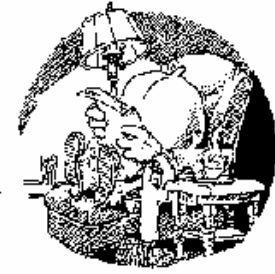




The Garbanzo Gazette

July 16, 2009



Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

GROWERS MARKET NEWS

Meetings

(usually at the round table upstairs, otherwise downstairs)

Board: Wednesday July 29th 6:00pm

Coordinators: Monday July 20th 7pm

Help Wanted

Thursday closer: 6:30 -8:30pm - contact Nathan 852-0627

Thursday afternoon cashiers, various shifts –

See any coordinator to volunteer

CRAZY MIKE'S GINGER PRODUCTS

Mike would like for us to save for him as many of his current non-deposit bottleage as possible...he also will be, soon, using a new label and putting a deposit on his brews (Mike used to work for Genesis, so we'll see)....and, the candy will only be occasionally available, but will have no more strings; the chopper is working fine now...

HEALTH CARE REFORM

The Eugene-Springfield Solidarity Network/Jobs with Justice (a labor movement support organization) is co-sponsoring a rally for health care for all in support of HR 676 and S 703, at noon on Friday, July 17th, at the U.S. Federal Building, 405 E. 8th Ave. That same day, at 8:30 pm, a Sing Out for Single Payer road show will feature Anne Feeney. The show will be at Very Little Theater, 2350 Hilyard St. This is a free event, though we will probably pass the hat. --Milton Takei

PLEASE JOIN US AT THE FIRST 2009 NEIGHBORHOODS GREEN HOMES BIKE TOUR

For a green/eco bike tour in Far West Neighborhood Saturday, July 18, Meeting at 11 AM at the *Intersection Repair* at Garfield and 22nd. We will find out what neighbors in Far West are doing to make much better use of their properties to take care of their needs and to reduce their ecological footprints. Note -- Far West Neighborhood is centered on 18th and Garfield, two miles + southwest of downtown.

The tour will visit properties in Far West Neighborhood with notable planet and community friendly characteristics such as grass to garden, passive and active solar features, rain water catchment, chickens, bike friendly lifestyle, reclaiming automobile space, cooperation between neighbors and more.

Saturday's bike tour is the first of a series of tours all over Eugene

this summer. The next tour will be Saturday, July 25 in River Road, meeting at 11 AM at Rosetta Park, Evergreen and Benjamin, 3 blocks northwest of River Road and Horn Lane. See www.suburbanpermaculture.org for more on this.

The bike tours are being coordinated by the Neighborhood Leaders Council Committee on Sustainability. A committee with members from 12 of Eugene's neighborhood associations.

For an updated calendar of the bike tours, their meeting places and more, see www.eugeneneighbors.org/wiki/NLCCgreen or contact NLCCoS Green Homes Bike Tour Coordinator Doug Black at 485-6846.

We look forward to seeing you there!... :-)

THE RIVERBANK PATH PROMENADE - THE PROM* Sunday, July 19, 1 to 5 PM

* Turning a 3 mile chunk of the bike path along the River in Whiteaker and River Road Neighborhoods into a mix and mingle, people powered Piazza

* Attendees are encouraged to show and tell, manifest themselves - play music, perform, pik nik, stroll, bike ride, meet and greet

* Sites along the bike path hosted by various organizations to explain their value to the community - community gardens, history, recreation, neighborhoods, eco restoration,,,,,,

* Scheduled events, mini green bike tours of sites near the bike path, pioneer days story telling with actors in period costume,,,,, more info at <http://suburbanpermaculture.org/Promenade.html>

PIERCE STREET GARDENS

Pierce Street Gardens has available raspberries, strawberries, poha, cardoon, herbs, heirloom tomato & pepper plants, some food products in their unforced growing season, trees, shrubs, grasses, annuals & perennials, and more...Forget-me-nots, trilliums. Great prices. Some worktrade may be available. 2008 Pierce Street, everyday.

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 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

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.