

FOOD SHARING EVENTS IN THE METRO AREA

DATE	EVENT TITLE	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	CONTACT
Sunday May 22, 1:00pm	Tomato Talks	Come discover the secrets to growing bountiful tomatoes in Oregon. Join Tracy Hanchett, of West Wind Gardens, and learn everything you ever wanted to know about tomatoes. She will discuss planting times, cultural requirements, fertilizing needs, watering systems, and much more. There's nothing like home-grown tomatoes!	Portland Nursery 9000 SE DIVISION	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/z7r9z7/
May 24 6:00-7:30pm	Let it Rot: Keys to Effective Composting	Leave it alone long enough, and it will surely decompose. But will it nourish your plants like you want it to? This class, which provides tips for several composting approaches including pile and sheet/lasagna methods, will cover how and why compost works, and how to make it work for you. Includes hands-on vermicomposting practice. Meet at Sabin School. \$10. <i>Hosted by Independence Gardens</i>	Sabin SUN School 4013 NE 18th Ave. Portland, OR 97212	Karen Wolfgang classes@IndependenceGardensPDX.com 503-929-7170
Thursday, May 26, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Munch & Crunch: Feasting From the Garden	Taste fresh produce from the garden. Learn how to harvest, store and care for vegetables. Learn easy recipes and how to encourage kids to eat fresh veggies. The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dG5hb0lQYkZVV2FueHQtZktWdmtfTEE6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
Saturday, May 28, 10:00am- 4:00pm	Chicken Coop Design & Building	Learn how to design & build a secure, happy home for your hens. This workshop will include building an entire chicken coop and run. All participants will go home with a copy of the design & the hands-on know how to build the coop. This workshop has a fixed cost of \$50 and must be paid in full by Friday, May 20 to guarantee a spot. Sign Up Online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dDJhMnc5aDZlBFBQ3FHcko0a2tIV1E6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
May 31 6:30pm	Gardening with Young'ns	As a parent, grandparent, teacher, mentor, or other caregiver, working together in the garden is one of the best ways to get active and stay healthy while connecting with your younger counterparts. This class will cover basic best practices for gardening across age gaps. Hosted by Independence Gardens. Cost: \$10	One Stop Sustainability Shop 1468 NE Alberta St.	Contact: Karen Wolfgang classes@IndependenceGardensPDX.com Phone: 503-929-7170

Wednesday, Jun 1 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Story time on the farm	Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free	Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068	Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549
June 2 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Rain Water Harvesting & Rain Gardens	An overview of rainwater harvesting to augment your water supply (and reduce your water bill). And the basics of designing a Rain Garden to reduce stormwater leaving your property and increase groundwater infiltration. Call 503-210-6008 to reserve your seat!	West Linn Fire Station 59 1860 Willamette Falls Dr., West Linn	Rhoda Givens rgivens@conservationdistrict.org Phone: 503-210-6008
Saturday June 4 1:00pm	Veggie Maintenance with Tracy of Westwind Garden	Now that your veggies are growing, Tracy will discuss what you need to do to keep them thriving. Tips on fertilizing and pest prevention.	Portland Nursery 5050 SE STARK	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/z7s4a3/
Saturday, Jun 4 11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Family gardening: protecting pollinators	Hoping for fruitful flowers, beautiful butterflies and gentle native bees in your backyard? Learn to turn your garden into a haven for helpful creatures that pollinate your plants for free. Start with a tour through the great organic garden and finish by making your own mason bee box to take home. There's fun for the whole family. Ages three and up. Adult supervision required. Led by Metro natural gardening educator Paul Sanford. Free program. Parking \$5 for cars, \$7 for busses and free for bicycles and pedestrians. Located next to the water spray ground inside Blue Lake Regional Park. Cost: Free, after parking fee.	Blue Lake Regional Park 20500 NE Marine Dr. Fairview, OR 97024	Follow the registration link below, or call 503-234-3000. Hosted by Metro. E-mail: sabrina.gogol@oregonmetro.gov Phone: 503-234-3000 Advance registration required.
Sunday June 5, 1:00pm	What to do in the Veggie Garden: June & July	Discover what to do in the veggie garden for the months of June & July! Polly Gottesman of Pumpkin Ridge Gardens, who has farmed year-round in the Northwest for 20 years, will talk about the ideal crops to plant and harvest, important garden tasks (cover cropping, watering, mulching, fertilizing, etc.), and the various undesirable pests that might be patrolling your garden.	Portland Nursery 9000 SE DIVISION	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r7q7/

