



# Kent County 4-H



# Horticulture Project Group

Join us for the new Kent County 4-H Horticulture Project Group

**Who:** all active 4-H members ages 8-19

**When:** Sundays—March through July (details below)

**Where:** Kent County Extension Office.

69 Transportation Circle

Dover, DE

**Time:** 2:00-3:30 PM

**Cost:** \$5.00 per session or \$20.00 for the series of 5 sessions. Payment must be received to hold your spot. Space is limited, first come first serve.



Registration required through the Kent County 4-H Office 302-730-4000.

Registration will open to all Delaware 4-H on February 17th. The class minimum is 10 and maximum is 30 participants. A responsible adult will need to attend with youth.

**Seed Starting Activity- March 22nd 2:00 – 3:30** In this workshop, with help from Master Gardeners, we'll demonstrate and go over how to start your own seeds and learn the basic stages of plant development and plant care. You will be able to start your own seeds to carry home.

**Plant Propagation (African Violets) - April 5th 2:00-3:30** Join a Master Gardener as they teach you how to create new plants from cuttings. After the presentation on aspects of propagation, you will participate in a hands-on workshop in which you make several plant cuttings to take home and perhaps exhibit into the Delaware State Fair!

**Plant care and Insect ID –May 24th 2:00-3:30** Plant Care will build on the two earlier meetings that focused on Seed Planting and African violet propagation. Specifically, we will focus on major aspects of how to care for previously planted vegetable plants, with some time also spent on the role of good and bad bugs.

**Preparing your Blue Ribbon Horticulture Exhibits - May 31st 2:00-3:30** During this workshop you will be shown proper techniques for preparing your plant and vegetable entries for the Delaware State Fair.

**Tree Walk -July 19th 2:00-3:30** at Delaware State University located at 1200 North DuPont Highway Dover DE 19901 - A walk through DSU campus for an appreciation of tree species diversity in Delaware and an overview of different kinds of plants and their characteristics.