

A large dandelion seed head on a long stem, with several seeds blowing away, positioned behind the title text.

HERB RALLY

2017 Herbalism Event Report

Welcome!

Below you'll find a list of many of the herbalism events happening this year.

The list is chronological. If you'd like to see the events organized by state, you can go to www.herbrally.com/events.

HerbRally is updated weekly, so that's where you'd want to go for the most up-to-date information.

Here's to getting out there in 2017 to connect with plants and people!



[2015 Traditions in Western Herbalism Conference](#)

January

8 Week Introduction to Tropical Plant Medicine Apprenticeship with David Bruce Leonard

January 6th, 2017
Maui, HI

Your Medicine Can Be Free!

January 11th, 2017
Portland, OR

Second Tuesday Tea Time

January 10th, 2017
New Orleans, LA

Fun With Fermentation

January 14th, 2017
Eugene, OR

Guided Plant Meditation with Amanda Frankel

January 17th, 2017
Portland, OR

Herbal First Aid for the Streets and the Home

January 18th, 2017
Portland, OR

Burning for Butterflies, Birds and Blooms with Amanda Stamper

January 19th, 2017
Eugene, OR

Candle Making 101 with Claire Porter

January 19th, 2017
Portland, OR

Plant Meditation

January 21st, 2017

Seattle, WA

Preconception to Postpartum: Managing Women's Health Conditions Through the Fertile Years

