

# HIGH TUNNELS 101

Want to extend your growing and marketing seasons? Protect your crops from cold, wind, and rain plus certain pests and diseases? Make more money in the process? High tunnels can help you. Learn how they work, where to buy them, how to build them, their benefits, drawbacks, and more – the ABCs of what you need to know before you start – in this introductory half-day course. It's offered, for your convenience, on six different dates at six different Ohio locations.



**Monday, Dec. 10, 2007**  
**1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

*hosted by OSU Extension*

**Location:**

OSU Extension Office  
225 Underwood St.  
Zanesville, Ohio 43701

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**Tuesday, Jan. 8, 2008**  
**1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

*hosted by OSU Extension and Toledo Botanical Garden*

**Location:**

Toledo Botanical Garden  
5403 Elmer Dr.  
Toledo, Ohio 43615

**Contact:**

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*OSU Extension at Toledo Botanical Garden*  
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**Thursday, Jan. 24, 2008**  
**1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

*hosted by OSU Extension and the Mt. Hope Auction, Inc.*

**Location:**

Mt. Hope Auction, Inc.  
P.O. Box 82  
8076 State Route 241  
Mt. Hope, Ohio 44660

**Contact:**

Thurman Mullett,  
*Mt. Hope Auction, Inc.*  
phone: (330) 674-6188

**Friday, Jan. 25, 2008**  
**1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

*hosted by OSU Extension, Countryside Conservancy, and Crown Point Farm and Education Center*

**Location:**

Crown Point Farm and Education Center  
3220 Ira Rd.  
Bath, Ohio 44210 (10 miles north of Akron/20 miles south of Cleveland)

**Contact:**

Beth Knorr, *Countryside Conservancy*  
phone: (330) 657-2538  
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**Friday, Feb. 15, 2008**  
**1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

*hosted by the Ohio Ecological Food and Farm Association (OEFFA)*

**Location:**

Granville, Ohio 43023

**Contact:**

OEFFA Office,  
phone: (614) 421-2022

**Friday, March, 7, 2008**  
**1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**

*hosted by OSU Extension*

**Location:**

Village Administration Building  
Plymouth, Ohio 44865

**Contact:**

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**Instructors**

Matt Kleinhenz, *Vegetable Crops Specialist, Department of Horticulture and Crop Science, OSU Extension, the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center (OARDC), The Ohio State University*

Brad Bergefurd, *Extension Educator, Horticulture Program, OSU South Centers at Piketon*

Ron Becker, *Extension Program Assistant, OSU Extension, Wayne County*

**Registration**

Pre-registration is encouraged. Registration at the door (\$25) will be based on available seating. To pre-register, first choose the date/location you want. Second, contact the person listed for the site. Then, last, send a check or money order for \$20 per person to the Contact person/address listed for your specific date/location. Make checks payable to The Ohio State University.

**For more information**

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