Tuesday, Jun 7 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Beyond 'dirt': garden soil and amendments	Readying the soil for spring-summer planting is one of the most important tasks gardeners face at this point in the year. But what is soil made of, and what does it need to benefit the plants we want to grow? This class will provide an overview of soil types and basic soil ecology, give gardeners tools for assessing their soils, and provide suggestions on when and how to use various soil amendments. Meet at One Stop Sustainability Shop. Cost: \$10. For more information, call 503-929-7267. <i>Hosted by Independence Gardens</i>	One Stop Sustainability Shop 1468 NE Alberta St. Portland, OR 97211	Karen Wolfgang E-mail: classes@independencegardensPDX.com Phone: 503-929-7170
Wednesday June 8 6:00pm	Starting Your Winter Garden -- Polly of Pumpkin Ridge Gardens	It may seem like summer's just started, but now's the time to start planning your winter veggie garden! Extend your harvest season with good planning. Note special weeknight time.	Portland Nursery 5050 SE STARK	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r6z1/
Wednesday, Jun 8 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Storytime on the farm	Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free	Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068	Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549
Jun 9-10	Portland Rose Society Annual Spring Rose Show			
Saturday, Jun 11 10:00 am - 11:30 am	Home composting essentials	Confused by composting? Get the real dirt on how simple it is to turn garbage into gardener's gold. Learn the do's and don'ts of composting yard waste and kitchen scraps. Discover the merits of basic, worm, hot and cold composting and ways to master each method. Get tips on using compost as a soil amendment, mulch or tea. Plus, learn where to find bins, tools and more information. Led by garden expert Lora Price. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Advance registration required. Follow the registration link below, or call 503-234-3000. <i>Hosted by Metro, Oregon State University Extension Service and Clackamas Community College</i> Cost: Free	Clackamas Community College 19600 Molalla Ave. Oregon City, OR 97045 Meet in Clairmont Hall room 117.	Metro E-mail: sabrina.gogol@oregonmetro.gov Phone: 503-234-3000

Tuesday, June 14, 6:00pm-7:30pm	Healthy Soil for Healthy Plants	Soil is the foundation of a healthy garden. Learn how to build up the health and fertility of your garden beds to keep your plants happy and productive. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dEp4MWJnYkRPdGtXdmM0WnZuTkZjY2c6MQ The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale.	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
Saturday, Jun 18 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Gardens of eatin': advanced vegetable gardening	Ready to take your veggie gardening to the next level? Learn how to plan for year-round harvests with careful crop choices, vertical gardening and techniques to stretch the growing season. Plus, explore the principles of nontoxic weed and pest management to boost your harvests and reduce the amount of time and money needed for a healthy, productive garden. Led by regional gardening expert Glen Andresen. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Hosted by Metro, Oregon State University Extension Service and Portland Nursery. Cost: Free	Portland Nursery - Stark 5050 SE Stark Street Portland, OR 97215	Advance registration required; call Portland Nursery on Stark at 503-231-5050 or register online: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r5p5/
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Sunday June 19, 1:00pm	Fall & Winter Vegetable Gardens with Polly Gottesman	Now is the time to start planning and planting your garden for the fall and winter months. Polly Gottesman of Pumpkin Ridge Gardens, who has farmed year-round in the Northwest for 20 years, will discuss planting timing, good varieties for fall and winter growing, cover crops, and ways to protect your veggies from the winter weather. She will give great tips and techniques for how to keep fresh produce on your table year round!	Portland Nursery 9000 SE DIVISION	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r7a1/

