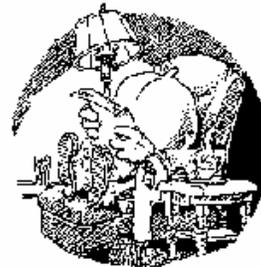


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Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

THAT FAIRY TIME OF YEAR

Hello all, It is that Fairy time of year again where all the nice freaky people gather together in peace and harmony to breath lots and lots of dust. Are you or someone you know a dust breather with secret ambitions to sell fruit. We can help. The OCF Growers Fruit Booth is one of the coolest gigs at the fair and we are looking for day passers to help spread our nutty brand of magic. The day pass sign up sheet is located at Growers on the table by the door. Please include day preference and a way to be reached. If you have any questions you can call me at 302-1518 or e-mail me at stevekind03@yahoo.com
Namaste, Steve Brown

GROWERS MEETINGS

The next two Growers meetings (board meetings) are set for Tuesday, June 22 at 7 pm and Wednesday, July 14th at 7 pm. Also, the consensus decision-making workshop is Wednesday, June 23rd at 6 pm.

The July 14th meeting will be in the co-op, and the other two are supposed to be upstairs at the round table (but you should check downstairs if nobody is there). All are welcome to attend. --Milton Takei

PRODUCE STRAW BOSS NEEDED

Thursday approximately 10/11am – 2pm. Ability to lift and design beautiful produce displays helpful. Call Jeanine 461-1614

HOPE FOR HAITI BENEFIT

Steel Magnolias headline benefit for Hope for Haiti June 25th in Eugene at The Shining Sun, 1436 Willamette St (formerly Cozmic Pizza). The evening of informative festivities begins at 8:00pm with live music from Steel Magnolias, an all women's steel drum band. Proceeds from ticket sales, a fundraising raffle, and other generous donations will be contributed to Hope for Haiti, a Eugene-based non-profit devoted to bettering the lives of Haitian communities, with emphasis on assisting women and their children. Creator (and Growers Market member) Michael Schapiro states "By investing in community-initiated collaborative projects, we are striving to alleviate rural poverty." Additionally, Schapiro, who has recently returned from a two year volunteer service in the Northeast Department of Haiti will be presenting a multimediapresentation about Haiti. On display will be

current projects and information about Hope for Haiti, as well as a collection of oil paintings and crafts for sale. The event comes to a close with DJ Sak Pase spinning Haitian dance grooves. Admission for the benefit event is a \$5-\$50 suggested donation. For more info call Michael Schapiro at 915-5541 or email him at michael_schapiro.yahoo.com

FARENHEIT 9/11 OPENS SOON

Michael Moore's new film, "Fahrenheit 9/11," opens on Friday, June 25. An expose of the Bush administration's actions after 9/11 and in Iraq, the movie is the first documentary ever to win the grand prize in the world-famous Cannes Film Festival. The New York Times said, "Whatever you think of Moore, [these are] pictures that have been largely shielded from our view." I'm going on opening weekend along with other members of MoveOn PAC. I hope you'll come too and see what all the fuss is about. Sign up to come along and find out how to buy tickets at: <http://www.moveonpac.org/f911/> MoveOn PAC is an online group, 2 million members strong, that organizes citizens to work together to change the country this year. I hope you'll come along. Thanks! - Zorba

GROWERS OPEN ON TUESDAYS: *You can now shop at Growers on Tuesdays from 5 to 7 pm. Just as on Fridays, nothing will be pre-order*

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