

THE PENNSYLVANIA WOMEN'S AGRICULTURAL NETWORK  
PRESENTS

# SHIITAKE MUSHROOM GROWING

## QUIET CREEK HERB FARM & SCHOOL OF COUNTRY LIVING

93 QUIET CREEK LANE  
BROOKVILLE, PA 15825 (JEFFERSON COUNTY)

**APRIL 25, 2014**

**10:00 A.M.—4:00 P.M.**



Claire & Rusty Orner of Quiet Creek Herb Farm and School of Country Living, a Brookville-based nonprofit organization, will present a workshop on the key concepts of growing, harvesting, preserving, and cooking Shiitake Mushrooms, as well as using them for medicine.

For eighteen years, Quiet Creek Herb Farm & School of Country Living has been offering workshops on sustainable living. In this course, the theory of mushroom growing will be applied in a hands-on experience which will stimulate the intellect, the taste buds, and the do-it-yourself know-how.

The workshop is \$100 and participants will receive practical experience and knowledge to put Shiitake and Oyster mushrooming in full gear.

Quiet Creek Herb Farm and School of Country Living is a non-profit, charitable, educational organization dedicated to conservation of natural resources, ecological thinking and healthful sustainable living. For more information visit, [www.quietcreekherbfarm.org](http://www.quietcreekherbfarm.org).

- Learn how to grow, harvest, preserve, and cook with Shiitake Mushrooms.
- Learn how to choose the best growing mediums, power tools for drilling logs
- Registration fee includes Shiitake Starter Log

### AGENDA

10:00 a.m.	Welcome & Introductions
10:15 a.m.	Pursuing Your Passion in Mushrooms
11:15 a.m.	Learning Tree ID, Cutting, Drilling & Inoculation for Shiitake Mushrooms
Noon	Networking Lunch
1:15 p.m.	Medicinal Properties of Mushrooms
2:45 p.m.	Mushroom Processing: Drying, Freezing, and Canning
3:45 p.m.	Question & Answer Session and Evaluation
4:00 p.m.	Adjourn

### REGISTRATION

**Registration Fee: \$100**  
**(includes Shiitake Starter Log, Lunch & materials)**

**Online Registration:**  
<http://agsci.psu.edu/wagn/events>  
**For additional details contact:**

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All are welcome to participate in events sponsored by PA-WAgN.

**Registration Deadline April 14**



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### DIRECTIONS

<http://bit.ly/MvbLMe>

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