The Speaker

Laurie Albrecht...UF/IFAS Extension - Palm Beach County **Environmental Horticulture Agent**

Why Should I Attend?

Discover how to save money while still having a beautiful community or personal landscape. What you don't know can cost you big! Learn how to:

- Save money on plant material by making the right landscaping choices
- Reduce your water bill by supplying the proper amount of water
- Cut costs and protect the environment by fertilizing appropriately
- Make your landscape more hurricane resilient
- Dispel costly plant care myths
- Mulch more effectively
- Prune trees and palms for structural integrity and longevity
- Care for lawns and cope with a fatal disease of 'Floratam' St. Augustinegrass lawns
- Get a grip on those pesky weeds using best management practices

Dr. Ronald Rice, Director



Classes are held in the Mounts Auditorium, except for Saturday, Sept. 28 class. Park in the Mounts Botanical Garden parking lot off of N. Military Trail.



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...open to all residents, property managers, community association board and landscape committee members. Master Gardeners and more!



Wednesday Mornings

September 11, 18 & 25 October 2 & 9

Or

Saturday Mornings

September 14, 21 & 28 **October 5 & 12**

\$10 for one or more classes. Earn a certificate for completing all five

Location:

Palm Beach County Cooperative Extension Service University of Florida/IFAS **Mounts Building** 531 North Military Trail

2019 SUSTAINABLE LANDSCAPING CERTIFICATE II * 9:00 a.m. to 11:30*

Participants who complete all five weeks will receive a signed certificate of completion!

Week 1: **Keys to Landscaping Success**

Discover how to save money, protect the environment and promote plant health. Explore proper plant selection as well as cost-saving fertilization and irrigation techniques. Special attention will be given to community-wide plant care. Information applies whether you live in a community association or care for plants in your own yard.

Week 2: **All About Trees**

Learn how to how to select and properly prune these plants for hurricane resiliency and longevity.

Week 3: **Reading Palms**

Find out the best way to care for the palms in your landscape. Included: proper fertilization, pruning, and diagnosis of common diseases, including a new fatal disease of palms.

Week 4: Caring for South Florida Lawns ~ Lethal Viral Necrosis of 'Floratam' St. Augustinegrass (aka Sugarcane Mosaic Virus) and Other Lawn Problems

Discover how to properly care for south Florida lawns and cope with a fatal disease of 'Floratam' St. Augustinegrass lawns. Get a checklist of questions to ask potential landscape contractors.

Week 5: **Heed Your Weeds**

Learn how to identify and manage common weeds in your yard using best management practices. Included: cultural, physical, mechanical and biological methods, as well as natural organics, alternatives to glyphosate, and available chemicals for those who choose to use them. (*This class may run until noon.)

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\$10 per person for one or all five classes to cover class materials. \$5 for active Master Gardeners.