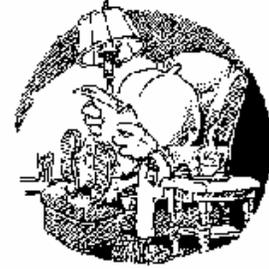




# The Garbanzo Gazette

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Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter

## HELP WITH GROWERS MARKET INVENTORY

The cooler weather of December is a sign that the Growers Market inventory is just around the corner. Without the year-end inventory, neither we nor the IRS would know how rich we are. No, we are not bean counters; we weigh the beans. In 2007, the inventory will be on Friday, December 28th starting at 6 pm, and on Sunday, December 30th at 11 am. You can work for only one hour, or you can work longer. Feel free to arrive at 7 pm on Friday if you want. If you are coming on Sunday, I suggest calling 687-1145 before you leave home to make sure that we are not finished. People who help count and weigh stuff for inventory get double pumpkins, a way for busy people to stock up on work credit. No experience is necessary.

--Milton Takei

## THURSDAY SHIFT NEEDS TEMPORARY HELP

Jenny here, I am the cashier at our beautiful Growers Market for the Thursday shift from 2:30 - 4:30pm. I am going to Brazil Jan 7th and will be unable to do my position for a 6 week period. The shifts that need to be cover begin Jan 10th , 17th, 24th, 31st, Feb. 7th (my birthday :), and Feb.14th. All Thursdays, all from 2:30 - 4:30! Who can help out and cover these shifts??? I will return to the position on Feb. 21st. If one single person is unable to do all 6 shifts, perhaps people can split the weeks up and share the 2 hour shift. To contact me, email [jennyjussell@gmail.com](mailto:jennyjussell@gmail.com). Thanks to all. sMiles, Jenny R.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

The co-op coordinators' meeting is set for Monday, January 7th, at 6:30 pm. If we are not at the round table upstairs in the Growers Market Building, look for us downstairs in the co-op, or elsewhere in the building.

## APARTMENT FOR RENT

2 bedrm apartment with small artists studio, Gallery space on Last Friday ArtWalk, Greenhouse, Gardens. \$625./ mo. plus 1st + last + deposits + utils, NS, No pets. 683-0626. Sterling and Ruth

## GROWERS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Growers will be open as usual on Thursday, December 27th, and Friday, December 28th. Growers will be open on New Year's Day, and we will be taking pre-orders for 1/3/2008, so plan accordingly. **HOWEVER!!!** Mountain Peoples (or United Food People...whatever they're called now) will **NOT DELIVER UNTIL** Tuesday 1/7/2008!! We made a big order to get us through the next few weeks, but if something is out of stock it is probably because we are waiting for delivery on the 7th! This will also affect your special orders. Any special orders put in between 12/20 and 1/3 will arrive on 1/7. Thank you for your patience with this. It's not our decision; we just have to flow with it.

## TUESDAY FUN & GAMES

We have all kinds of fun on Tuesday night (open from 5-7). If you don't often come down on Tuesdays, or have never been, come and check us out! There's always good deals on produce. Often there are deals on bread and other perishables. Discounted produce is put on the pre-order shelf, so look there for a good deal. Also...

## TUESDAY STRAWBOSS - CLOSER

We need someone to help close the market on Tuesday. It's a one hour commitment from 6:30-7:30 every week. You would sweep, wipe surfaces, close containers, do some dishes, and put away produce. We Tuesday volunteers are a mellow, fun-loving bunch who enjoy romantic dinners and long walks on the beach. Any questions? Call Taylor - 683-8250 - or drop by on Tuesday to chat.

*Send submissions to [garbanzo@lists.opn.org](mailto: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](mailto:growers@lists.opn.org) To subscribe via email, send a message to [growers-join@lists.opn.org](mailto:growers-join@lists.opn.org) Growers Market: 687-1145*

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## Pre Order Produce by E-Mail

Send an e-mail to [growers.market@gmail.com](mailto:growers.market@gmail.com) by Tuesday evening @ 6:30pm to preorder produce for that Thursday