natural Resources or Community and Economic Development, please call 586-469-5180, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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