

Georgia Master Naturalist Program

2026 Programs



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County	Timeframe	Local Coordinator Name	Coordinator Emails	Location	More Information
Athens-Clarke	Spring-Summer	Laura Ney	lney@uga.edu	Athens-Area Program-Barrow County Extension Office	contact coordinator
Baldwin	Weekends, year-round, begins fall	Kensey Amerson	kenseyamerson@lockerly.org	Lockerly Arboretum	contact coordinator
Barrow	Spring-Summer	Joshua Grant	joshua.grant25@uga.edu	Athens-Area Program-Barrow County Extension Office	contact coordinator
Bibb	<i>no current program</i>				
Bryan/Chatham	Fall	Richard Evans	revans90@uga.edu	Chatham County Extension Office	contact coordinator
Camden	<i>no current program</i>				
Cobb	Fall	Daniel Price	daniel.price@uga.edu	NW Metro Program, location varies	contact coordinator
Dekalb	Fall	Caitlin Hochuli	caitlin@dunwoodynature.org	Dunwoody Nature Center	https://dunwoodynature.org/master-naturalists/
Dougherty	Fall	Vivek Bist	Vivek.Bist@uga.edu		
Douglas	Fall	Kevin Livingston	kliving@uga.edu	NW Metro Program, location varies	contact coordinator
Fayette	Next program in 2027	Kim Toal	kimtoal@uga.edu		contact coordinator
Forsyth	Next program in 2028	Heather Kolich	hnikolich@uga.edu		contact coordinator
Fulton	Fall	Christie Hill	c.hill@chattnaturecenter.org	Chattahoochee Nature Center	https://www.chattnaturecenter.org/education/programs/adult-programs/master-naturalist/
Hall	<i>no current program</i>	Maranda Martin	maranda@elachee.org	Elachee Nature Center	https://elachee.org/
Henry	Fall	Timothy Daly	tdaly@uga.edu	contact coordinator	contact coordinator
Oconee	Spring-Summer	Carsen Dean	Crdean125@uga.edu	Athens-Area Program-Barrow County Extension Office	contact coordinator
Paulding	Fall	Mary Carol Sheffield	msheff@uga.edu	NW Metro Program, location varies	contact coordinator
Richmond	Spring	Ruth Mead	ruth.mead@phinizycenter.org	Phinizy Center for Water Sciences	https://phinizycenter.org/georgia-master-naturalist/
Union & Towns	Spring & Fall	Jacob Williams	jacob.williams@uga.edu	contact coordinator	contact coordinator
White	Summer	Destiny Witt	smithgall.naturalist@dnr.ga.gov; destiny.witt@dnr.ga.gov	Smithgall Woods State Park	https://explore.gastateparks.org/info/259341?c=32443083