

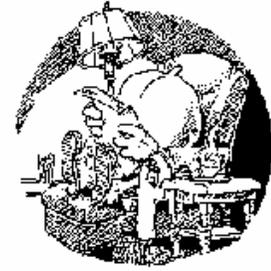


The Garbanzo Gazette

October 23, 2008



Growers Market's Weekly Newsletter



UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next Growers meeting (board meeting) will be on Thursday, November 20th, at 6 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. --Milton

DRY GOODS NOTES

Those of you special ordering bulk rice, beans and grains should check Hummingbird Wholesale price sheets. Most of the time, their prices are considerably lower than United. Hummingbird is a local supplier and they deliver by peddlers express.

If you see a date on a price tag, that date is not the expiration date, it is the date the item was stocked. Expiration dates appear on packaging. Thought you'd like to know.

Remember to vote!

ROB HANDY BENEFIT

Saturday night, October 25th, 7:00pm, Featuring the music of Norma Fraser, Paul Biondi and Bill Shreve at the Irving Grange, (1011 Irvington, ONE MAJOR STREET NORTH of Irving Road, .6 miles east off the Northwest Expressway). Carpool from the Campaign Clubhouse at 7:00p.m. -- call if you want to carpool! In addition to the wonderful music -- we'll have food, fun, and friends ... Donations taken at the door... Come take a break from the election season and enjoy some of our best local talent in support of Rob Handy for County Commissioner.

KITTY PIERCY CAMPAIGN

Join our winning effort - we look forward to seeing you! We will be canvassing on the following days listed below. Talking with someone at the door is the single most effective way to convince them to vote for Kitty. Email jessica@kittypiercy.com to let her know how many people you can bring to the canvass.

Sat Oct. 18th 10-1 meet at Kitty Piercy's office

Sun Oct 19th 2-5 meet at Kitty Piercy's office

LOOKING FOR THREE RING BINDERS

Anyone have any working three ring binders and/or file folders you need gone? We'll take them. steph 484-3939. room #204. Stephanie Schroeder, Executive Director Walama Restoration Project, www.walamarestoration.org

STRAWBOSS POSITIONS –

CASHIER: THURS 2:30 – 4:30pm. Check with any coordinator

CALLING ALL SNAKES

(and we're not talking about McCain or Palin!)

I'm looking for snakes. snakes are wonderful for controlling slugs. The large bull snake or gopher snakes are brown and black checkered pattern, 2 feet long and 1 to 2 inches in girth when mature. They control garden rodents. warm fall days find snakes on the roads. If anyone is interested in finding a nice home for them, carry a sack in your car or bike bag (i use 50# grain sacks) catch the snake by the tail, plop in the sack and tie off with twistie. Make sure air can circulate if keeping in sack. the bull/gopher snake does resemble a western rattler but does not have a rattle on the tail. if you find snakes to donate contact jan or edward at 485 1426. thanks

1971 DODGE 22' MOTORHOME - \$500 OBO

1971 Dodge Travco 22' Motorhome - \$500. OBO. Engine will run, but needs carburetor, brake, electrical work, gas tank, general restoration etc., before driving. Could be towed. "Verge" is one of the early motor homes, and was actually very well built, with a fiberglass "skin" and a steel frame. She's somewhat of a collector's item and worth fixing. She has a small kitchen and bath, very small fridge, central (propane) heating, 4k generator, and it is not too far from being made at least "livable". 683-0626. To see a picture, go to Craigslist - <https://post.craigslist.org/manage/876790754/hy8ud>.

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Pre Order Produce by E-Mail

Send an e-mail to growers.market@gmail.com by Tuesday evening @ 6:30pm to preorder produce for that week. Growers is now open 9:30-12 on Friday and you can pre-order for Fridays. Indicate on the form if you plan to pick up during am or pm hours. Contact Cialin at cialin@efn.org if you are interesting in joining the Friday morning crew. See you there!

COMMEMORATION OF DECLARATION ON THE RIGHTS OF INDIGENOUS PEOPLE

Rescuing Historical Memories of Indigenous People
Lectured by Pablo Mariman Quemenado Monday October 27th at 6:00, Many Nations Longhouse, Admission will be free. Live Classical Music and Poetry Reading by Ricardo Cardenas and Jesus Sepulveda. Live Andean music provided by UO Andinos Followed by a potluck open to the community

LOST CREEK FARM

Lost Creek Farm is an Oregon Tilth Certified local farm now supplying Growers with fresh bar code free produce. We are really excited about Lost Creek because it is run in part by a Growers member and past coordinator Mari Taylor.

So this year, Lost Creek experimented with German Butterball Potatoes. FYI these tender little gems are bit cosmetically challenged, and as a result they are discounting them to us. However, they are delicious, as confirmed by shoppers who have tried them and reported back.

'GROWING' GROWER'S MARKET COMMUNITY

First in an ongoing series helping build relationships with our upstairs neighbors

MindFreedom International

founded in 1986, Grower's Market

Did you know that one of the main independent activist groups seeking mental health change is directly upstairs? In mental health advocacy, almost all activity is funded by the mental health system itself. MindFreedom is one of the few groups to refuse funding from the mental health industry or government.

MFI unites dozens of affiliate and sponsor groups, along with individual members, into a coalition that fights for human rights and alternatives in the mental health system. Some have called MFI the "Amnesty International" of mental health, because MFI works for humane alternatives to such human rights abuses as forced electroshock, forced psychiatric drugging, and more.

Drop by the MindFreedom office upstairs to get a free copy of their award-winning MindFreedom Journal, and back issues. Or check any of the books out in their little library. You can also sign up for free e-mail alert systems for Lane County, Oregon and internationally. MindFreedom has a local affiliate that has regular meetings every first Wednesday at 5:30 pm, usually at the Grower's Roundtable upstairs. You can join or volunteer also. For local info go to www.mindfreedom.org/lane, phone 345-9106, or e-mail office@mindfreedom.org.

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 To subscribe via email, send a message to growers-join@lists.opn.org Growers Market: 687-1145

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