

PLANT CAMP – June 6-10, 2016 Junior Master Gardener

You know your child is proficient when it comes to electronics with a screen, but how often does your child play and observe nature firsthand in the great outdoors? Has it been awhile? Maybe you should re-introduce them!

This June, Agricenter International and your Memphis Area Master Gardeners with University of Tennessee Shelby County Extension will be sponsoring their eleventh annual PLANT CAMP.

PLANT CAMP is for boys and girls, ages 8–12 and is limited to 30 campers.

PLANT CAMP happens outdoors the week of June 6 through June 10 from 9:00am until Noon at the Agricenter located at 7777 Walnut Grove Road just west of Germantown Parkway, 38120.

Our theme this year is *“Wildlife Gardener”*.

Each day will find us discovering that plants and critters perform significant roles in our lives and learning that we can be more environmentally friendly!

AND for this Year:

We are pleased to announce that Campers attending this year will qualify to be officially certified as a **Junior Master Gardener** upon completion of the week’s activities!

PLANT CAMP activities will include:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> daily hands-on projects | <input type="checkbox"/> daily outdoor classroom events |
| <input type="checkbox"/> live animals from Lichterman | <input type="checkbox"/> daily journal & Friday Jeopardy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> visiting with Honey Bees | <input type="checkbox"/> theme-related snacks each day |
| <input type="checkbox"/> snake safety with a Herpetologist | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday “sing along” by the Campers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> harvesting, planting & recycling | <input type="checkbox"/> a special Friday reception for Parents |

Since our camp instructors and staff are Master Gardeners and volunteer their time, we are able to offer this amazing week of camp for only \$35.00 per child which includes all project materials, activities and a Plant Camp shirt!

For an application form, visit the UT Extension website at:

<https://extension.tennessee.edu/Shelby/Pages/Plant-Camp.aspx>

or call Extension Agent Tim Roberts at 757-7777 ext.7109.

The deadline for applying to attend PLANT CAMP is Friday, June 3, 2016.

