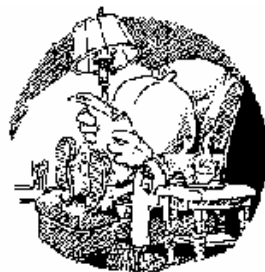


The Garbanzo Gazette

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Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

UPCOMING MEETING

The next Growers meeting (board meeting) will be on Tuesday, October 17th, at 6 pm. If we are not in the smaller meeting space upstairs in the Growers Market Building, look for us downstairs in the co-op, or elsewhere in the building. --Milton Takei

CIVIL RIGHTS

In the 1950s, African Americans staged sit-ins at lunch counters in defense of their civil rights. Since then, the laws have changed, requiring that property owners need good reason to exclude people from places like the Growers Market Building, which is open to the public. A department head at the UO library told me that they only take action against people for behavior, rather than personal characteristics, such as the odor someone may be giving off. Before I moved here, I visited a friend of mine in Eugene, and she took me to see the Growers Market Building. We did not have any particular business at any of the offices; we just walked around for a while. I have been shopping at Growers since 1989, and I have often noted people hanging out on the loading dock. Personally, I might wait under the shelter for a few minutes until the rain lets up a bit. --Milton Takei

5TH ANNUAL HOEDOWN FOR CASCADIA'S ANCIENT FORESTS

Saturday, October 7, 6-10 pm

Who: Cascadia Wildlands Project

What: 5th Annual Hoedown for Cascadia's Ancient Forests w/ the Conjugal Visitors

Where: Avalon Stables, Cottage Grove (directions below)

When: Saturday, October 7, 6:00-10:00 pm

Why: To benefit the old-growth forest protection work of the Cascadia Wildlands Project

Get ready to kick up your heels at the Cascadia Wildlands Project's 5th annual Hoedown for Cascadia's ancient forests. Transition into fall with live bluegrass music by the Conjugal Visitors, foot

stompin' square dancing for beginners and experts alike, and scrumptious food and drink. This is an event for the whole family and is a fundraiser to support the forest protection work of the CWP. Paul's Bicycle Way of Life has also generously donated a bike to be raffled off at the event. Hope to see you there to help make this year the most successful yet.

Tickets: \$10 advance (434-1463), \$15 at door (kids free)
Shuttle bus: Leaves Growers Market (454 Willamette St.) at 5:00 pm (sharp) and returns at 11:00 (rsvp for a seat, 434-1463)

Driving directions: From Eugene, take I-5 South to Cottage Grove. Take exit 174. Turn right (west) at the light at the end of the ramp. Continue toward downtown CG for about 1/2 mile. Turn right (west) onto Main Street. After passing through downtown, the Main St. becomes CG-Lorane Road. Just before mile marker 5, turn right onto Hazelton Rd. Avalon Stables is about 1/4 mile up the road on the right at 80143 Hazelton Rd. For more info: Contact Kate Ritley, 541.434.1463 or info@cascwild.org

CELEBRATE LATINO YOUTH

October 20, Open House from 6:30-8:30 p.m. with Special Program from 7-8 pm "Celebrate Latino Youth" 21 N. Grand St., Eugene (the old Whiteaker Elementary School) Please join us !!! Amigos and CAUSA are delighted to invite you to an Open House to introduce Amigos' new office location and to jointly honor Amigos' youth group, "Juventud FACETA," whose members have been working to inform, empower, organize, and mobilize Latino immigrants and their families around immigrant rights issues. Amigos and CAUSA are extremely proud of these youth, whose informed and responsible civic engagement make them role models for other young people and leaders in the Latino Community. (To learn about many of Juventud FACETA's recent activities, click on "News and Events" at www.amigosmsc.org.) Please come and help honor members of Juventud FACETA for their contributions; enjoy entertainment and refreshments; meet staff, volunteers, and youth group members; and learn about current work and activities. We hope that you will share this invitation

with friends, co-workers, partners, family members, and other persons. All are welcome! For more information contact: Aurora Pulido at 746-6022 or amigosms@amigosmsc.org.

NEW MOON MARIMBA DANCE PARTY!
***** A BENEFIT FOR BRING RECYCLING *****

October 22, 3-5pm at the Planet Improvement Center
4446 Franklin Boulevard, Glenwood.
www.bringrecycling.org

Get a sneak preview of our new home!

Tours every 15 minutes, starting at 2:00pm.

Bring friends and family, celebrate the new moon and dance with Kudana, Eugene's Premier Marimba Band.

KUDANA means "to love one another" in the Shona language. Kudana plays joyful Zimbabwean dance music using marimbas, singing, drums, and percussion. Tickets on sale now at the BRING Warehouse and BRING office during business hours.

Suggested ticket donation: \$10 to \$10,000,000!

Refreshments will be available.

Call us with questions at 746-3023 or email at

info@bringrecycling.org

GARAGE SALE FOR WHEELCHAIR LIFT

Hello Growers Market community. We are collecting items for a garage sale to raise money for the wheelchair lift. Donations can be picked up by appointment. Call Fred Sanford @ 942-3221. Good quality re-salables please

35TH ANNIVERSARY PARTY UPDATE!

YES, this is happening, the plans are in full swing! We will be gathering at the WOW Hall on Saturday, Oct. 21st. Three bands are interested in playing and the t-shirt design is done: sweat-shop-free, hemp t-shirts are on order. Many of you have stepped up to help but we still need many more to make this celebration happen. We still need help with....

- Decorators the day of the event (fall harvest theme and stuff to decorate with)
- Volunteer staff at door
- Potluck supervisor (if you all want to have a potluck)
- Volunteer Staff for auction table
- Donations for auction table

If you are able and willing to help out please call Kari at 067-9576 or email at kari bliss@yahoo.com. Thank you!

TWO FILM EVENTS

Sunday, Oct. 8th, 8:00 PM - The 3rd Sam Bond's International Short Film Festival. The festival will feature short Animation, Experimental and Narrative films by NW filmmakers as well as Animation from the Czech Republic. \$5-8 sliding scale. All proceeds will go to Eugene PeaceWorks. For more information: 337-2593. Sam Bond's Garage (4th and Blair).

Friday, Oct. 13th - EPW Screens two new Films - 1st time in Eugene! *Iraq for Sale: The War Profiteers*, by Robert Greenwald and *I Know I'm Not Alone*, by Michael Franti. RSVP required. Friday, October 13, 7:00 PM & 8:30PM, Cozmic Pizza, 8th & Charnelton. Hosted by and a benefit for: EUGENE PEACEWORKS. Tickets are \$6-10. For more information visit: <http://www.eugenepeaceworks.org>. For more details and to RSVP, please visit: <http://iraqforsale.bravenewtheaters.com:80/screening/show/5750>

FREE SHOWINGS OF AN INCONVENIENT TRUTH. Are you concerned about global heating?

Free showings of Al Gore's movie on Oct 8 at Emmaus Lutheran @ 10:00am; Universalist Unitarian 5:30; Oct 15 McKenzie Valley Presbyterian 5:00pm; Oct 25 Temple Beth Israel @ 6:30pm; Oct 29 First Congregational 6:30pm.

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.