January 21st, 2017

Portland, OR

Introduction to Flower Essence Therapy

January 23rd, 2017

Portland, OR

Emotional Care for the Long Haul

January 25th, 2017

Portland, OR

Eco Farm Conference

January 25th - 28th, 2017

Pacific Grove, CA

Herbalista Community Health Fair

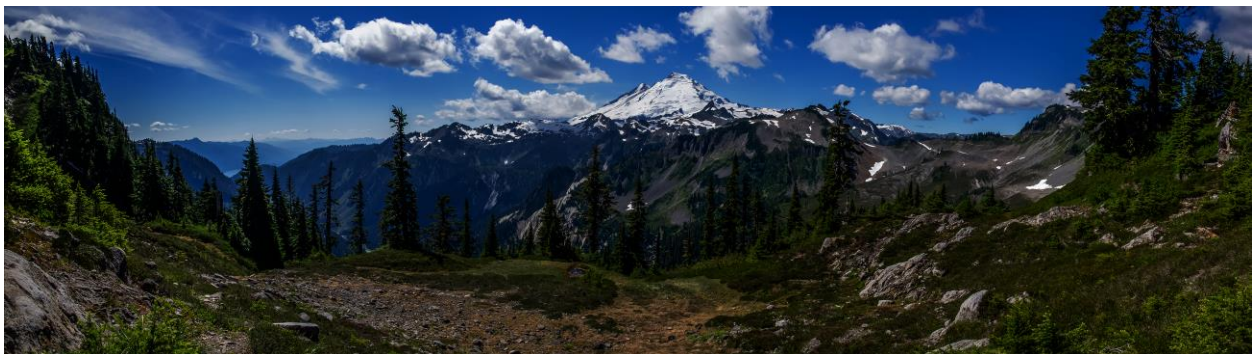
January 25th, 2017

Atlanta, GA

Agroforestry Symposium

January 26th, 2017

Columbia, MO



Humorum Practicum: Elements, Humour and Temperaments in Western Herbalism

January 26th - 29th, 2017

Bow, WA

United States Lavender Conference

January 26th - 28th, 2017

Mesa, AZ

Introduction to Cedar Bark Weaving

January 28th, 2017

Eugene, OR

Poplar Buds and Red Cedar: Winter Twigs

January 29th, 2017

Portland, OR

Community Class with Karyn Sanders

January 30th, 2017

New York, NY



February

Herbalism In The Home

February 2nd - 23rd, 2017
Portland, OR

Pamper Yourself: Natural Skin Care Workshop

February 4th, 2017
Saint Paul, MN

Plant Medicine Wisdom

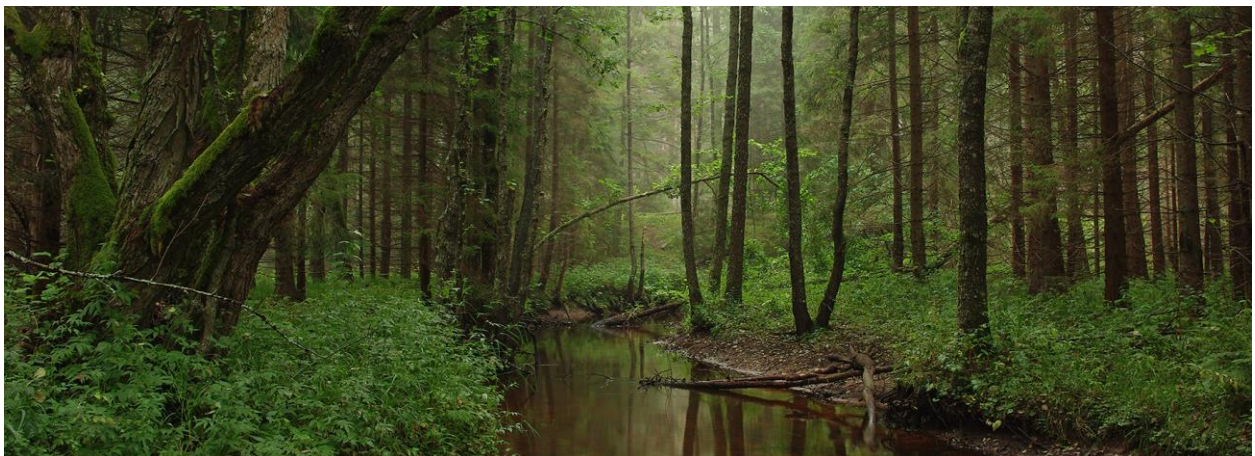
February 5th, 2017
Standwood, WA

Be My Herbal Valentine with Amanda Frankel

February 7th, 2017
Portland, OR

Food as Medicine Symposium

February 11th - 12th, 2017
Portland, OR



[Kindling the Heart Fire with Sean Donahue](#)

February 11th - 12th, 2017

Bellingham, WA

[Plant Medicine Wisdom](#)

February 12th, 2017

Stanwood, WA

[Colorado Winter Wilderness First Responder Certification](#)

February 13th - 17th, 2016

Boulder, CO

[Herbal Mixology: Hot Toddies, Mulled Wines and Heated Herbal Spirits](#)

February 13th, 2017

Portland, OR

[Second Tuesday Tea Time](#)

February 14th, 2017

New Orleans, LA

[Make a Hawthorn Berry Cordial with Claire Porter](#)

February 16th, 2017

Portland, OR

[Plant Meditation](#)

February 18th, 2017

Seattle, WA



[Mother Earth News Fair](#)

February 18th - 19th, 2017
Belton, TX

[Seed Starting 101](#)

February 18th, 2017
Portland, OR

[Plant Medicine Wisdom](#)

February 19th, 2017
Stanwood, WA

[Herbalista Community Health Fair](#)

February 22nd, 2017
Atlanta, GA

[Integrative Healthcare Symposium](#)

February 23rd - 25th, 2017
New York, NY

[Florida Herbal Conference](#)

February 24th - 26th, 2017
Lake Wales, FL

[Herbs for Mental and Emotional Health with Brigitte Mars](#)

February 25th, 2017
Boulder, CO

[Plant Medicine Wisdom](#)

February 26th, 2017
Stanwood, WA



[Free Herbalism Project](#)

March

[10-week Herbal Healing Class with Brigitte Mars](#)

March 1st - May 3rd, 2017

Boulder, CO

[Boost Your Mood with Bath Salts with Claire Porter](#)

March 2nd, 2017

Portland, OR

[Sacred Psychoactives](#)

March 4th, 2017

Boulder, CO

[TerraVita Herbal Symposium](#)

March 4th - 5th, 2017

Laguna Beach, CA

Plant Medicine Wisdom

March 5th, 2017
Stanwood, WA

NOFA/RI Winter Conference

March 5th, 2017
Warren, RI

History and Mystery of Flower Essences with Amanda Frankel

March 7th, 2017
Portland, OR

Energetics in the Western Herbal Tradition: Elements, Humours and Temperaments with jim mcdonald

