



Useful Resources for Pacific Northwest Gardening

Provided by the Lopez Island Garden Club

If you have another useful resource not included here, feel free to post it as a tip in the Questions and Answers category.

Seattle Tilth Maritime Northwest Garden Guide

<http://www.tilthalliance.org/get-involved/aboutmngg>

Contents include: Monthly garden almanacs with a quick list of plants that can be sown and harvested each month, and a recipe and a monthly set of chores; year-at-a-glance planting calendars; regional vegetable variety lists and resources; garden planning and design ideas.

Available wherever books are sold, including our own Lopez Bookshop
(360) 468-2132.

Northwest Edible Life

<http://nwedible.com/gardening-index/>

Seattle-based Erica Strauss has published month-by-month planting guides specific to the Pacific NW.

San Juan County Master Gardeners

<https://extension.wsu.edu/sanjuan/master-gardeners/>

Here you can fill out a form to ask a gardening question and a Master Gardener will get back to you.

WSU – Gardening in Washington State

<http://gardening.wsu.edu/vegetable-gardens/>

WSU publishes an extensive collection of fact sheets on vegetable gardening. Fruit gardening, pests, and garden construction are some of the other topics covered. Note that these publications are .pdf files intended to be downloaded and may appear blurry on your screen.

Lopez Island Kitchen Gardens

<https://lopezislandkitchengardens.com>

Debbie Hatch provides an abundance of useful Lopez-specific information, including posts on Starting Seeds Indoors and Transplanting vs Direct seeding. You won't find anything more locally-relevant than this!



West Coast Gardening Tips

http://www.lindagilkeson.ca/gardening_tips.html

Saltspring Island-based Linda Gilkeson has a long list of gardening tips. Linda is also offering free online access (until the end of 2020) to the PowerPoint slides from her Year-Round Harvest class (access details are in her March post called "Gardening Info Wants to be Free")

http://www.lindagilkeson.ca/book_photos.html

Her extensive photos of pests and plant diseases may help you diagnose problems early.