

2018 Arlington Home Expo - Schedule of Classes

TIME	BLUE ROOM
10:00 am – 11:00 am	<p>Choosing the Right contractor & remodeling mistakes to avoid! Free: The first 20 attendees will receive the booklet “How to guarantee that your REMODELING dream doesn’t become a NIGHTMARE” <i>Steve Tinter – COOK BROS. Design/Build Remodeling</i></p>
11:15 am – 12:15 pm	<p>“There’s No Place Like Home” – Remodeling Strategies for Aging in Place Aging in Place means having the opportunity to live safely, independently and comfortably in one’s own home regardless of age or ability. Learn about ideas and solutions in making your home more accessible. <i>Rebuilding Together, National non-for -profit Home Remodeler</i></p>
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	<p>11 Ways to Pay for your Remodeling Project! If you've been dreaming about a kitchen, bathroom or total interior remodeling, you have a variety of financing options. Come and learn what those options are... <i>Benjamin Freshman, George Mason Mortgage, LLC</i></p>
2 pm – 3 pm	<p>Moving, Downsizing & Selling your House What’s your plan...or do you need help making one? Let’s talk about why, when and how to make the move. In addition, staging, pricing and getting the house sold. <i>Denyse “Nia” Bagley, Weichert Realtors</i></p>
TIME	GREEN ROOM
10:30 am - 11:30 am	<p>Home Turf Alternatives: Converting your Lawn into a Garden! Tired of mowing and fertilizing grass? Wishing you could do something more with your landscape? Learn effective ways of turning your lawn into a garden. No matter if you want to grow flowers, vegetables, herbs, or fruit trees on it. <i>Kirsten Conrad, Virginia Cooperative Extension</i></p>
12 pm – 1 pm	<p>Your Home Making You Sick? What is the Cause? What Can you do? Are you experiencing symptoms such as eye, nose, throat and skin irritation, fatigue, headaches, coughing, wheezing, general hypersensitivity, nausea, dizziness, etc.? Come and learn what could be the cause and the possible solution. <i>Dave Daly, Building Analyst, Building Envelope Specialist, ASTRACOR Instructor</i></p>
1:45 pm – 2:45 pm	<p>Energy Smart Landscaping Lighting Solutions Using LED technology to improve landscape lighting design, efficiency and security. Free landscape lighting design/consultation for the first 10 attendees. <i>Olson Weaver Lighting Design & Install</i></p>
3 pm – 4 pm	<p>Edible Landscaping and Home Gardening Tips and Tricks No room, sun or time? You CAN integrate edible plants into the traditional ornamental landscape. Cooperative Extension has tools you can use to grow your own, save money, and maximize growing space. <i>Kirsten Conrad, Virginia Cooperative Extension</i></p>

TIME	YELLOW ROOM
10:00 am – 12:00 pm	<p>The Fair Housing Act: Keeping your Condominium Association in Compliance and out of Court</p> <p>Learn how the Fair Housing Act (“FHA”) applies to Condo Associations: the problems, pitfalls, and penalties. Get some commonsense solutions for staying out of trouble</p> <p><i>Kathleen N. Machado, Esq. and Leslie Brown Esq. - Rees Broome Law Firm</i></p>
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	<p>“The Basics of Building an Accessory Dwelling Unit(ADU) In Arlington”</p> <p>The class is intended to help you understand the basics of the ADU design, permit, management, and building process. The class will help you save time and money.</p> <p><i>Marta Layseca, EnviroHomeDesign</i></p>
2 pm – 4 pm	<p>The Landlord Seminar: Know the Law!</p> <p>"Protect your property, protect your investments, and protect yourself".</p> <p>Expert Attorney will cover topics about landlord/tenant laws like: drafting airtight leases, legal evictions, collecting judgments, legislatives updates and much more.</p> <p><i>Legal Services of Northern Virginia</i></p>

TIME	MAIN STAGE
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	<p>Move or Remodel? Which is right for me? The</p> <p>pitfalls of remodeling vs. new construction. When to re-use your existing home, and when you can't. Things you should know and questions to ask before you get into a new project.</p> <p><i>Andrew Moore, Builder, Arlington Designer Homes</i></p>
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	<p>“Greening Your Kitchen and Bath Renovation”???</p> <p>You have ???, we have answers. If you want to make sure your remodeled kitchen and bath space is as comfortable and sustainable as possible, come and learn how to save energy and water, improve your indoor air quality, and protect your wallet.</p> <p><i>Helen Reinecke-Wilt, LEED AP, Home Energy Rater, Arlington County Green Home Choice Program</i></p>
1:45 – 2pm	TV RAFFLE
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm	<p>“Fast and Easy” Home Plumbing and Electrical Repairs for the Homeowner!</p> <p>Save “big dollars” on home plumbing and electrical repairs, including fixing leaking faucets and repairing toilets. It also will cover basic electrical maintenance each owner should know to prevent damage to their home and expensive repair costs.</p> <p><i>Dave Daly, Building Analyst, Building Envelope Specialist, ASTRACOR Instructor</i></p>

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