March 10th - 12th, 2017
Montpelier, VT

Organic Growers School Spring Conference

March 11th - 12th, 2017
Asheville, NC

The Intelligence of Plants

March 12th, 2017
Eugene, OR

Plant Medicine Wisdom

March 12th, 2017
Stanwood, WA

Second Tuesday Tea Time

March 14th, 2017
New Orleans, LA

Washington Botanical Symposium

March 15th, 2017

Seattle, WA

Dreams, Pillows and Aromatherapy with Claire Porter

March 16th, 2017

Portland, OR

Wild Forage Retreat at Big Bear Camp

March 17th - 19th, 2017

Walton, OR

Plant Meditation

March 18th, 2017

Seattle, WA

Herbal Mixology: Bitters, Digestives and Aperitifs

March 20th, 2017

Portland, OR



Smoke and Spirit Work with Amanda Frankel

March 21st, 2017

Portland, OR

Spirit Weavers Gathering Presents: Intimacy with Nature

March 23rd - March 27th, 2017

Kauai, HI

Shamanic Herbalism: Animal Medicines/Plant Medicines with Matthew Wood

March 24th - 25th, 2017

Abita Springs, LA

Reading the Body with Margi Flint

March 25th - 27th, 2017

Bellingham, WA

Mushroom Cultivation Design Course

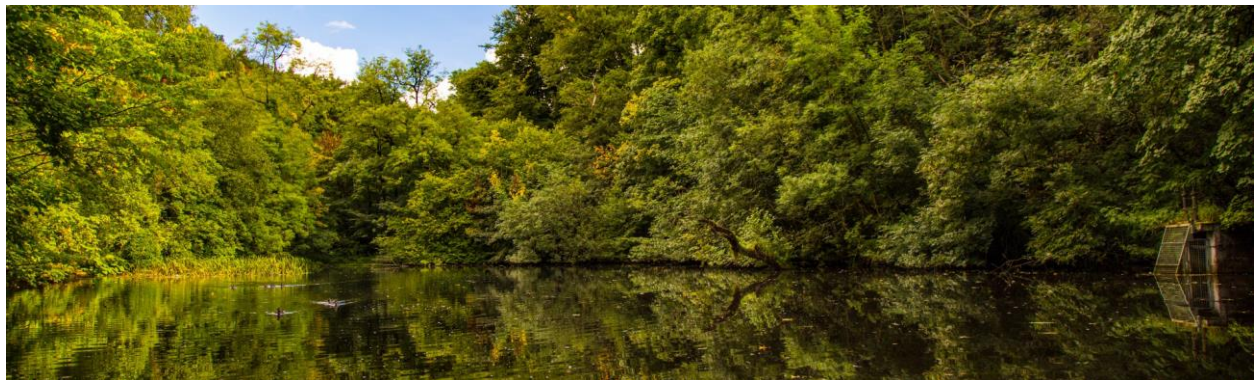
March 27th - April 1st, 2017

Dexter, OR

Herbalista Community Health Fair

March 29th, 2017

Atlanta, GA



April

Young Wombyn's (After School) Herbalism

April 4th - May 9th, 2017 (Tuesdays)
Portland, OR

No Such Things as Weeds with Amanda Frankel

April 4th, 2017
Portland, OR

Make a Spring Tonic Elixir with Claire Porter

April 6th, 2017
Portland, OR

Botanizing the Gorge: Advanced Plant Identification

April 7th - 12th, 2017
Portland, OR

The Endocrine System and Women's Health with Dr. Jody Noe

April 7th - 9th, 2017
Madison, WI

Southwest Conference on Botanical Medicine

April 7th - 9th, 2017
Tempe, AZ

Herbal Mixology: Herbal Root Beers

April 17th, 2017
Portland, OR

Cooking with Medicinal Herbs with Amanda Frankel

April 18th, 2017
Portland, OR

[Herb Walk at the Grotto with Claire Porter](#)

April 20th, 2017

Portland, OR

[Plant Meditation](#)

April 23rd, 2017

Seattle, WA

[The Practitioner Channel Forum](#)

