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Backyard Ecology: A Three-Program Series

You don't have to go far to explore the natural world; just step outside.

Attracting birds, the art of composting and fascinating fungi - these are the "Backyard Ecology" topics to be explored at the Lacey Timberland Library this June. Here are more details:

Thursday, June 9 from 5:30-7:00 p.m., "Composting 101"

Composting is an easy, energy efficient and ecologically sound way to improve soil quality. Topics include: six top composting techniques; designing or improving your composting
Speaker: Jackson Daniels, Olympia Food Co-op

Thursday, June 16 from 5:30-7:00 p.m., "Make Your Yard a Bird Magnet"

Learn how to increase the numbers and varieties of birds visiting your yard.
Speaker: Kim Adelson, Black Hills Audubon Society

Thursday, June 23 from 5:30-7:00 p.m., "Radical Mycology: Fungi, Culture and Community"

Fungi offer many ways to increase personal health, community resilience and ecological stewardship.
Speaker: Peter McCoy, author of "Radical Mycology: A Treatise on Seeing and Working with Fungi"

All Timberland Regional Library programs are free and open to the public. The [Lacey Timberland Library](http://www.TRL.org) is located at 500 College Street SE. For more information, call the library at 360-491-3860 or visit www.TRL.org.

Timberland Regional Library provides for the information, reading and lifelong learning needs of the Grays Harbor, Lewis, Mason, Pacific and Thurston county public at 27 community public libraries and 6 partner locations. The library system is funded mainly by local property taxes. Anyone needing special accommodations to participate in a library's programs may contact the library one week in advance.