Tue, June 21, 6:30pm – 8:00pm	Encore Gardening Class	This class will be announced with the July-September class schedule on June 1. What will it be? You help us decide! Take our survey HERE: (http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/XTFVMG8) to tell us what you want to learn...again...	Urban Farm Store (2100 SE Belmont)	2100 SE Belmont St (503) 234-7733 http://www.urbanfarmstore.com/
Wednesday, June 22, 6:00pm-8:00pm	Goats & Ducks!	Learn the benefits of, and everything you need to know about raising a variety of livestock in the city. This workshop will be held at the home of urban livestock farmers so come prepared to be surrounded by animals! Sign up online . The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale.	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
Saturday June 25 11:00- 12:30pm	Year Round Vegetable Gardening	Do you have gardening experience and already have a bountiful spring and summer garden? Interested in harvesting fresh vegetables every month of the year? Join Tim Lanfri, of Community Garden Creators, to learn techniques for growing and harvesting fresh produce throughout the entire year, even in the "dead of winter"! Tim will discuss topics such as timing your plantings, fall and winter growing techniques, and how to maximize your harvest without a greenhouse.	Portland Nursery 9000 SE DIVISION	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r7s5/
Saturday, Jun 25 10:00 am - 11:30 am	Gardens of eatin': advanced vegetable gardening	Ready to take your veggie gardening to the next level? Learn how to plan for year-round harvests with careful crop choices, vertical gardening and techniques to stretch the growing season. Plus, explore the principles of nontoxic weed and pest management to boost your harvests and reduce the amount of time and money needed for a healthy, productive garden. Led by garden expert Jen Aron. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Advance registration required. Follow the registration link below, or call 503-234-3000. Hosted by Metro and Oregon State University Extension Service. Cost: Free	Metro's Natural Techniques Garden 6800 SE 57th Ave. Portland, OR 97206	Metro E-mail: sabrina.gogol@oregonmetro.gov Phone: 503-234-3000
Sunday June 26, 1:00pm	From Grass to Groceries	Save time and money by transforming your grass into prime grocery-growing garden beds! Glen Andresen, host of KBOO's edible gardening show The Dirtbag, has more than 30 years experience of growing fruits and vegetables and 20 years of beekeeping. Glen will share great tips and techniques for creating fluffy, fertile vegetable garden beds from hard, compact lawns. He will cover important topics ranging from soil preparation to planting methods to harvesting techniques. Get your garden growing!	Portland Nursery 9000 SE DIVISION	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r6w5/

Sunday June 26, 1:00pm	Edible Flowers -- Naomi of Naomi's Organic Farm Supply	Why should your salad be less beautiful than your garden? Bring the color to the table with Naomi's tips on using these classic garden flowers in stylish cuisine.	Portland Nursery 5050 SE STARK	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r5m1/
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Wed Jun 29	Storytime on the farm	Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free	Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068	Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549
Tuesday, July 5, 6:00pm - 8:00pm	Year-Round Vegetable Gardening	Come learn what, when and how to plant for fall, winter and early spring harvests. The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dGQzRmxGUDJFNnF1OGQxRENrY2swUkE6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign- up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
Wed Jul 6 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Storytime on the farm	Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free	Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068	Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549

<p>Saturday, Jul 9 11:00 am - 12:00 pm</p>	<p>Family gardening: bringing birds and butterflies</p>	<p>Eager to see song birds, butterflies and other friendly bugs in your backyard? Discover how beautiful native plants can attract helpful creatures who fight your garden's pests and boost its bounty without harmful chemicals. Start with a tour through the great organic garden to collect seeds and cuttings and finish by potting them up to take home for free. There's fun for the whole family. Ages three and up. Adult supervision required. Led by Metro natural gardening educator Paul Sanford. Free program. Parking \$5 for cars, \$7 for busses and free for bicycles and pedestrians. Advance registration required call 503-234-3000. <i>Hosted by Metro.</i> Cost: Free, after parking fee.</p>	<p>Blue Lake Regional Park 20500 NE Marine Drive Fairview, OR 97024 Located next to the water spray ground inside Blue Lake Regional Park.</p>	<p>E-mail: sabrina.gogol@oregonmetro.gov Phone: 503-234-3000</p>
<p>Saturday, Jul 16 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm</p>	<p>Gardens of eatin': basic vegetable gardening</p>	<p>Want to grow organic food but not sure how? Boost your garden IQ with simple steps to success. From picking edibles for the right spot and season to prepping the soil and watering waste-free, get the skinny on weeding, managing pests and growing a bountiful garden without toxic chemicals. Plus, learn where to find plants, seeds and more tips for easy organic gardening. Led by regional gardening expert Glen Andresen. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Hosted by Metro, Oregon State University Extension Service and Tualatin Hills Park & Recreation District. Cost: Free</p>	<p>Cooper Mountain Nature Park 18892 SW Kemmer Road Beaverton, OR 97007</p>	<p>Advance registration required; call Tualatin Hills Park & Recreation District at 503-629-6350.</p>
<p>Tuesday, July 19th, 5:30-7pm</p>	<p>Family Chicken Keeping Workshop</p>	<p>The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dERfUTA4bVRRWTN0bWl1cnBfa3JPQkE6MQ</p>	<p>Zenger Farm. The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.</p>	<p>Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org</p>
<p>Wed July 20 10:00 am - 11:00 am</p>	<p>Storytime on the farm</p>	<p>Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free</p>	<p>Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068</p>	<p>Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549</p>

