

Join us for four *FREE*, hands-on workshops this summer!

# Bay-Friendly Gardening

Bay-Friendly is a holistic approach to gardening and landscaping that works in harmony with the natural conditions of the San Francisco Bay Watershed. Bay-Friendly practices foster soil health, conserve water and other valuable resources while reducing waste and preventing pollution.

## July 17: Bay-Friendly Gardening Basics

*Earthsite, 85 Bolinas Road, Fairfax* 🌸 9:00 a.m. ~ noon

Considering form and function before planting can save you time and resources. This workshop will provide an overview of design and maintenance considerations and practices that will help you make smart choices at the nursery.

## July 31: Gardening from the Ground Up

*Sustainable Fairfax, 141 Bolinas Road, Fairfax* 🌸 9:00 a.m. ~ noon

Healthy soil is the foundation of a healthy garden. Understanding your soil will help you grow a blossoming garden this season and for seasons to come. Backyard composting, sheet mulching basics and other soil building techniques will be covered during this workshop.

## August 14: Go Native - Planting for Pollinators

*Earthsite, 85 Bolinas Road, Fairfax* 🌸 9:00 a.m. ~ noon

Attract birds, butterflies and beneficial insects. Learn to diversify your garden by including California native plants that provide food, shelter and nesting places for wildlife.

## Creating Year-Round Edible Gardens

*Date and location to be determined*

This hands-on workshop will offer vegetable gardening basics including: soil preparation, when and what to plant for our local climate, companion planting and pest control, plus creative ways to use your bountiful harvest.

Workshops are **FREE** for MMWD customers. To register, visit:

**[bayfriendlycoalition.org/workshop-reg.php](http://bayfriendlycoalition.org/workshop-reg.php)**

For information, call 945-1512.

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