

2011
Central Oregon
Master Gardener
Scrapbook

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Precious Moments

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Picnic

We Brought in the New Year...



HOEDOWN

May 2011

Newsletter of the Central Oregon Chapter of OSU Master Gardeners™

FRIENDS

Laughter

Extension

Educator

Grant

Winner



April 16, 2011
Spring Seminar
 &
 Garden Market

Deschutes County
 Fair & Expo
 Middle Sister building

Do you like working with kids?

Join the
Growing Kids
 project

Contact Toni Stephan
 541 548-0789 or
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Redmond Demo Garden

If you would like to be on the
garden crew

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First Bloom

Memories

2011 COBA
Spring Home & Garden
Show

(COBA=Central Oregon Builders Association)

May 6-8th, 2011

Help needed to staff the Central Oregon Master
 Gardener Association booth.

Staffing shifts will be 3-4 hours and will be cred-
 ited towards your Certification/Re-certification
 requirements.

Trainees will be paired up with Veteran Master
 Gardeners.

Reference materials and handouts will be at the
 booth for general public information sharing.

The Show hours are:

Friday—12:00-6:00 pm
 Saturday—10:00am-6:00pm
 Sunday—10:00am-5pm

if you are interested in signing up,
 contact Vicky Kemp at 541-923-6411
 (home), 541-280-2447 (cell) or
vjkemp@prinetime.net

In Memory



Larry Thomas

Agent's Corner



Congratulations Amy Jo



She received the
Experienced Faculty Award
2010

from
 OSU Extension Service Education Association
 for her achievement, service and leadership
 to Extension

Mini-College

Newport, Oregon
July 13-16

Planning to go this year?

Get your reservations in
now.

Need more info?

go to the OMGA website

www.oregonmastergardeners.org

Good Morning Central Oregon

COTV/Channel 11 on Bendcable:

Feb. 11 JoAnne Abbott—Favorite and
Unusual Tools

Feb. 25 Chris Miao—Insecticidal Soaps

The segments will air several times during
the day, beginning at 6:30am and
repeating until 11:00pm.

Plant Sale

These are the plants we want to include in this year's sale
prices and availability permitting:

Herbs: Rosemary (select correct zone), Tarragon
(perennial), Fennel/Bronze (Chloe has starts),
Sage—Pineapple or perennial, Basil — several
varieties, Parsley, Dill, Cilantro, Catmint.

Veggies:

Tomatoes -- Willamette, Glacier, Mt. Princess
(heirloom) Vera Italia (sauce-type),
Sweet Million, Sugar Plum (hybrid) Gold
Nugget.

Spinach --

Chard (rainbow) --

Lettuces: Merlot, Little Gem and Oak Leaf.

Cucumbers -- Lemon and Diva.

Broccoli -- (Some research being done on broccoli)

Cauliflower -- Cheddar

Peppers -- Holy Moly and North Star

Zucchini -- 8-ball, Tigress (Black Beauty [50-day])

Squash -- Summer: Patty Pan and Super Pick

Pumpkin -- Neon (ask Diana) Suggested we offer a
recipe with the pumpkin plants

Flowers:

Zinnia -- Zahara Fire and Zowie Yellow Flame

Phlox -- Perennial (purple)

Calendula -- Touch of Red-orange

Rudbeckia -- Cherry Brandy

Oh
Happy
Day!

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Community Gardens

If you would like to work at:

**Northwest Crossing
Community Garden (NWXCG)**

Contact

JoAnne Abbott, 541 318-8297 or

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Anne Perce,

anne_perce@yahoo.com

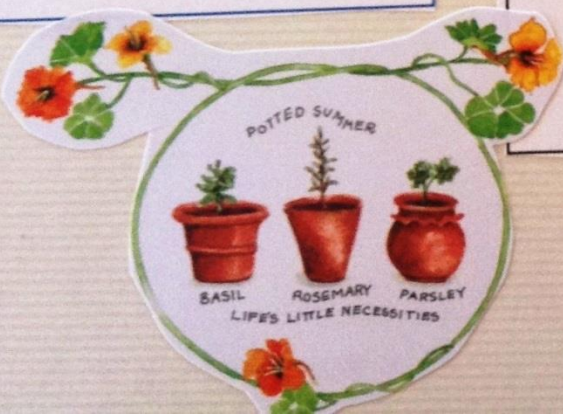
Collinshead Community Garden

Contact

Jacquie Siewert-Schade,

541 593-9305 or

jacquie@chamberscable.com



Summer





Our class of 2011.





