# HOW DO GARDENS GROW

#### MARCH 4 - JUMP START THE SEASON

<u>Topics Covered</u>: looking around your yard and garden, evaluating what's there, kinds of gardens, soil testing, spring cleanup, late and early pruning, starting seeds indoors

#### **APRIL 1 - GETTING DIRTY**

<u>Topics Covered</u>: early planting, cool weather vegetables, rotating vegetables, to rototill or not to rototill, fertilizing, dividing plants, gardening in straw bales and raised beds, container gardening, late frosts

### **APRIL 29 - BUGS AND SUCH**

<u>Topics Covered</u>: bugs, good and bad, invasive species, planting warm weather plants, when to water, how and when to transplant those seedlings and young plants

## JUNE 3 - PAYING IT FORWARD

<u>Topics Covered</u>: sharing your bounty, moving things around, filling in blanks with annuals, planning for the future, edging, pathways, some general information about design