



Wiliwili Festival

Living Green Workshops

August 20, 2011

Waikoloa Village Community Room - Melia Street

11:00 *The Edible Landscape*: Micah Barker, certified permaculture instructor: The grocery stores have at best a three to seven day supply of food for our island at any given time. What if you could eat your landscaping? This workshop is backyard food pantry 101 and explains why eating your landscaping is good for you and the Earth.

12:00 *Don't Throw Away Your Greens, Compost Them!* Tamar Atsumi, Recycle Hawaii: Learn how to reduce your contribution to the landfill by composting biodegradable food waste. Tamar will discuss basic composting techniques, common problems and solutions, and present composting tips and tricks.

1:00 *Native Hawaiian Plants in the Landscape*: Jill Wagner, Future Forests Nursery: Jill will talk about the work to restore and maintain dryland forests, and how we can use native Hawaiian plants in home landscapes.

2:00 *Home Efficiency in the Waikoloa Drylands*: Sean Canetta: How to use the natural design process to evaluate home efficiency.

3:00 *How to Cut Your Landscape Water Costs*: Ricci Bezona. Bezona Botanical, Inc: Tips and tricks for creating a beautiful landscape in Waikoloa Village without running up a large water bill.

4:00 *Get Started Growing Vegetables (It's Easier Than You Think!)*: Julia Simmons, Kathy Rawle, Norm Bezona, and Wendy Fraser: The basics of where, what, and how to start growing vegetables in Waikoloa. Bring your questions for this panel of seasoned gardeners.

4:00 *Gardening First Steps*: Dave Faucette: Dave is responsible for the overall management of the Waikoloa Dry Forest Recovery Project (WDFRP) restoration project and leader of the Waikoloa Future Foresters. Mr. Faucette will demonstrate seed preparation including scarification, his recipe for planting medium, and the transplanting of seedlings. Demonstration is at the Future Foresters booth.

Seating preference will be given to preregistered attendees. You can preregister for a workshop by emailing your name and the workshop title to WiliwiliWorkshops@gmail.com.