<p>Wed July 27 10:00 am - 11:00 am</p>	<p>Storytime on the farm</p>	<p>Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free</p>	<p>Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068</p>	<p>Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549</p>
<p>Saturday, July 30, 10:00am - 1:00pm</p>	<p>Vermicomposting & Building a Worm Bin</p>	<p>Learn how to turn your kitchen food scraps into rich compost using red wiggler worms. This hands-on workshop will include building worm bins. All participants will go home with a worm bin and red wigglers. This workshop has a fixed cost of \$50 and must be paid in full by Friday, July 22 to guarantee a spot. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dFFOYWU4NVVEbmpxZDFyU0s3YUZqMIE6MQ</p>	<p>The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.</p>	<p>Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org</p>
<p>Saturday, Jul 30 10:00 am - 11:00 am</p>	<p>Gardens of eatin': edible landscaping</p>	<p>Get the skinny on blending edibles and ornamentals for a delicious low-maintenance landscape. Discover salad-boosting herbs and flowers, fruit trees for small spaces and native plants that hide 'berried' treasures. Learn easy organic care methods and best varieties for blueberries, strawberries, tree fruits, grapes, kiwis, culinary herbs and more. Led by garden expert Jen Aron. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Advance registration required; call Hughes Water Gardens at 503-638-1709. <i>Hosted by Metro, Oregon State University Extension Service and Hughes Water Gardens.</i> Cost: Free</p>	<p>Hughes Water Gardens 25289 SW Stafford Road Tualatin, OR 97062</p>	<p>Hughes Water Gardens E-mail: store@hugheswatergardens.com Phone: 503-638-1709</p>
<p>Sunday, Jul 31 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm</p>	<p>Gardens of eatin': basic vegetable gardening</p>	<p>Want to grow organic food but not sure how? Boost your garden IQ with simple steps to success. From picking edibles for the right spot and season to prepping the soil and watering waste-free, get the skinny on weeding, managing pests and growing a bountiful garden without toxic chemicals. Plus, learn where to find plants, seeds and more tips for easy organic gardening. Led by regional gardening expert Glen Andresen. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Hosted by Metro, Oregon State University Extension Service and Flat Creek Garden Center. Cost: Free</p>	<p>Flat Creek Garden Center 30039 SE Orient Drive Gresham, OR 97080</p>	<p>Advance registration required; call Flat Creek Garden Center at 503-663-4101. Flat Creek Garden Center E-mail: flatcreekgc@gmail.com Phone: 503-663-4101</p>

Wed Aug 3 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Storytime on the farm	Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free	Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068	Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549
Saturday, Aug 6 10:00 am - 11:30 am	Water less, save more and keep your garden green	Want to save on your water bill? Discover the secrets of low-maintenance landscaping with beautiful, water-wise plants. Learn how soil amendments, mulch and proper planting save water and prevent pest problems without toxic chemicals. Plus, get the basics of efficient irrigation using sprinklers, soaker hoses or a drip system. Led by regional gardening expert Glen Andresen. Free event includes complimentary coupons and publications. Advance registration required. To register, call 503-234-3000. Hosted by Metro, Oregon State University Extension Service and Clackamas Community College. Cost: Free	Clackamas Community College 19600 Molalla Ave. Oregon City, OR 97045 Meet in Clairmont Hall room 117.	Metro E-mail: sabrina.gogol@oregonmetro.gov Phone: 503-234-3000
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Sunday August 14, 1:00pm	Trouble Shooting in the Veggie Garden	Jolie Grindstaff of Portland Nursery The veggie garden in summer is a celebration of your work invested –but who invited those bugs to the buffet? How come that squash is flowering but doesn't seem to be setting fruit? What's the best way to control powdery mildew? Jolie will help with tips on diagnosing and safely treating those little problems that come up.	Portland Nursery 5050 SE STARK	Register here: https://portlandnursery.wufoo.com/forms/m7r3m3/

