University of Delaware New Castle County Cooperative Extension in cooperation with New Castle Public Library presents



Summer Series 2011



Introduction to Forcing Bulbs

By Richard Heiss, Master Gardener Wednesday, September 7 at 7 pm

This hands-on presentation will show you how to plant bulbs for forcing through the winter. Participants will be given a variety of bulbs that they will plant in their own pots then take home to bury, or put into a cold frame. Discuss different types of spring bulbs, the correct way of forcing them, and time frames for what to expect and when. This session will also touch on forcing branch cuttings from the garden for early spring flowering. So prepare to get your hands dirty because everything will be coming up tulips, daffodils, crocus, and grape hyacinths.

IMPORTANT: Bring with you at least two medium size, clean, terra cotta plant pots.

REGISTRATION REQUESTED

Please stop in or call the library today at 302-328-1995. Limit of 20 participants per program. Library Hours: Mon/Tues 10-9, Wed/Thur 2-9, Fri/Sat 10-5