

Grafting Apple Trees

with Steve Masterman, Orchardist

April 25, 27, 28

Grafting Apple Trees – Beginner Classes

Thursday, April 25, 6-9 p.m. (Note: This same class is also offered on Saturday, April 27.)

Saturday, April 27, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. (Note: This class is a repeat of the class offered on Thursday, April 25.)

Come learn the basics of grafting with orchardist Steve Masterman. Learn which varieties of apples grow best in the Fairbanks area and which rootstock will be hardy in your location. Participants will graft four apple trees to take home. Please bring leather work gloves, a sharp knife with a straight, thin blade and a cutting board. All other materials will be supplied. This is a beginner class for those who have never grafted and includes a PowerPoint presentation on grafting techniques and hardy varieties.

Grafting Apple Trees – Intermediate Class

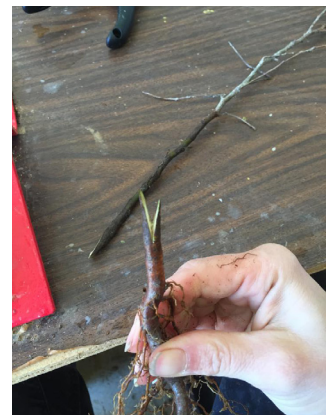
Sunday, April 28, 2-5 p.m.

This hands-on workshop is for those who have had experience grafting. Anyone who registered for beginning apple grafting can register for this intermediate workshop. Steve Masterman and other local experts will be available to help you hone your grafting skills. Your registration of \$30 guarantees you six trees to graft and take home. Many varieties of apple scion wood will be available as will a limited number of rootstock and scion wood for other fruit trees. Please bring leather work gloves, a sharp knife with a straight, thin blade and a cutting board.

Location: UAF Arctic Health Research Bldg, 901 S. Koyukuk Drive, Room 1W05. Free parking on the west side of UAF Arctic Health Research Building. Enter through west-facing doors for Room 1W05.

Registration: Each class costs \$30, which includes instruction and four apple trees to take home. Space is limited to 30 participants per class, so be sure to preregister online soon at <http://bit.ly/AppleGraft19>

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