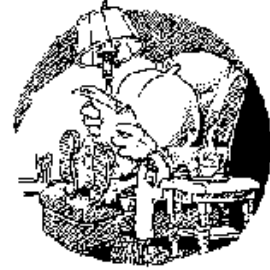




The Garbanzo Gazette

August 15, 2013



Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

GROWERS MARKET NEWS

Meetings:

Board Meeting: Thursday Aug. 22, 5:30pm at Growers

Help Wanted

SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS!

Website: <http://GrowersMarket.net>

WELCOME BELLY TAQUERIA

Belly Taqueria is the new tenant in the restaurant space that Growers Market rents. They should be a good fit for the building, since they use some organic and local food. Unlike when Cafe Navarro went out of business years ago, we did not go any period of time without a tenant. We invested about \$14,000 in improvements which should serve us well in coming years.

HELP WANTED.....We need **YOU** to make Growers happen. If you can help with any of these jobs, stop by during that shift and speak with a coordinator on duty
Tuesday closer 7:00-8ish

Thursday every other week middle coordinator

Thursday cashiers 2:30-5:30

Thursday closer 7:00-8ish (could be 7:30- 8:30 ish)

Friday AM and PM cashiers

OFFICE FOR RENT

Growers Market has an office for rent. The office is 132 square feet and rents for \$100 per month. This includes utilities and high speed internet. Use of a shared meeting space is also provided. Non profits are given preference. Contact: growmgr@gmail.com

WHO'S WHO AT GROWERS?

Meet Susan Detroy who has been with Growers since the beginning in 1972. She founded it with Vickie Nelson in her house on 3rd and Adams. It was a pick up and drop off place. Currently with her busy life, she comes and goes from Growers, but right now, She's Back! When asked if she was an elder with any elder benefits, she said, no, but that it would be nice to have that status. She loves the floor, it looks great! It feels so much cleaner and nicer in here. She wishes more people knew about and used Growers. Currently shops for herself only, but often brings friends, like Yolanda who was with her on interview day, to check it out. Susan considers herself an ambassador for Growers. Her favorite thing in season here is the Anaheim peppers. The prices can be amazing and wonderful. She also gets a CSA box at home. She loves it when the apples are in. The bags are such a deal. Why Growers? Because it helps people be able to eat well and not use all their money for food. Affordable shopping, supporting the wheel of the local economy. She still believes in the idea of it: Community helping one another to provide service for an essential need. From an interviewer's perspective, it was great to see a member who was shopping stop and go give Susan a hug and thank her for starting Growers. That's how I knew to spend some time with this dynamic woman.

Thank you for the interview, Susan! Emily Elowen Nance

Send submissions to garbanzo@lists.opn.org. Newsletter copy deadline is 5:00 pm Wednesday. Market hours are Tuesdays 5:30-7:30pm; Thursdays 2:30 to 7:30 pm and Fridays 10:00 am 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: 541-687-1145

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.