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 Kankakee County Soil and Water Conservation District  
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## Rain Gardens & Water Gardens



Friday, May 6, 2011 – 9 a.m. to Noon

at University of Illinois Extension, Kankakee County  
 1650 Commerce Drive, Bourbonnais, IL 60914

A rain garden is a great addition to your landscape. It is a nature-friendly solution that catches rain water with its plants and soil. If well designed, it is a “sponge”. Plants growing in it are habitats for wildlife. To harvest water for use in the rain gardens, water barrels are beneficial. Attend this workshop and learn:

- Benefits of a rain or a water garden
- How to construct a rain garden
- Rain barrel resources

For further information, please contact the Extension office at 815/933-8337. A pre-registration fee of \$10 per person, which includes light refreshments, is required by May 3, 2011.

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**Registration Form ~ Rain Gardens & Water Gardens - \$10.00**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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