



September
Sex in the Garden (pollination)

This entertaining and educational talk describes what really goes on in our gardens: pollination. Learn how flowers lure insects to help with their reproduction and how they reward the pollinators. You will never look at the garden in the same old way again.

Our speaker, Janet Smith, is a recovering plantaholic who considers the Master Gardener and Master Naturalist training as her 12-step program. She specializes in growing drought-tolerant plants that attract bees, butterflies, and birds. She loves helping others discover the thrill of having their own nature channel out their windows.

Janet's love of gardening didn't start until after she took early retirement and decided to spruce up her dismal landscape. The next year she took the Master Gardener training and learned how to actually grow and care for plants. She now embraces the concept of habitat and pollinator gardening with native and adapted plants that need very little supplemental water. Janet has averaged about 30 presentations a year as either a Master Gardener or Master Naturalist.