The mentors meet with their groups.



THE WINDS WILL BLOW AWAY THE SNOW



Breathless, we flung us
on the windy hill,
Laughed in the sun,
& Kissed the lovely grass.

♥ Rupert Brooke



"EARTH LAUGHS
IN FLOWERS."

♥ Ralph Waldo Emerson



Opening of the Demonstration Garden.



MEMORIES

Replacing the compost at Northwest Community Garden.



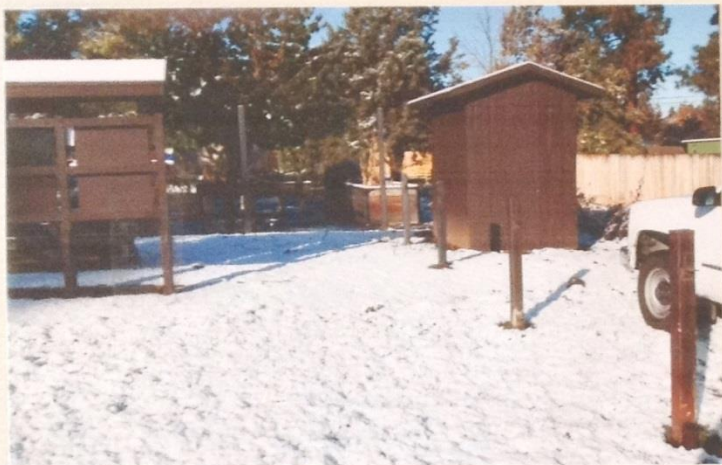
CELEBRATE



PLAY & HAVE FUN

Northwest Crossing Community Garden
(NWXCG)

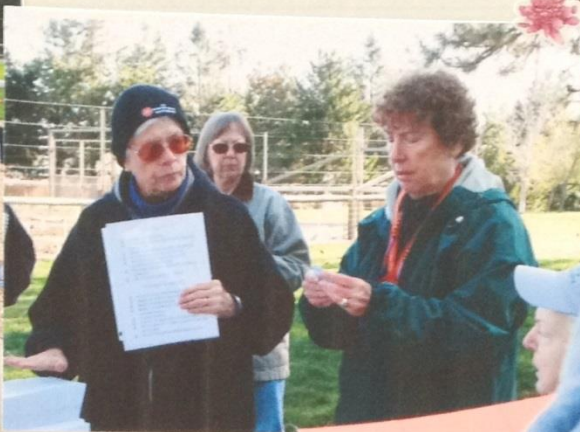


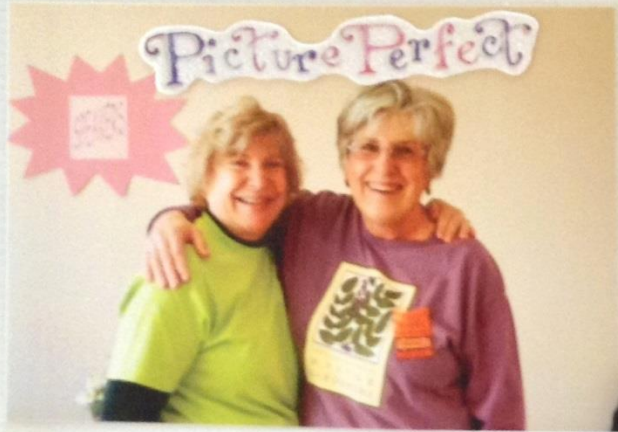


New deer fencing at Hollinshead. Yeah!!



Spring





Spring Seminar and Garden Market



Q the green things growing,
the green things growing,
The faint sweet smell of
the green things growing!

