

Professional Learning Community

Plan for 7th Grade Plot

Contact: Chris Wilson, Room 94

Onions & Peppers

Meet Wednesday, January 16th @ 1:10 pm

Topics for discussion:

- Plot preparation – Sustainable Mullica will prepare the plot. We will email if that takes place on a school day.
- Soil testing (see YouTube : How to test your garden soil, Garden Girl TV) – ACE will test the soil.
- Adding amendments – Compost & manure will be added. Depending on the Ph & soil test other amendments may be added.
- Types of onions & peppers – 100 yellow onion sets have been ordered through www.groworganic.com . At least 3 different types of pepper plants will be purchased locally.
- How much of each should be ordered? 100 onion sets & 22 pepper plants will fill the plot.
- Planting dates – Onions will be planted March 12, 2013. Peppers will be planted May 21st. Class time is 10:40 am till 11:30 am. Two YouTube videos should be viewed by the class before planting: 1. Planting Onion Sets by Mr.Rhett18 & 2. Growing Edible Plants: How to Grow Bell Pepper Plants by ehowgarden.
 - Mulching – We will mulch right after planting.
 - Weeding – The class will check weekly for weeds.
- Creating dishes/celebrating will occur in May after planting of peppers as well as in the fall. Sustainable Mullica will teach a healthy food preparation class in May.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions, concerns or input.

Peace,

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