APRIL 2022 FRANKLIN SMART YARDS

Partnering with UT/TSU Extension

Sustainable Landscaping

The natural beauty and unique landscapes of our state can be preserved with every home and landowner's assistance. The unique natural elements in your region of Tennessee need to be incorporated into landscape decisions to offer a sustainable balance that meets your needs and also makes sense for your climate, soil, and other environmental conditions.

Seasonal Highlights

Common Invasive

Wildlife



RUBY-THROATED Hummingbird

Archilochus colubris







Native Alternative

CORAL HONEYSUCKLE A Lonicera sempervirens



Upcoming Events

<u>Gardening 101 -</u> <u>Williamson County</u> <u>Public Library</u>

APRIL 25 @ 1:00PM

<u>Earth Day</u> APRIL 22

<u>Arbor Day:</u> <u>Pinkerton Park</u> APRIL 30

Useful Resources

TN Native Plant Finder

Smart Yard of the Month



RAVENER YARD Bob and Lisa used practical tips to enhance the natural beauty of their yard. Preserving and moving fallen leaves into the flower beds, adding a water feature, and adding pollinator plants for an increase in natural wildlife while eliminating invasive plants helped the Ravener backyard become a certified bird sanctuary as well as a Tennessee Smart Yard.

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