♥ Dinah Mulock Craik



Education



The Tree



Oregon Master Gardener Association™ presents
28th Annual Mini College for Gardeners

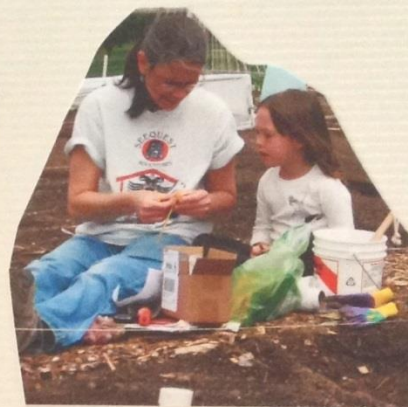
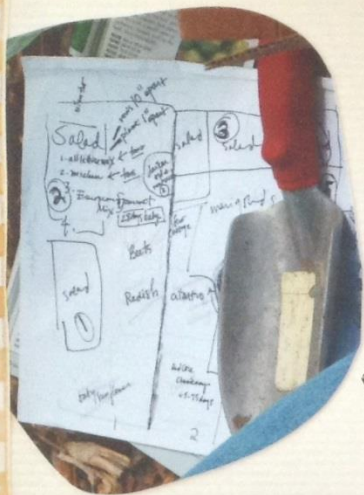
Gardening to Live Well

July 13-16, 2011
In Newport, Oregon

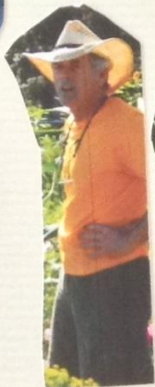
A collage of images including red tomatoes, a sunflower, and a bridge.

Hollinshead Open House

Perfect
Day



TIME BEGAN
IN A GARDEN ♡



CELEBRATE





Plant Clinics

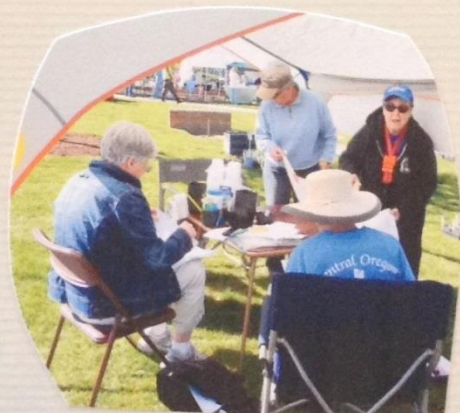


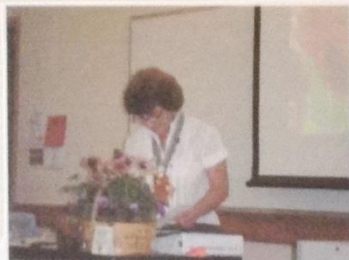
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Smile



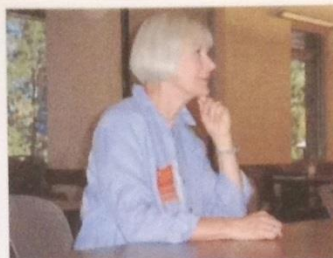
A perfect day





Betty Faller getting ready to start the OMGA meeting

OMGA MEETING



Pat Kolling waiting to give her opening welcome



Carol Rountree attends her first meeting as Alt. Rep.



Amy Jo attends her first OMGA meeting



Good Morning Central Oregon
COTV/Channel 11 on Bendcable:

There will be no live broadcasts during the month of August.

GMCO is undergoing a consolidation and slight format change. They will be airing reruns but no MG segments.

Educational talks

5:30—6:30 pm

Hollinshead Community Garden
Bring your own chair

g. 9—Late Season Care of Tomatoes

t. 13—TBA



OMGA meeting photos by Toni Stephan



Joan organizes another good plant sale



Ellen Glenn helps kids learn to plant

Plant Sale Photos by Jan Even



Vicky Kemp & Dan Tippy work the sale

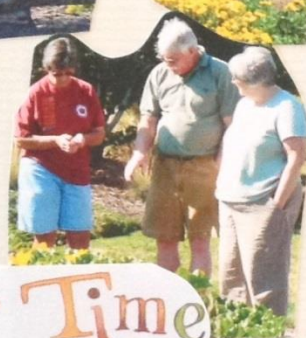
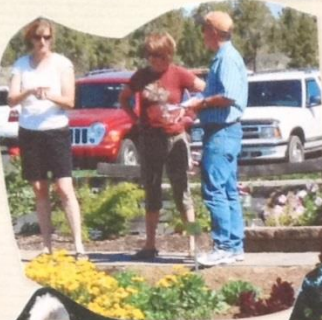