August 17 10:00 am - 11:00 am	Storytime on the farm	Join farm staff for a weekly drop-in storytime at beautiful Luscher Farm, followed by a short tour of the children's garden. Suitable for ages 3 to 8; parents must accompany children. Bring a picnic and enjoy some time with your children at the farm after storytime. Free. For more information, call 503-675-2549. Hosted by Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation Cost: Free	Luscher Farm 125 Rosemont Road West Linn, OR 97068	Lake Oswego Parks & Recreation E-mail: recreation1@ci.oswego.or.us Phone: 503-675-2549
Wednesday, August 17, 6:00pm-8pm	Food Preservation - Pickling!	Pickling: Learn about the many ways that you can preserve your summer vegetables and fruits for winter eating. The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dDZxU01NNWdpbFMxM1BCYW84RjAtRXc6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
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Tuesday, August 23, 6:00pm-8:00pm	Cooking With Summer Vegetables	Prepare fresh, delicious and nutritious garden veggie dishes during this hands-on workshop with chef Kasey Mills from Toro Bravo. The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dFF3LUhhcFBrX09NbWVFcnd6dmxLVWc6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
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August - Exact Date to be announced.	Cloche Building to Extend the Harvest	Learn how to extend the growing season into winter. This hands-on workshop will include building a wood cloche with an easy access hinged top. Each participant will go home with a cloche. This workshop has a fixed cost of \$50 and must be paid in full by Friday, July 22 to guarantee a spot. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dHBXYklyWi1aT0xtRzAyeF9jN05NcEE6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
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Tuesday, September 13, 6:00pm-8:00pm	Seed Saving	Learn to save seeds from the garden during this hands-on workshop. Collect & swap seeds to take home with you! The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dHZkVUtfOE9EQ2otdzJzV2NwTVZwMHc6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org
September 14, 2011	Senior Gardening Day	Legacy Health System Horticultural Therapy Department, Home Instead and Portland Nursery team up and provide a day of hands-on activities and demonstrations geared especially for the elder gardeners in our community.	Portland Nursery on Division	For more information call Portland Nursery on Division, 503-788-9000.
Friday-Sunday October 7, 8, 9 2011 Friday-Sunday October 14, 15, 16, 2011 10:00am - 5:00pm	24th Annual Apple Tasting Event	Soon the giant red apple balloon will be visible floating over our Stark street location, signaling the arrival of this year's annual Apple Tasting – our 23rd year of celebrating apples! Be sure to join us the second and third weekends in October!	Portland Nursery at 5050 SE Stark	
Thursday, November 17, 6:00pm - 8:00pm	Gardening Basics Part I	Learn to plan, implement and care for a healthy, affordable, and sustainable veggie garden. Part II is a continuation of Part I. You don't have to sign up for both parts, but you'll get more out of the workshop if you do. The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey=dDFLRFBXOTBxV25fbF9RQmE4eU12NVE6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign-up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing-gardens.org

Saturday, November 19, 10:00am - 12:00pm	Gardening Basics Part II	Learn to plan, implement and care for a healthy, affordable, and sustainable veggie garden. Part II is a continuation of Part I. You don't have to sign up for both parts, but you'll get more out of the workshop if you do. The cost for this workshop is \$5 - \$20 on a sliding scale. Sign up online: https://spreadsheets.google.com/embeddedform?formkey= dFcwSm1pYzFLaDNJa0dhaE96RFNKWGc6MQ	The location will be provided in the sign- up confirmation email.	Growing Gardens 2003 NE 42nd Ave, #3 Portland, OR 97213 503.284.8420 http://www.growing- gardens.org
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