



Finksburg Branch Community Garden: Call for Volunteers and Fall Events

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Finksburg, MD – County residents are invited to volunteer with the Garden Guild for The Big Dig, an event to help start the Welcome Garden portion of the Community Garden. The Big Dig will take place on Saturday, September 29 starting at 9am. The rain date is Sunday, September 30 at noon. Volunteers are encouraged to bring any tools they like to plant flowers with, including but not limited to trowels, wheel barrows, shovels, gloves, etc. Tools should be labeled with the owner's name.

Other garden events coming up at the Finksburg Branch include a Lawn Care and Fertilizer event on Monday, September 24 at 7pm. Adults will learn about how and when to fertilize the lawn. On Saturday, October 6th at 11am there will be a Finksburg Community Garden Tour. Community members can hear from the Master Gardeners about the plants selected for the new gardens and the traits and values of these plants. There will be a Soil Sampling and Garden Amendments event on Monday, October 22 at 7pm. Here attendees can learn about having soil sampled and tested, and how to read the results. And finally on Monday November 26th at 7pm, adults can learn about winter food sources for birds and how to attract wildlife to a winter garden.

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For more information on the Garden Guild, to donate, or to become a member, contact Lorraine Fulton at lfulton@carr.org, 443-293-3157, or Heather Owings at 410-386-4505 x8823, howings@carr.org.