



## **The Home Grown Institute 2012**

**Saturday and Sunday, March 24-25**

**Sneak Peek Weekend At-A-Glance**

**On the next two pages, you'll find the list of morning and afternoon workshops.**

**What you won't see are the DOZENS of OTHER programs we have planned for your education and enjoyment...**

**Surprising and Innovative On-Site Registration Process  
Building Compost Piles Rain Barrel Demos Seed Exchange  
Town Square Resource Center Silent Auction Tool Exchange  
Community (Volunteer) Engagement Yoga  
Community Action Network Silent Dining  
Saturday Evening Reception with Awards, Food, Story-sharing and more!**

**REGISTER SOON. LATE FEE AFTER FEBRUARY 24. REGISTRATION CLOSSES MARCH 19.**

**[thehomegrowninstitute.org/Register.html](http://thehomegrowninstitute.org/Register.html)**

**View Full Program Online at [issuu.com/thehomegrowninstitute](http://issuu.com/thehomegrowninstitute)**

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## March 24, Saturday At-A-Glance

Plan to Stay Saturday Evening for  
Storytelling and Awards Reception

included with Saturday Registration

### Morning Workshops

TLB Backyard Chickens: Tour, Learn & Build

TLB Extending the Growing Season: Tour, Learn & Build

TLB Rain Water Harvest: Tour, Learn & Build

Cooking for a Crowd - Apprenticeship with the Master Chefs

Ecosystem Basics - How it Used to Be and How WeCan Fix It

School Gardens as Community Garden - A Match Made in Heaven?

Organic Gardening 101 - Let's Get Growing!

Beekeeping 101 - An Intro to the Basics

Treatment-Free Beekeeping on Natural-Sized Comb - Intermediate

Backyard Seed Saving - Restoring the Tradition

Permaculture For the Landless - What you can do in Small Spaces

Kids Rotation: Beekeeping, Repurposing, Walk in Wissahickon

Teen Track A: Culinary Arts - Knife and Kitchen Skills

Teen Track B: Creative Film-Making - Teamwork at its Best

Teen Track C: Building Cool Things from Trash

### KEY

TLB - Tour, Learn & Build - Morning Tour off-site field trips by carpool

Afternoon Build projects on-site

\*Kids program, adults are welcome to join in

^ Family Friendly, parents are invited to bring their children

Program subject to change

### Afternoon Two-Hour Workshops

TLB Backyard Chickens: Build Chicken Coops

TLB Extending the Growing Season: Build Cold Frames, Raised Beds

TLB Rain Water Harvest - Build your Own Rain Barrel

Design You Own Rain Garden

Permaculture 101 - An Intro to the Principles and Projects

^Worms Make the Best Fertilizer: Vermicomposting 101

Food Preservation 101 - Capitalizing on Abundance

Advanced Organic Gardening Part A: Pest Management

\*Kids Rotation: Composting, Catching Rainwater, Growing Food

Teen Track A: The Great Kitchen Battle

Teen Track B: Creative Film-Making - The Story Continues

Teen Track C: Building from Trash - One (wo)Man's Trash is another (wo)Man's treasure

### **Session A**

#### Afternoon 1 Hour Workshops

Eco-Psychology Walk in the Wissahickon

^City Homestead Project Sampler

EnergyWorks Home Energy Audit

Nutritional Myth-Busting: Cholesterol

Making Our Voices Heard: No Fracking

Video Screening Rooms

### **Session B**

#### Afternoon 1 Hour Workshops

The Way of Love: Strengthening Relationships

^Upcycling: From Rags to Riches

EnergyWorks Green Jobs Training Programs

Eating to Sustain Health and Planet

Public Conversations at The Home Grown Institute

Video Screening Rooms

# The Home Grown Institute 2012

## March 25, Sunday At-A-Glance

Join Us Saturday Evening for  
Storytelling and Awards Reception

included with Sunday Registration

### Morning Workshops

TLB Beekeeping: Tour, Learn & Build  
TLB Permaculture: Tour, Learn & Build  
TLB Natural Building: Cob/Straw Bale TLB (Morning Build only!)  
Cooking for a Crowd - Apprenticeship with the Master Chefs  
Sustainability as a Spiritual Practice  
Starting Community Gardens: An Introduction  
Backyard Chickens 101 - An Intro to the Basics  
Worms Make the Best Fertilizer: Vermicomposting 101  
Advanced Organic Gardening Part B: Soil Enrichment  
Kids Rotation: Worms, "Stuff", and a Walk in Wissahickon  
Teen Track A: Culinary Arts - Knife and Kitchen Skills  
Teen Track B: Creative Film-Making - Teamwork at its Best  
Teen Track C: Building Cool Things from Trash

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### Afternoon Two-Hour Workshops

TLB Beekeeping: Langstroth Assembly and Top Bar Build  
TLB Permaculture: Edible Landscape and Urban Orchards  
TLB Aquaponics: Three Systems Demonstration (Afternoon Build only!)  
Fermentation - So Many Benefits, Who Would've Known?  
Mushrooms 101: A Foray into the Wonderful World of Mycology!  
Feed the Birds, Bees, Butterflies and the Gardener, too!  
Sustainable Futures Through Home Energy Conservation  
\*Kids Rotation: Composting, Catching Rainwater, Growing Food  
Teen Track A: The Great Kitchen Battle  
Teen Track B: Creative Film-Making - The Story Continues  
Teen Track C: Building from Trash - One (wo)Man's Trash is another (wo)Man's treasure

### **Session A**

#### Afternoon 1 Hour Workshops

Eco-Psychology Wissahickon Walk  
^City Homestead Project Sampler  
PWD Green Homes Sneak Preview  
Natural Cleaners (Self/Home)  
Serving Up Justice  
Video Screening Rooms

### **Session B**

#### Afternoon 1 Hour Workshops

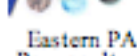
The Way of Love- Strengthening Relationships  
^Upcycling: From Rags to Riches  
Growing Your Enterprise: Business Planning 101  
Foraging with Wild Foodies  
Public Conversations at The Home Grown Institute  
Video Screening Rooms



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Wild Foodies



Green Woods Charter School



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