April 26th - 28th, 2017

Coronado Island, CA

[Young People's \(After School\) Herbalism](#)

April 26th - May 31st, 2017

Portland, OR

[Aromatherapy and Medicine of the Soul with Cathy Skipper and Florian Birkmayer](#)

April 29th - 30th, 2017

Bellingham, WA



May

Herb Walk at Leach Gardens

May 4th, 2017

Portland, OR

Herb Walk with Brigitte Mars

May 6th, 2017

Boulder, CO

Mother Earth News Fair

May 6th - 7th, 2017

Asheville, NC

Free Herbalism Project

May 7th, 2017

Eugene, OR

Herbal Immersion - Discover Your Wise Woman

May 7th - 12th, 2017

Black Mountain, NC

Traditional Roots Conference

May 19th - 21st, 2017

Portland, OR

Plant Meditation

May 20th, 2017

Seattle, WA

Mount Pisgah Wildflower Festival

May 21st, 2017

Eugene, OR

Plants of the Siskiyou's Camping Adventure

May 25th - 28th, 2017

Southwest Oregon

Honoring our Ancestors - Unearthing the Past, Healing our Future

May 26th - 28th, 2017

Clarksville, TN

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June

Make a Summertime Salve with Claire Porter

June 2nd, 2017

Portland, OR

Herbstalk

June 3rd - 4th, 2017

Somerville, MA

Clinical Herbalism Immersion with Tammi Sweet

June 6th - 8th, 2017

Madison, WI

Doula Training

June 6th - 8th, 2017

Madison, WI

Botanical Drawing

June 7th - 9th, 2017

Madison, WI

International Herb Symposium

June 9th - 11th, 2017

Norton, MA

Midwest Women's Herbal Conference

June 9th - 11th, 2017

Almond, WI

Mother Earth News Fair

June 10th - 11th, 2017

Burlington, VT

Mushroom Cultivation Design Course

June 12th - 17th, 2017

Dexter, OR

Good Medicine Confluence

June 14th - 18th, 2017

Durango, CO

Exploring Medicinal Plants of Maine with Steven Foster

June 18th - 24th, 2017

Steuben, ME

The Herbal Healers

June 23rd - 25th, 2017

Golden Lake, ON (Canada)

July

Simply Spicy: Exploration of Botanical and Culinary Medicine in Integrative Practice

July 8th - 9th, 2017

Taos, NM

The Future of Ginseng and Forest Botanicals

July 12th - 14th, 2017

Morgantown, WV

An Herbal Extravaganza

July 14th - 15th, 2017

Santa Fe, NM

High Altitude Herb Walk with Brigitte Mars

July 15th, 2017

Nederland, CO

Herb Walk with Brigitte Mars

July 16th, 2017

Boulder, CO

Wild Herb Weekend

July 21st - 23rd, 2017

Valle Crucis, NC

Finger Lakes Herbal Field Trip

July 28th - 30th, 2017

Ithaca, NY

Herbal First Aid

July 28th - 29th, 2017

Santa Fe, NM



August

Midwest Herb Fest

August 4th - 6th, 2017
French Lick, IN

Activating the Pineal Gland with Brigitte Mars

August 11th - 13th, 2017
Orlando, FL

Humoural Temperaments for Mongrel Herbalists with jim mcdonald

August 12th - 14th, 2017
Ontaria, WI

Planting the Future Conference

August 12th, 2017
Kickapoo Valley Reserve, WI

The Herbalist's Medicine Bag

August 18th – 20th, 2017
Golden Lake, ON (Canada)

