

GARDEN GATHERINGS

Spend an Evening with Mizzou Botanic Garden

Join Mizzou Botanic Garden for Garden Gatherings, a series of evening programs that explore plants, wildlife and the natural world around us. From trees and birds to bugs and beautiful container gardens, these engaging programs combine expert knowledge with hands-on experiences, perfect for curious learners of all ages.



Upcoming Events

Small Trees for Home Landscapes
Thursday, April 2 | 6 p.m.
Gwynn Lounge

Celebrate Arbor Day with an urban forester led discussion about 21 mid-Missouri friendly small trees growing in the campus garden and arboretum. **Registration required at garden.missouri.edu. Limit 30**

An Introduction to Birdwatching for Families
Thursday, June 11 | 6 p.m.
A.L. Gustin Golf Course

A fun, family-friendly birding experience for families with children 8 or older, including expert guidance from the Columbia Audubon Society. **Registration required beginning May 12, at garden.missouri.edu. Limit 30.**

Things That Bug You
Thursday, July 9 | 6 p.m.
Daniel Boone Regional Library

Discover the fascinating world of insects, and learn why these tiny creatures play such a big role in our ecosystem, presented by Emily Althoff, MU Extension assistant professor of urban entomology.

Big and Beautiful Container Gardens
Thursday, August 13 | 6 p.m.
Thursday, August 20 | 6 p.m.
Jesse Hall (South Steps)

Join a walking tour showcasing Mizzou Botanic Garden's stunning container plantings. **Registration required beginning August 11, at garden.missouri.edu. Limit 20 per session.**