

Friends of the Trees Botanicals Presents... HUGELKULTUR WORKSHOP!

Facilitated by Michael "Skeeter" Pilarski, Ashley Kehl & Gene Eisele



April 3rd, Saturday - 10:00 am- 5:00 pm Irondale, WA

Registration Fee: \$50

*No one turned away for lack of funds. Sliding Scale Option for those who need it.

What the heck is a Hugelkultur?

Pronounced HOO-gul-culture and meaning hill or mound culture. They have been practiced in German and Eastern European farming for thousands of years and has been adapted for modern-day permaculture gardening. Hugelkultur is the process of using buried wood to mimic the decomposition of fallen trees in a forest ecosystem.

This tour and hands-on workshop will show you the possibilities of Hugelkulturs! Hugelkultur turns your plants into happy, healthy, water-conserving ninjas, They help sequester carbon and can crank out amazing crops for years to come. We will build and plant a hugelkultur as well as examine recently built ones. The workshop will include touring 3 properties with a dozen hugelkulturs built over the last 4 years. From gigantic scale built with excavators to small backyard scale built by hand. Kids are welcome.

This class is outdoors. Come prepared for the weather and getting your hands dirty! Bring a brown bag lunch and work gloves. More details on EventBrite.

REGISTER HERE skeeter.eventbrite.com