Red Earth Herbal Gathering

August 19th – 20th, 2017
Longmont, CO

Integrative Medicine For The Underserved

August 24th - 26th, 2017
Chicago, IL

NorthWest Herb Symposium

August 24th – 27th, 2017
Coupeville, WA

New England Women's Herbal Conference

August 25th - 27th, 2017

Newfound Lake, NH

High Altitude Herb Walk with Brigitte Mars

August 26th, 2017

Nederland, CO

BOTANICAL ILLUSTRATION iPHONE CASES



September

Mushroom Cultivation Design Course

September 4th - 9th, 2017

Dexter, OR

Wilderness Herbal First Aid

September 6th - 10th, 2017

Bellingham, WA

Breitenbush Herbal Conference

September 7th - 10th, 2017

Breitenbush, OR

Great Lakes Herb Faire

September 8th - 10th, 2017

Chelsea, MI

10-week Herbal Healing Class with Brigitte Mars

September 13th - November 15th, 2017

Boulder, CO

MidAmerica Herbal Symposium

September 15th - 17th, 2017

Altura, MN

Mother Earth News Fair

September 15th - 17th, 2017

Seven Springs, PA

Chesapeake Herb Gathering

September 17th - 18th, 2017

Waldorf, MD

Clinical Use of Local Herbs

September 22nd – 24th, 2017

Golden Lake, ON (Canada)

Pacific Women's Herbal Conference

September 22nd – 24th, 2017

Monroe, WA

Grassroots Midwest Herbal Conference

September 29th - October 1st, 2017

Fredericktown, MI



October

[American Herbalists Guild Annual Symposium](#)

October 5th - 9th, 2017

Silverton, OR

[Mycelium Mysteries: Women's Mushroom Retreat](#)

October 6th - 8th, 2017

Almond, WI

[Southeast Wise Woman Herbal Conference](#)

October 13th - 15th, 2017

Black Mountain, NC

[Mother Earth News Fair](#)

October 21st - 22nd, 2017

Topeka, KS

[Rewilding Conference](#)

October 27th - 29th, 2017

Portland, OR

November

Wintergreen Herbal Marketplace

November 25th, 2017
Somerville, MA

Mushroom Cultivation Design Course

November 27th - December 2nd, 2017
Dexter, OR





The Free Herbal Materia Medica Course

Registration opens January 2nd. Registration is open during the month of January.

One of the most valuable ways to spark the excitement for your herbal studies is by working on your herbal materia medica!

By studying plants one herb at a time, you have the opportunity to connect with individual herbs at a meaningful level through in-depth study and experience. The free Herbal Materia Medica Course will teach you this simple—yet powerful—study process and help you organize what you are learning into plant monographs. These will be invaluable for future reference and will become a treasured keepsake.

Learn what a materia medica is (if you don't already know) and follow along with the Herbal Academy's step-by-step instructions on how to research a plant. This course will equip you with the tools you need to experience and study herbs on your own.

Best of all, the Herbal Materia Medica Course is free during the entire month of January!

[REGISTER FOR CLASS HERE](#)

Included in this course:

- 1) **6 thoughtful lessons** that will walk you through creating your own materia medica
- 2) Free **materia medica journal pages** for download and print
- 3) A **handy step-by- step guide** to completing plant monographs
- 4) Helpful **study aids, tools, and charts** that will enrich your studies on topics such as safety and dosage, researching, plant identification, tea meditation, and more
- 5) An **extensive list of references** to support your research
- 6) **Activities and tutorials** to encourage hands-on experience
- 7) **20% off herbs** at Bulk Herb Store during the month of January
- 8) Access to the Herbal Academy's beautiful **Student Platform**
- 9) A **badge** of completion upon graduation

As a companion offering of the free [Herbal Materia Medica Course](#), you will have the option to upgrade your registration to include the Herbal Academy's beautifully illustrated **Materia Medica Journal**. With the ability to accommodate 50 botanical monographs, this journal also includes many of the useful reference charts from the Herbal Materia Medica Course including those on plant identification, herbal safety, and researching tips and tricks.

Ready to inspire and deepen your herbal knowledge?

Designed for herbalists in the making, seasoned herbalists, and those not yet sure if this is the right path for you, the Herbal Materia Medica Course will benefit all learners—no prior experience or education required and all are welcome to sign up!

The teachers at the Herbal Academy will walk you through the six free lessons of the Herbal Materia Medica Course to teach you the rewarding process of studying one herb at a time.

By the end of class, you will have a firm understanding of what a materia medica is and how to create one, along with many resources and media to help you fill out your materia medica pages. You will learn to rely not only on what you learn in books, but also your own understanding, experience, and observations to **tell the story of your plant**.

This course is enrolling during January 2017.

Learn more and register for the Free Herbal Materia Medica Course [HERE](#)

