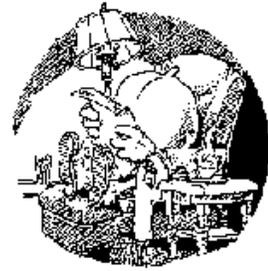




The Garbanzo Gazette

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Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

THANKSGIVING WEEK SHOPPING HOURS

The Growers Market co-op will be open from 2:30 pm to 7:30 pm on Tuesday, November 25th, but closed on both Thursday, November 27th (Thanksgiving Day) and Friday, November 28th (Buy Nothing Day). We tried being open on Buy Nothing Day, but we found that few people shopped. --Milton

GROWERS MEETINGS

Board meeting – 5:30pm, Mon., Nov. 24
Coordinators meeting - 5:30pm Mon., Nov. 17

STRAWBOSS POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Every other Friday mid-day cashier 1-4
Every other Friday evening cashier 4-7
Every other Thursday closer
Every Tuesday orientation

Stocking & Stickering – see below

If interested, then talk to the coordinator when you are at Growers and submit an application

NEW STRAWBOSS POSITION

a new strawboss position we need a dedicated person to put on price stickers and stock the 'candy' and 'snack' sections of the dry goods shelves. the job will usually take between one and two hours a week, requires accurate placement of items and stock rotation. phil or i will train you for the job, it is somewhat detail oriented. the job can be done when the orders arrive, alternate tuesday and wednesday depending upon the united or azure delivery schedule, it can also be done thursday prior to 2:30 when growers opens. if you are interested in this position (it would help if you could plan on doing the job for a year or longer), please ask the co-ordinator for an application. if you need more information feel free to give me a call. thanks so much for your interest sue 541-688-6679.

NO CAMPING NOTICE

Somebody has been taking down the sign that lets people know that we can't allow anyone to camp on the loading dock or in the Growers Market Building. Because I'm having to replace the notice so often, the person tearing it down must come to Growers fairly frequently. The text of the notice explains our policy. Without the sign, we are still going to chase away people camping on the dock, particularly since Growers is located right across from the train station. But the notice provides some protection against harassment: we want to welcome people who are homeless or who look like they might be homeless. A Growers person might want to sit on the dock, or wait there until the rain lets up a little. People just can't camp on the dock. --Milton

EARLY GROWERS MEMBER

The Register-Guard of November 8th carries the obituary of environmental activist, Hoedads Reforestation Cooperative member and early Growers Market shopper Hilary Acton. The article says, "In 1977, she helped staff the Cooperative Fruit booth for Growers Market at the Oregon Country Fair." She must have talked about Growers a lot for the obituary to mention us twice. A Celebration of Life is scheduled for 12:30 to 3 pm, November 16th, at Lamb Cottage, Skinner Butte Park, Eugene. --Milton

GROWERS FACEBOOK PAGE

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Find us at: [facebook.com/growersmarket Eugene](https://www.facebook.com/growersmarket Eugene)

GROUP WORKS WORKSHOP

The Group Pattern Language Project is offering a workshop on the *Group Works* deck, Sat. Nov. 15, 10am-5pm at Stellaria (Hummingbird's building across the tracks from Growers). *Group Works* is a way of thinking about great group process in the form of best patterns. The deck can be used in a myriad of ways to improve group dynamics: for planning events, running sessions, reflecting afterward, studying facilitation by yourself or as part of a group, assessing organizational functionality, quick guidance in a tight spot, and lots more. The 100-card deck is available for free download from www.groupworksdeck.org. The workshop will be fun and highly interactive, with many opportunities to explore applying these patterns to your own groups. Go to <http://groupworksdeck.org/news/eugene-workshop-invitation> to find out more. Offered by longtime Growers member Tree Bressen and her nonprofit team.

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, GrowersMarket.net