

Middletown Project Green Lawn presents:

# Organic Lawn Care at Home

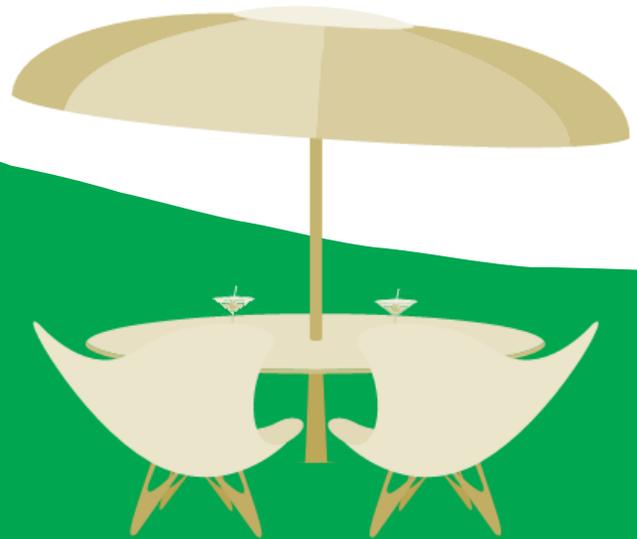
Monday, June 2, 2014, 6:30—8:00 p.m.

Hubbard Room, Russell Library

123 Broad Street, Middletown, CT

Enjoy a safe and healthy yard this summer! Many people don't realize that traditional lawn care methods can use dangerous chemicals that are very harmful to people, pets and our environment. Join us to learn how to maintain your property without using these harmful chemicals. Matt Carroll, co-owner of Jessica's Garden in Marlborough, CT, will teach us the steps to having beautiful, healthy lawns that are safe to play on. Learn about the benefits of soil testing, aeration and re-seeding, as well as organic methods of dealing with weeds.

Refreshments will be served, and there will be a free raffle for *The Organic Lawn Care Manual!*



To register or for more information, contact Kim O'Rourke, Middletown Recycling Coordinator, at 860-638-4855 or [Kim.ORourke@MiddletownCT.Gov](mailto:Kim.ORourke@MiddletownCT.Gov)



Project Green Lawn is a City of Middletown public awareness campaign to encourage residents and businesses to maintain healthy lawns free of chemicals that are harmful to people, pets and the environment. It is a collaborative project of the Middletown Public Works Department, Recycling Advisory Committee and Conservation Commission, with support from Connecticut River Coastal Conservation District and The Jonah Center.

***Healthy lawns for a healthy community!***