



The Garbanzo Gazette

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Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next two Growers meetings (board meetings) will be on Wednesday, December 13th, at 5:30 pm and Tuesday, December 26th, at 5:30 pm. If we are not at the round table upstairs, look for us downstairs in the co-op, or elsewhere in the building.

HELP WITH GROWERS INVENTORY

Growers needs lots of help with the co-op's year-end inventory. In 2006 we will be counting and weighing items on two different days: Friday, December 29th at 6 pm and Saturday, December 30th at 11 am. People can work for only an hour, if they want, or they can do more. No experience is necessary. If you are going to be late on Saturday, I suggest calling ahead to make sure we are still working (the phone number: 687-1145, the number in the phone book under "Growers Market"). This year, we are offering double pumpkins to people who help with inventory. Also, people who do not need pumpkins can get strawboss credit if they help explain to people how to do the job. If you are interested in being an inventory strawboss, contact Milton at 484-6545, e-mail: miltont@efn.org.

THREE STRAWBOSS POSITIONS OPEN!!

1. Refrigerator and freezer stocking on Thursdays about noon-ish for a couple of hours every week. Call Jeanine 461-1614.
2. A reliable, willing-to-be-trained person or persons for 7 to 8 cashier position at least every other Thursday.
3. We need another reliable person to join the closing team every other Thursday, roughly from 7:30 to 8:30 or a little later.

If interested in the latter two positions, call Martin at 744-3265 well before 9 in the evening, or leave me a message on the Growers voicemail 687-1145, or see me when I come in this week.

JOBS WITH JUSTICE HOLIDAY PARTY

December 10th, 2:30- 5pm, Potluck, awards & music
Oregon Education Association Hall 2815 Coburg Rd past Costco on the right.

CLEAN WATER BOTTLES FOR SALE

This holiday season, give the gift of clean water bottles! I have 4 sizes available, ranging from baby size to 40 oz bottles. Also coined as the "anti-tupperware lady," I'm carrying a variety of glass food storage containers as well, (all with plastic lids).

Klean Kanteens:

40 oz: \$20

27 oz: \$15

18 oz: \$13

12 oz baby size with sippy top: \$13

Glass Food Storage:

round 4 piece set: \$22

square 3 piece set: \$20

small square individual containers: \$4

You can get them directly from me, or at Growers for a slight mark-up. Call Jenya 684-0066 for orders.

GATHER FOR PEACE, SATURDAY DEC 9TH

GREETINGS Progressives and Holiday Fair Goers! Come join our peace demonstration this Saturday, Dec. 9 from 11am-12pm on 13th Ave at Jefferson. Send a resounding message of peace! Banners provided...just bring you and your family and friends! We plan to meet there again next Saturday too so stay posted! Contact Peg Morton, Jen Frenzer-Knowlton at kokomojo@castleisp.com.

FOR SALE NOW! GARAGE SALE ITEMS

There are some large items for the garage sale that exceed the amount of space available for storage. If you are interested in these items, they are at our home, can be seen and picked up from there. You can make a donation to the wheelchair lift for them and everyone can get what they want without overburdening the need for storage. The items are:

refrigerator; sofa/sleeper;

nearly new, excellent condition queen size mattress;

washer; electric dryer

Call if interested, I'll answer questions or arrange for you to see the things. Jane 688-6607

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.