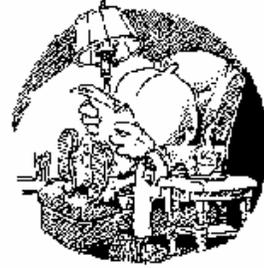


The Garbanzo Gazette

November 2, 2006



Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

35TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY A SUCCESS!

Thank you to everyone for a fantastic and fun-filled evening at the WOW Hall this past Saturday, October 21st. Our fundraising party was a success. We raised \$710 for the wheelchair lift fund and had a great time doing it. Thank you to all who volunteered their time and efforts to make our event a success. Thank you to all who worked at the event, all who worked to plan the event, all the local artisans and business owners who generously donated to our silent auction, the slide show presenters, and the "oldtimers" for their presence, the swingin' bands and entertainment: Wellsville and The Conjugal Vistors, The Landfill Gardeners, and poetry slammers: Dakota Belle Witt and Samuel Rutledge.....Thank You Thank You Thank You!!! Everyone makes a difference. Let's party again soon... --- Aya

GROWERS OFFICE FOR RENT

Growers Market has an office for rent as of November 1st. It has 130 square feet and rents for \$86.50 per month. This includes heat, electric and a DSL line. Preference will be given to non-profit groups involved in socially progressive efforts. Contact Edward at 687-8648 or 485-1426. Application deadline is Monday, November 6th.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next two Growers meetings (board meetings) will be on Wednesday, November 8th at 5:30 pm, and Tuesday, November 21st at 5:30 pm. If we are not at the round table upstairs in the Growers Market Building, then look for us downstairs in the co-op, or elsewhere in the building. --Milton Takei

NEW STRAWBOSS JOB AVAILABLE

Refrigerator and freezer stocking on Thursdays about noon-ish for a couple of hours every week. Call Jeanine 461-1614.

HELP WANTED (NEEDED!!)

Martin here, your friendly neighborhood every-other-week Thursday evening coordinator. I am currently not able to do my job as well as it should be done. I get up at 5 a.m. in order to get to my day job in Creswell by bus/bike. As a result, I just run out of steam if I'm here past 10 p.m. closing. I especially lose patience with our very fickle hot water supply, which really takes the fun out of late night dishwashing. On the rare occasions my awesome closer, Erin, is absent, the dishes usually don't get done. Between us, we usually get everything done but the sweeping. **What I need:** (1) one or more reliable, punctual, willing-to-be trained cashiers to work from 7 to 8 p.m.; (2) a second closer, to work with awesome Erin and her young son Klisha (sp?); (3) a source of hot water that works every time. I hope to get this help in order to leave a well-swept co-op at a reasonable hour – 8:30 or 9:00. I care too much about doing a good job to continue indefinitely with my job as coordinator without this help. love, Martin

SPECIAL ORDERING UPDATE

Mountain Peoples (United National Foods) will no longer accept returns after 48 hours from delivery, even if it their error. All returns must be called into them by Thursday, 3:30pm – we get our deliveries on Tuesday morning. Please be careful when filling out special orders. If you make an error or change your mind, you must let me know by noon, Thursdays (since I'm often in transit after that), or check in with the coordinator on duty. Thanx! Sue (688-6679)
PS: sorry I know this is a pain in the rump.

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FOR SALE NOW! GARAGE SALE ITEMS..

There are some large items for the garage sale that exceed the amount of space available for storage. If you are interested in these items, they are still at our home, can be seen and picked up from there. You can make a donation to the wheelchair lift for them and everyone can get what they want without overburdening the need for storage. The items are:

refrigerator

sofa/sleeper

nearly new, excellent condition queen size mattress

washer

electric dryer

Call if interested, I'll answer questions or arrange for you to see the things. Jane 688-6607

GivingTree Farm Herb Company

Natural Body Care Products Class

What: Make natural body care products for yourself or to give as gifts! Luscious Lip Balm, Natural Massage Lotion, and Healing Herbal Salve, Have Fun!

When: Saturday, November 4th 2:30 - 5:30 pm, 2006

How much \$35 includes all supplies

Where: GivingTree Farm Herb Company, 1490 Jefferson St., Eugene 97402. Licensed Massage Therapists receive 3 CEU's for Oregon.

Please call (541) 344-7534 for more information.

Class size is limited so register early. Your payment is your registration. You may send a check or money order to Wendy Loren, 1490 Jefferson St., Eugene 97402. *Class instructor is Wendy Loren, LMT*

Send submissions to garbanzo@lists.opn.org. You can also put articles in the garbanzo box at growers. Newsletter copy deadline is 5:00 pm Wednesday. Market hours are Tuesdays 5-7pm; Thursdays 2:30 to 7:30 pm and Fridays 3:00 to 6:30 pm. An orientation to Growers is held each Thursday at 1:30. The Growers email list includes an electronic banzo, events notices, and other misc. info. growers@lists.opn.org Growers Market: 687-1145.