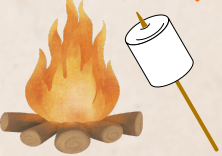


OCTOBER 2026

GARDEN PROGRAMS



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2  Homegrown Kids 9-10 am Friends of The Library Book Sale (Members Only) 5-8 pm 	3  Sprout Squad 9-11 am Master Gardener Teaching Garden 9-11 am
4 	5	6	7	8	9 Homegrown Kids 9-10 am 	10  Master Gardener Teaching Garden 9-11 am Fall Fest! 1-4 pm 
11 	12 Library Closed for In-service Day 	13 Taste Test Kitchen With The Garden Guy 4:30-6 pm See Youth Services Calendars for details.	14	15 Master Gardeners Present: Bring Your Houseplants Indoors 5:30-6:30 pm	16 Homegrown Kids 9-10 am 	17  Sprout Squad 9-11 am Master Gardener Teaching Garden 9-11 am Houseplant Swap 10 am - Noon 
18 	19	20	21	22 Fire Pit & S'mores 4:30-6:30 pm 	23 Homegrown Kids 9-10 am 	24  Sprout Squad 9-11 am Master Gardener Teaching Garden 9-11 am
25 	26	27	28	29 Making Luffa Sponges 4-5:30 pm 	30 Homegrown Kids 9-10 am 	31  Sprout Squad 9-11 am Master Gardener Teaching Garden 9-11 am HALLOWEEN 

Program Details

**** Children 12 and under MUST be accompanied by an adult for all programs ****

Homegrown Kids Growing Together: Get your hands dirty and learn! The Garden Programmer & Faulkner County Master Gardeners will be facilitating hands-on learning where we will focus on garden and nature-related topics. Over the course of this 7-week program series, activities may include building raised garden beds, plant identification, harvesting, transplanting, cover cropping, making seed bombs, growing micro greens, and Monarch butterflies. Weather dependent. Topics may change based on what's going on in the garden. We will meet indoors in case of rain. Activities may vary based on age and attendance. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Sprout Squad: Gardening is more fun together! Get together with your fellow community gardeners and tend to your plots. It's a great time to learn from each other, compare notes, and get some volunteer hours. The Garden Programmer may not be present due to other duties and/or programs.

Master Gardener Teaching Garden: All are welcome! Join the Master Gardeners in the Teaching Garden for hands-on learning about gardening. The Master Gardener teaching garden sessions are open to anyone who wants to learn about gardening. Questions are welcomed. Located behind the library.

Fall Fest: Join us for an afternoon celebrating the library garden and the beginning of fall with free food, local musicians, activities for all ages, and a variety of organizations! Keep an eye out on this page for updates!

Master Gardeners Present: Bring Your Plants In For Fall: How to get your plants indoors before it gets too cold. Learn about plant health, pest control and more.

Houseplant Swap: All are welcome to bring healthy houseplants and/or clippings that need a new home. You are also welcome to look for new additions for your collection to take home. You may take one plant or clipping for each one you contribute. If you don't have a plant or clippings to contribute, any plants left over at the end of the swap will be available on a first-come, first-served basis to take home. Plants and clippings must be healthy container variety houseplants and their containers must be clean and in good condition. Clippings must be in easily transportable containers. Please, NO sick or diseased plants!

Bonfire & S'mores: Join us for delicious s'mores before heading inside for Open Mic Night! All food and supplies are provided. Light refreshments will be available. This event is intended for all ages! Weather dependent.

Making Luffa Sponges: Learn how to make a sponge from luffa gourds grown in our community garden. All materials provided. Participants will have the opportunity to make their own sponge to take home (first-come, first-served while supplies last).

Did you know we have a community seed bank? We are home to Arkansas' oldest seed library! Patrons may take seeds home for their personal gardens (or use them in the community garden). Ask the front desk how it works.

Want to volunteer? Ask about helping pack seeds to help maintain our seed library and seed cart, or helping in the community garden.

Please contact Shawn "The Garden Guy" for more information.
shawn.standley@fcl.org

Have you visited our community fridge? Located at the front of the library near the "Friends Room." All are welcome to leave what they can and take what they need. Please donate according to posted guidelines. Ask the front desk for help if you have trouble finding it.

Library Hours 1900 Tyler St

Monday - Friday: 9 am - 7 pm Conway, AR, 72032

Saturday: 9 am - 5 pm (501) 327-7482

