University of Illinois Plant Clinic

The University of Illinois Plant Clinic provides a service to Extension and the general public, offering unbiased plant problem diagnosis and access to opinions of specialists in multiple disciplines, funneled through one location. All plant samples should be sent to Plant Clinic, 1102 South Goodwin, S-417 Turner Hall, Urbana, IL 61801 and include the diagnosis support fee and a specimen data form. For information about the clinic, fees, location, and how to submit samples, visit the web site at http://web.extension.illinois.edu/plantclinic/.

University of Illinois Department of Crop Sciences, Research & Demonstration Centers Field Days & Southern Illinois University and Western Illinois University Research Farm Field Days

- June 20, 2012: Weed Science Field Day, 8:00 am, Crop Sciences Research & Education Center, Urbana, IL, for further information contact Doug Maxwell, (217) 265-0344, dmaxwell@illinois.edu
- June 28, 2012: WIU Research Center Field Day, noon, Macomb, IL, for further information contact Mark Bernards, (309) 298-1569
- July 10, 2012: University of Illinois Northern Illinois Agronomy Research Center Field Day, 9:00 am, Shabbona, IL, for further information contact Russ Higgins, (815) 265-0344 rahiggin@illinois.edu
- July 12, 2012: SIU Bellville Research Center Field Day, 9:00 am, Belleville, IL, for further information contact Ron Krausz, (618) 566-4761, rkrausz@siu.edu
- July 17, 2012: University of Illinois Orr Agricultural Research & Demonstration Center Field Day, 9:00 am, Perry, IL, for further information contact Mike Vose, (217) 236-4911, mvose@illinois.edu
- July 18, 2012: University of Illinois Northwestern Illinois Agricultural Research & Demonstration Center Field Day, 8:00 am, Monmouth, IL for further information contact Angie Peltier, (309) 734-5161, apeltier@illinois.edu
- July 19, 2012: University of Illinois Horticulture Research Center, Vegetable Crops Field Day, 6:30 pm, for further information contact Bill Shoemaker, (630) 584-7254, wshoemak@illinois.edu
- July 26, 2012: University of Illinois Brownstown Agronomy Research Center Field Day, 8:30 am, Brownstown, IL, for further information contact Robert Bellm, (618) 427-3349, rcbellm@illinois.edu
- August 2, 2012: University of Illinois Dixon Springs Agricultural Center Field Day, 9:00 am, Simpson, IL, for further information contact Steve Ebelhar, (618) 695-2790, sebelhar@illinois.edu
- August 16, 2012: University of Illinois Agronomy Field Day, 7:00 am, Crop Sciences Research & Education Center Urbana, IL, for further information contact Sandy Osterbur, (217) 333-4424, saosterb@illinois.edu
- September 13, 2012: University of Illinois Extension Ewing Field Day, 9:00 am, for further information contact Marc Lamczyk, (618) 439-3178, lamczyk@illinois.edu
Horticulture Telenet Series
Offered by numerous County Extension Unit Offices via teleconferencing system

Spring 2012
- May 8, 1:00 pm & May 10, 7:00 pm, Bug Invaders of the Foreign Kind
- May 22, 1:00 pm & May 24, 7:00 pm, A Gardening Calendar

Late Summer/Early Fall 2012
- August 28, 1:00 pm & August 30, 7:00 pm, Tree Selection and Care - Beyond Ash & Maple
- September 11, 1:00 pm & September 13, 7:00 pm, Selecting and Planting Blooming Bulbs
- September 25, 1:00 pm & September 27, 7:00 pm, Tea Gardens
- October 9, 1:00 pm & October 11, 7:00 pm, Coneflowers Gone Crazy!

Regional, State & National Meetings
- May 2, 2012: Food Safety: From Garden Gates to Dinner Plates, 6:00 pm, University of Illinois Extension Office, 402 Hershey Road, Bloomington, IL. For more information and to register go to [http://web.extension.illinois.edu/lmw/news/news27092.html](http://web.extension.illinois.edu/lmw/news/news27092.html)
- May 5, 2012: Sustainable Beekeeping Practices & Backyard Queen Rearing, 9:00 am – noon, University of Illinois Extension Sangamon county Office, 700 S. Airport Drive, Springfield, IL, for further information contact Deborah Cavanaugh-Grant, (217) 782-4617, cvnghgrn@illinois.edu, to register go to [https://webs.extension.uiuc.edu/registration/?RegistrationID=6605](https://webs.extension.uiuc.edu/registration/?RegistrationID=6605)
- May 5, 2012: High Tunnel and Agritourism Tour, 9:00 am – 3:30 pm, Vermillion County, to register and for further information contact Steve Ayers, (217) 333-7672, srayers@illinois.edu
- May 12, 2012: High Tunnel Workshop, 9:00 am – 4:30 pm, Workforce Career Center, LincolnLand Community College, Springfield, IL, for more information and to register go to [http://www.llcc.edu/greencenter/GreenInitiatives/CommunityWorkshops/HighTunnelWorkshopSeries/tabid/6871/Default.aspx](http://www.llcc.edu/greencenter/GreenInitiatives/CommunityWorkshops/HighTunnelWorkshopSeries/tabid/6871/Default.aspx)
- May 12, 2012: Equipment for Small Farmers, Soil Fertility and More, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm, Spence Farm, Fairbury, IL, for more information and to register go to [https://webs.extension.uiuc.edu/registration/?RegistrationID=6646](https://webs.extension.uiuc.edu/registration/?RegistrationID=6646)
- May 24, 2012: SW Illinois Orchard Twilight Meeting, 6:00 pm, Eckert’s Grafton Farm, 20995 Eckert Orchard Lane, Grafton, IL, for further information contact Andrew Holsinger, (217) 532-3941, aholsing@illinois.edu
- June 9, 2012: Central Illinois Farming Network Workshop, 9:00 am – 12:30 pm, Bane Family meats, 1062 County road 2125 E, Sidney, IL (Champaign County), for further information contact Deborah Cavanaugh-Grant, (217) 782-4617, cvnghgrn@illinois.edu, to register go to [https://webs.extension.uiuc.edu/registration/?RegistrationID=6742](https://webs.extension.uiuc.edu/registration/?RegistrationID=6742)
- June 11, 2012: High Tunnel Workshop, 9:00 am – 4:30 pm, Workforce Career Center, LincolnLand Community College, Springfield, IL, for more information and to register go to [http://www.llcc.edu/greencenter/GreenInitiatives/CommunityWorkshops/HighTunnelWorkshopSeries/tabid/6871/Default.aspx](http://www.llcc.edu/greencenter/GreenInitiatives/CommunityWorkshops/HighTunnelWorkshopSeries/tabid/6871/Default.aspx)
- June 14, 2012: Illinois Summer Horticulture Day, Kuipers Family Farm, Maple Park, IL
- June 20, 2012: Weed Science Field Day, 8:00 am, Crop Sciences Research & Education Center, Urbana, IL, for further information contact Doug Maxwell, (217) 265-0344, dmaxwell@illinois.edu
- June 21, Northern Illinois Small Grains Meeting, 5:30 pm, Northern Illinois Agronomy Research Center, 14509 University Road, Shabbona, IL, for further information contact Russ Higgins, 815-824-2029, rahiggin@illinois.edu
- August 27, 2012: International Agronomy Day, 7:00 am – 1:00 pm, Crop Sciences Research & Education Center, Urbana, IL, for further information contact Aaron Hager, hager@illinois.edu
- September 6-8, 2012: Illinois Master Gardener Conference, Holiday Inn Conference Center, Crystal Lake, IL

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