



NEWSLETTER FOR MG PROGRAM COORDINATORS

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State MG coordinators' webinar: *Handling Volunteer Background Checks*

Thursday, March 7th 10-11AM.

Pat Boyes, WSU 4-H Youth Development Program Leader, will talk about what to do when volunteer background checks come back with arrests for misdemeanors and crimes.

<http://breeze.wsu.edu/mg> Login as a guest. Webinar will be recorded.

National EMG Coordinators Discussion: *Navigating eXtension Tools and Features*

March 20 @ 11 am Pacific Time <http://create.extension.org/node/93850>

Instructions for joining the online discussion may be found at: <http://create.extension.org/node/86434>

30 Invasive Weed Postcards are available for distribution in Extension offices and MG clinics. Developed by WSU, WSDA and WA Noxious Weed Control Board, these full color postcards contain pictures, descriptions and what to do about the specific weed. To receive a full set of 30 or multiple copies of specific weeds contact:

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2013 National Extension Conference on Volunteerism

May 20-23, 2013

Frankenmuth, MI at the Barvarian Inn Lodge

An exciting line up of international volunteerism speakers, peer-reviewed presentations and proceedings, group general sessions and multiple opportunities for networking! National, state, regional and county professional Extension staff from *all* Extension program areas that engage volunteers are invited.

Early bird registration: February 1-April 19 \$225

Registration: April 20- May 10 \$275

To learn more about the conference and to register now go to: <http://necv.msue.msu.edu/registration>. Be sure to review the [conference agenda](#) and [lightning session](#) information before registering. For more information regarding registration contact ANR Event Services at events@anr.msu.edu or (517) 353-3175.

State MG Coordinators' Conference

Thursday June 20th

Wild Horse Wind and Solar Facility, Ellensburg, WA

Details to be announced but hold the date!!

And finally this from somebody else's newsletter: **a really neat poster** of more than 400 Vegetables – probably not research based, but very cool.

<http://popchartlab.com/products/the-various-varieties-of-vegetables>

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