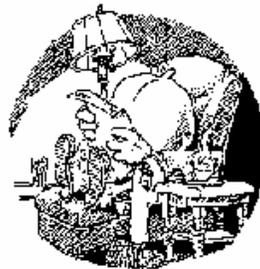


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Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

## WELCOME TO A NEW GROWER'S BABY!

Congrats to David, Rachel, Iain and Miranda who had a baby girl late Saturday night/early Sunday morning! Way to go on your unassisted, home birth! You guys are amazing. Enjoy this blissful time! – Jennefer Harper

## DON'T JUST STAY HOME

Cinema Sensibilities on Disability, A Film Festival at the University of Oregon Knight Law Center and the Downtown Initiative for the Visual Arts (DIVA) Coordinated by the UO Disability Studies Committee Each night will also feature a panel discussion. The final night, the 23rd, will be held at the Downtown Initiative for the Visual Arts (DIVA - 110 Broadway). It will showcase a panel of local disability activists discussing the issues raised in the Teri Schiavo case, the media representation of this case, as well as related issues seen in Million Dollar Baby, the Sea Inside, and other films.

**HOLLYWOOD DEAREST** Thursday Night 4/21 - 175 Knight Law Center - 7 - 9 PM

7:00-7:30 Panel: The Law and Access Panelists: Kathy Wilde (Regal Cinema Law Suit) and Heidi von Ravensberg.

7:30-8:30 Film: Scary Lewis Yell-A-Thon (Diane Wilkins, director) (about 8 min., captioned).

Film: The Mayor of West Side (Kelli English, director) (about 38 min., no captioning).

Film: Annie Dearest (Diane Wilkins, director) (about

8 min., captioned and signing during last half)

8:30-9:00 Panel: Media Portrayals and Inclusion.

**LOUD, PROUD, AND FEMALE** Friday Night 4/22 – Knight Law Center - 7:00-9:30

Film: Independent Little Cuss (Jeff Patterson, director) (no captioning)

Film: Loud, Proud and Prosperous (Dana Vion, director) (about 30 min., captioned)

Film: Fe Fe Stories (Salome Chasnoff, director) (no captioning). Film Clips: Birds of a Feather (Bjo

Ashwill, director) (no captioning) Panel: Women, Imagery and Media. Panelists: Carole Patterson, BJo Ashwill, Gweneth van Frank Carlson, Lezlie Frye NOT DEAD YET Saturday 4/23 - Downtown Initiative for the Visual Arts (DIVA) - 110 W. Broadway - 7 to 9:00

Panel: Film Talk about Million Dollar Baby and Teri Schiavo, Panelists: Jeanne-Marie Moore, Dan Arkin, Lynn McKinney, Carole Patterson, and other community activists, Film Festival Jury: Doug Blandy (UO), Deborah Olson (UO), Carole Patterson (DIVA), and Heidi von Ravensberg (UO)

Sponsors for the film festival include UO Disability Studies, COE, COE SPED, School of Architecture and Allied Arts, University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities, UO Disability Services and Academic Advising, Disability Services Project, Downtown Initiative for the Visual Arts, MIUSA, and Lane Independent Living Alliance.

## UBIQUITY IS THE MOTHER OF REINVENTION

*Labeling and certification move beyond organic in U.S.*

With the U.S. organics industry going mainstream, a coterie of anti-The-Man farmers are getting out, eschewing federally regulated "organic" certification and creating terms and systems of their own to address eco-friendly agricultural practices not covered by the federal regs. The Food Alliance has created a certification process that focuses on fair treatment of farm workers and preservation of wildlife habitat, while Demeter USA certifies farms as "biodynamic," meaning they function as intact ecosystems. Other labels like "local," "sustainable," and "beyond organic" are also spreading, though they aren't overseen by particular groups. California farmers Kristie and Rick Knoll have taken the naming game to a whole new level, inventing their own word for their unique farming practices: "tairwa," which translates loosely to "the essence of

the land." Says Rick of their distaste for the "O" word: "We're trying to invent it all over again."

### **EUGENE HOMESCHOOL CO-OP**

A Cooperative of Community-Based Education  
An intimate group of home schooling families sharing in the organization of educational opportunities, study groups and activities. The EHC has no religious affiliation.

[www.eugenehomeschoolco-op.com](http://www.eugenehomeschoolco-op.com),  
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/eugenehomeschoolco-op/> 541-302-6520

### **FOR RENT**

Call to Artists - PRIVATE, Two bedroom house with studio in SECLUDED ARTISTS COMMUNITY - Live, work, sell. GALLERY, GREENHOUSE/ GARDEN - \$650. + utilities + deposit. Partial work trade. Whiteaker. 683-0626.

### **GROWERS E-MAIL LIST**

If you are interested in Growers happenings related to either the co-op or the upstairs offices, you might wish to subscribe to the Growers e-mail list. You can use the following internet address to subscribe:  
<http://mailman.efn.org/mailman/listinfo/growers>

### **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

The co-op coordinators' meeting is set for Wednesday, April 27th, at 7 pm.

### **RECYCLING**

I got a call from Sanipac about the padded paper that comes with the apples (if you tear one of them open, the inside looks like it might have come out of a vacuum cleaner bag). They said we can put that material in with the co-mingled recycling. But since people like to use that padded paper for mulching and other purposes, I'm going to be putting it in a box at the back of the co-op. Feel free to take some. We can also put clean tissue paper in with the recycling. --Milton Takei

### **LOCAL DUCK EGGS FOR SALE**

Will deliver in town. All colors and sizes. \$3 per dozen. I can also mix chicken eggs in the dozen if preferred. Please call Stephanie at 914-3587 to purchase.

### **BELTANE PARTY AT RIVERS TURN**

Red Queen Productions presents a Beltane Festival at River's Turn Farm, Saturday April 30 & Sunday May 1. Featuring very special guests, Mood Area 52 plus a plethora of glorious indulgences for your experiential pleasure. Please come and invite your friends!

### **SCHOOL GARDEN PROJECT BENEFIT AT HIGH STREET CAFE**

Friends and Family night to benefit The School Garden Project. Tuesday April 26<sup>th</sup> 5pm until 1am. McMenamins will donate 50% of sales to the School Garden Project! The High Street Brewery and Café, located at 1243 High Street, serves dinner (pasta, salads, vegetarian entrees, and hamburgers) and has 12 microbrews on tap. Kids are welcome until 9pm.

### **THANKS**

A couple of weeks ago some unknown thoughtful rowers folk did something nice for me. Thanks! The back is much better now. Many thanks from Case.

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