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“Sustainable Community Living”
OUR MISSION

To promote sustainable community living, Gani Garden uses one-acre lots to grow organic food, collect rainwater, and collect solar energy for family consumption.

The Organic Farm & Learning Center will be a working model by growing vegetables, fruits, and herbs in a renovated old farm house & cement built in 1930, as true farming was ran for many years. The objective is to teach “neighborhood community” by conducting classes & workshops related to sustainable living topics.

Efforts will be dedicated to use chemical free fertilizers & pesticides for gardening to grow interesting food for healthy living. Gani Garden techniques conserve rain water & grey water for gardening and use solar energy to power our homes.

Regular classes include:

- Spring & Fall Gardening Techniques
- Composting
- Use of Chemical Free Fertilizers & Pesticides
- Rain Water Harvesting for Gardening
- Fruit Trees & Shade Trees
- Worm Factory
- and more...

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WHAT IS COCO COIR?

Gani Coco Coir is a 100% natural planting medium made from coconut husk fibers.

Once extracted from the coconut shell, the brown fibers (coir) are washed, dried, screened to remove impurities, and finally compressed into compact, lightweight blocks.

Known around the world as an environmentally sound, easy to use planting medium, the benefits of coco coir horticulture can now be brought to your garden, nursery, or landscaping project, thanks to Gani Coco Coir.

APPLICATIONS

- Organic soil amendment
- Hydroponic uses
- Soil substrate
- Green lawns
- Propagation
- Golf courses & sports field maintenance
- Rooting plants, seeds and cuttings
- Soilless growing media
- Worm bins bedding
- Saves water

COCO COIR vs. PEAT MOSS

COCO COIR
- Neutral 6-7 pH
- Very low sodium
- Hydrates within 15-30 minutes
- Light and porous
- Porous fibers retain moisture for weeks
- Stable and reusable up to 4 years
- All-natural, organic & biodegradable
- Easy to Store

PEAT MOSS
- Acids 4-5 pH
- High sodium
- Emit CO2
- production is non-eco friendly
- Non-reusable
- Does not hold moisture

Preparation

Use wheelbarrow or container to hold 20 gallons of water. Fill the container with 7 gallons of water. Immerse the block into the water and wait for 00-30 minutes. It will get hydrated and it will make up to 17 gallons of Coco Coir fully ready to use.

HISTORY

Venkappa Gani (better known as Gani) and Ratna Gani (better known as Ratna) became Master Gardeners in Montgomery County in 2000, and joined Travis County Master Gardeners in 2002 when they relocated to Austin, TX. Their home in South Austin is a stellar gold, and an organic garden with vegetables, herbs, fruits, and flowers. In 2005, Gani won the Texas Master Gardener Award of the Year, and in 2009 their home was on the Master Gardener Association Garden Tour. In 2004 and 2006, Gani was also featured in the Garden Corner of the Austin American-Statesman.

Gani recently started the new Organic Farm & Learning Center in Hutto at “Green Haven Ranch,” where they give classes and workshops about gardening, composting, rain water harvesting, and much more.

With a mission to promote sustainable community living at “Green Haven Ranch,” Gani hopes to teach techniques about growing and harvesting and to share his joy of gardening with all.

RAINWATER HARVESTING

Rain water harvesting has been in practice for centuries throughout the world to supply water for household, landscape, and agricultural uses.

In the past, rain water collection methods were crude and expensive. The advent of poly tanks and ease of PVC pipe plumbing has made rain water harvesting easy and inexpensive. As water is becoming precious in drought-prone areas, and groundwater becomes polluted by the use of chemical fertilizers, rain harvesting is becoming a necessity.

We’ll cover the basics of harvesting rain water for your home, for gardening, as well as drinking and other household purposes.