

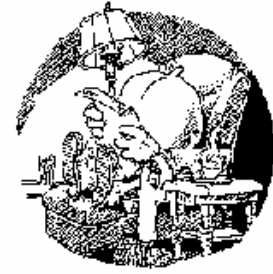


The Garbanzo Gazette

March 19, 2009



Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter



GROWER'S ANNUAL MEETING

Friday, April 10th, 6pm to 9:30pm.

Elect the new board! Hear the year end reports! Eat free pizza! See your friends!

The meeting will be held at the round table upstairs in the Growers Market Building. Please bring your own plates.

Please pick up a copy of the candidate's information

GROWERS MONEY

For 2008, the food co-op finances showed a surprisingly high surplus of \$13,805.07, most of which is tied up in inventory. Though the co-op checking account might soon contain enough money for us to buy a cooler with glass doors which would be more energy-efficient than our current one. The Growers Market building fund made \$7,326.20, and the Country Fair fruit booth brought in \$1,953.30. Due to the uncertain condition of the economy, we have decided to put off some maintenance projects such as repairs to the underside of the building. --Milton Takei

SEEKING FARM PARTNER interested in local self-sufficiency and environmental health. contact jan 541-485-1426, nellie.jan@gmail.com

FOR RENT 3 bedroom house (1600 Sq. ft.) with artists studio - in Permaculture Project. Shared yard, 10' x 40' greenhouse, established gardens, drip irrigation, wireless high speed internet, Whiteaker neighborhood. \$950./ mo. + utilities. Move in costs include 1st + last + deposits. No smoking. No pets. Ruth 510-3766. Thanks, Sterling and Ruth

STRAWBOSS POSITION AVAILABLE:

Growers New Member Orientation, Thursdays at 1:30
Help introduce Growers Market to new potential members.
If you are interested, see a coordinator for details or call Julie 338-0031

CASHIER NEEDED

Thursday between 2:30 and 5:00, weekly or every other week. Growers is getting busier and the lines are getting longer. Earn the gratitude of the community plus the working member discount and strawboss credit. Contact the afternoon coordinators: Julie or Joni to volunteer and arrange your cashier training.

CHEESE TO PLEASE

Sue tells us that New Bulk Organic Cheeses will be arriving soon! You'll find them in the cooler as soon as our wonderful Cheese Crew has cut and wrapped them. -- Joni

CHINESE TRANSLATOR WANTED

to help with a recently arrived college student from China, Yunnan Province (City of Eternal Spring). Please call Julie 338-0031

VEGETABLE STARTS - NOT PRE-ORDER!

Hi everyone. Mari & David at Lost Creek Farm here. We are now bringing certified organic vegetable starts to Growers. Although they are on the pre-order side they are actually available for everyone. Let us know if you want something you are not seeing, or if a pre-order system is desired. Mari & David, info@lostcreekfarmorganics.com.

THE PAIN SOCIETY OF OREGON PRESENTS

A Free Patient and Community Conference
Pain patients, Caregivers, and Family Members Welcome.
Please Join Us!

Date: Sunday, April 5, 2009

Time: 8:30 am--1:30 pm

Location: Lane Community College, Building 19 (Center for Meeting & Learning) 4000 E. 30th Avenue, Eugene, OR 97405.

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Pre Order Produce by E-Mail

Send an e-mail to growers.market@gmail.com by Tuesday evening @ 6:30pm to preorder produce for that week. Growers is now open 10 am-1 pm on Friday and you can pre-order for Fridays. Indicate on the form if you plan to pick up during am or pm hours. Contact Cialin at cialin@efn.org if you are interesting in joining the Friday morning crew. See you there!

The conference will include three 45 minute workshops along with exhibits by community vendors and pain management resources.

Agenda: "Integrated Care Panel": presenters Rachel Rubin, L.Ac, & Dan O'Neal, pain patient and 'Oregon's Power Over Pain Action Network'

leader for the American Pain Foundation, and others, TBA; "Hands-on Pain Management" presented by Leigh Ann Turner, LPTA; and "Medications and Supplements" presented by Kate James, Pharm.D.

You must register in order to attend this free conference: call Malin Dawson at 541-345-7300, or download the registration form at

www.painsociety.com some health care providers also have the forms."Space is limited to the first 85 registrants." For more information, contact Malin Dawson at the above phone.

CESAR CHAVEZ, PRESENTE!

6:30 pm, Thursday, March 19, 2009

Agnes Stewart Middle School, 900 S. 32nd, Springfield
Please join us for our seventh annual Cesar Chavez birthday commemoration! This event brings people together and lifts up the talents of children and youth. We will celebrate the legacy of a man who devoted his life to workers' rights and nonviolent social change. Special this year: an exciting new short film featuring local youth and community members speaking the words of Cesar Chavez, with images from the farm worker movement. You also will enjoy the terrific Ballet Folklorico Alma de Mexico and, from Springfield High, the marvelous Mariachi del Sol. We'll have a display of student art, refreshments and information tables. Organized by Springfield Alliance for Equality and Respect (SAfER), this event is hosted by Agnes Stewart Middle School and co-sponsored by the Springfield School District, the SHS Multicultural Student Union, CAUSA, Educacion y Justicia para la Raza, the Springfield Public Library, the Latin American Solidarity Committee and SELCO Credit Union. For more information: [_SAfER1214@gmail.com_](mailto:SAfER1214@gmail.com) (mailto:SAfER1214@gmail.com) or 726-7377.

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6:30 PM, jueves 19 de marzo, 2009

Secundaria Agnes Stewart, 900 S. 32nd, Springfield
¡Por favor vengan a compartir con nosotros nuestra s ptima conmemoraci n anual de C sar Ch vez! Este evento une a la gente y realza el talento de nuestro ni os y j venes. Celebraremos el legado de un hombre que dedico su vida a los derechos de los

trabajadores y al cambio social sin violencia. Como especial de este a o tenemos un emocionante corto metraje con las voces de nuestra juventud local y miembros de la comunidad d ndole vida a las palabras de C sar Ch vez, con im genes del movimiento campesino. Tambi n tendremos el hermoso Ballet Folklorico Alma de M xico y de la Preparatoria de Springfield, el maravilloso Mariachi del Sol. Asi mismo tendremos en exposici n arte de los estudiantes locales, bocadillos y mesas de informaci n. Organizado por Alianza de Springfield para la Igualdad y Justicia (SAfER â por sus siglas en ingl s), este evento es auspiciado por la Secundaria Agnes Stewart y patrocinado en parte por el Distrito Escolar de Springfield, la Uni n Multicultural de la Preparatoria de Springfield, CAUSA, Educaci n y Justicia para la Raza, la Biblioteca P blica de Springfield, el Comit  de Solidaridad Latinoamericana y la Uni n de Cr dito SELCO. Para mas informaci n comun quese a:

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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 10 am to 1 pm and 3:00 pm 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 To subscribe via email, send a message to growers-join@lists.opn.org Growers Market: 687-1145

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