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_____ *February 3, March 3, & April 7*

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NEW Master Gardeners and Brown County UW-Extension are hosting a 2018 Robert Mongin Garden Series. Mr. Mongin was active in the community through his involvement with the NEW Master Gardeners, Gardeners Club of Green Bay, Green Bay Botanical Garden, Mayor's Beautification Committee, and many others. He designed and established a perennial garden at the former UW-Extension site at 1150 Bellevue Street, Green Bay, which was dedicated to Mr. Mongin during a formal ceremony.

This series is comprised of three different sessions with renowned garden speakers who will share their expertise to enhance your gardening experience. You may choose to attend one, two, or all three of the featured sessions. Sign up for the full series by **Friday, December 22**, to receive a discounted registration fee!

Take advantage of the early bird registration discount by registering for the full series no later than:
Friday, December 22



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2018 Robert Mongin Garden Series

*To learn, experience,
& enjoy all season
gardening*



February 3, March 3, & April 7

Neville Public Museum
210 Museum Place
Green Bay, WI



2018 Robert Mongin Garden Series ~ Attend one, two, or all three sessions!

**Saturday, February 3
10 AM to 12:30 PM**

“Interesting & Newer Perennials for Your Garden”



***Nancy Nedveck
The Flower Factory
Stoughton, WI***

Nancy has had an interest in plants since childhood, culminating with a degree in horticulture from UW-Madison. She and her husband, David, started The Flower Factory in 1984 and opened the farm in 1988. Currently, they focus on perennials and have developed the largest selection in the Midwest. Nancy gives talks to anyone who will listen, as long as it is about perennials!

“Secrets Revealed: New Herbaceous Hybrid Peonies”

***Nate Bremer
Solaris Farms
Reedsville, WI***



Nate will take you on a hybridizer’s journey to produce new herbaceous hybrid peonies and take a look at some of the best new cultivars becoming available. While most gardeners are

familiar with the common garden peony (*Paeonia lactiflora*), there are many new emerging hybrids that are quite different. These plants have outstanding new colorations, forms, bloom seasons and plant habits. Few are well known by gardeners outside a small group of connoisseurs/hybridizers, but are quickly making their way into collectors’ gardens. The Midwest is a secret hot bed for new hybrids, and you will surely be astounded by these incredible ‘secret’ plants.



**Saturday, March 3
10 AM to 12:30 PM**

“Prairie Plants for Urban & Suburban Gardens”

***Neil Diboll
Prairie Nursery
Westfield, WI***



Many of our native prairie flowers and grasses make excellent garden plants. The showy blooms and ornamental textures of the grasses provide so many opportunities to create low maintenance, ecologically sound landscapes that require little or no fertilizers, pesticides, and watering. The North American Prairie is dominated by perennials that can be

included in “pure prairie” gardens, or mixed with other more traditional perennials. Neil will highlight the showiest and best-behaved prairie plants for creating a wide variety of prairie gardens in small areas.



**Saturday, April 7
10 AM to 12:30 PM**

“From Seed Starting & Plant Selection to Season Extending Crops”



***Eben Erhard
Natural Beauty Growers
Denmark, WI***

From seed starting and plant selection to season extending crops, using a traditional garden plot or integrating vegetables into an urban landscape, learn how to get the most out of your vegetable garden. Eben has been a vegetable gardener for over 40 years, gardening in five states in elevations ranging from 100-9,000 feet. He has mastered a variety of techniques including raised beds, high hoops (greenhouse production), low hoops (cold frame), straw bales, container gardening, and hydroponics.



~ All three sessions will be held at the Neville Public Museum, 210 Museum Place, Green Bay. ~