Interested in becoming a Master Gardener?

Applications are now being taken in Marion, Baxter and Boone Counties for persons who want to sharpen their horticultural skills, and then share their knowledge with others. Training consists of five different one day sessions on gardening. In return for receiving the 40 hours of training, the graduate agrees to return 40 hours of volunteer time in a community project of their choosing.

There is a preregistration enrollment fee of $85.00 for an individual or $120.00 for a couple who share one notebook. Enrollment is limited and is taken on a first come first serve basis.

For more information or to enroll in classes you may visit any of the Extension Offices in Baxter, Boone, or Marion Counties or call us at 870-449-6349. Applications will be accepted until February 15, 2017.

The 2017 Master Gardener class schedule and locations is as follows:

- February 28: Yellville
- March 7: Mountain Home
- March 14: Harrison
- March 21: Yellville
- March 28: Mountain Home for Baxter & Marion County members & Harrison for Boone County members

Each class begins at 8:30 am and ends at 4:30 pm.