

Temperatures Will Be Near Or At Freezing!

Protect your Valuable Orchids and Cover Fabulous Impatiens and Protect those Veggies!

- Bring your Orchids and other potted houseplants like poinsettias indoors.
- Bring in your tender exotic containerized plants like Gingers, Mussaenda, Cocoa, Chenille, Cacao, Breadfruit, Red Ceiling Wax Palm.



- Thoroughly water your landscape today so that the sun can warm up that moist soil which can prevent your tropical shrubs and coconut palms from freezing.



- Entirely and securely cover your impatiens flower beds and warm season vegetables like tomatoes and peppers and beans with blankets or plastic tarps-but always prop the cover off the top of the plants to avoid frying the plants that touch the covers- remove covers by 9AM the following day.



- Keep 3" of mulch applied to protect tender plant roots, the top portions of the plant may freeze, but the plant will re-emerge from the root system.

- Call the Master Gardener Hotline with your plant questions M-F 9AM-4PM 233-1750.

