

Hamilton County Master Gardeners
and the Hamilton County
Soil & Water Conservation District present:



Sustaining Nature in the Garden



**Saturday, August 22nd at the
Hamilton County 4H Fairgrounds**



Registration begins at 8:15 am, First Speaker at 9:00 am

Dr. Douglas Tallamy – *Bringing Nature Home*

(KEYNOTE SPEAKER) The author of the current best seller will discuss the role of suburban gardens in sustaining our natural resources



Gardeners' Roundtable with George Peregrin – *Bridges between Natural & Cultivated*

Gardeners discuss the use of natives in conventional flower beds and suburban yards



Ben Reinhart – *Wildlife in Your Backyard*

From the Indiana Wildlife Federation, Ben will discuss how to attract desirable wildlife and manage nuisance ones



Trent Caldwell – *Rainwater Harvesting & RainXchange System*

From Aquascape Inc, Trent will describe the benefits and details of rainwater harvesting

Shaena Smith – *Retention Pond Edge Enhancement*

From the Hamilton Co. SWCD, Shaena will discuss pond shoreline planting and how they beautify while improving water quality



**Registration Fee is only \$30 – due by August 10th
Continental Breakfast and Catered Lunch are included.**

**Public is invited – Come with a friend! 6 MG Ed/Training hours
Some shopping and info booths! Seminar over at 3:30 pm**



Registration Form (Please cut and include with your fee)

Name _____ Phone _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____

Email _____ County _____

Make check payable to HCMGA & mail to:

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