Linda Denall helping kids plant seeds

PLANT SALE

Earth

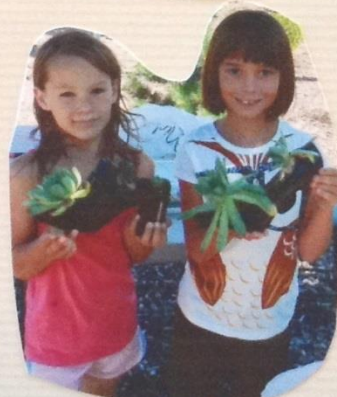
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Harvest Time



FALL





RING IN THE NEW



Fun Day



KIDS 'N CONTAINERS
(Gardening with Children)

SIMPLE THINGS



Life



Photos taken by Karen Gentry of the Growing Kid's project at Tumalo School



The kids made new raised beds,

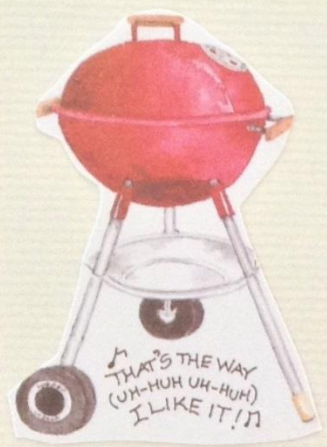


worked in the garden and got their hands dirty



Food, Fun & Friends

A JOY SHARED IS A JOY DOUBLED



The Bulb Sale





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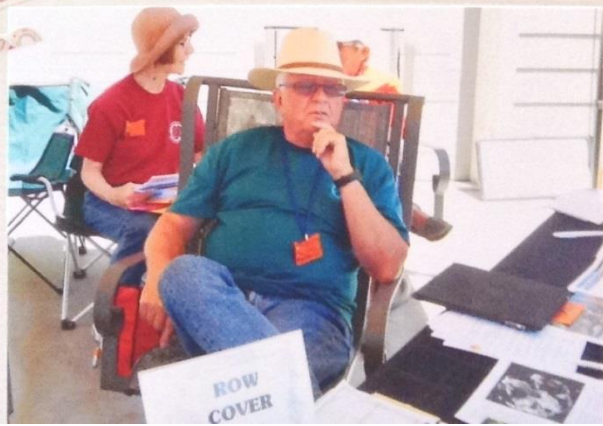
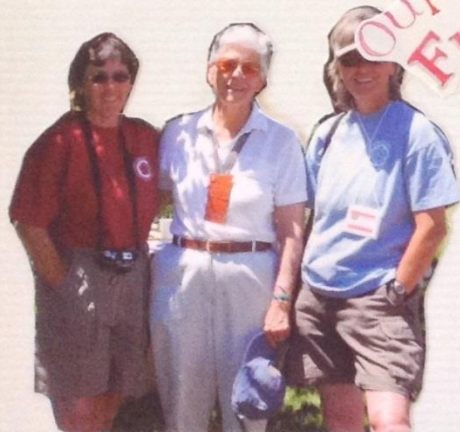
Home Tour



TRADITIONS



Our Friends



Spring

Plant Sale



Summer Savory
Lovage
Oregano
Salad Burnet
Sage
Lavender
Marjoram



G r o w

Memories



Rocky Bessette, right, discusses how to make compost during the Oregon State University demo garden open house. Plans for building a three-bin compost system are available at the extension office.

Photos by Ryan Brennecke / The Bulletin



Improved pathways made from pavers line the beds at the OSU demo garden.



Mini-classes on a variety of gardening topics conducted by OSU Master Gardener volunteers at the Deschutes County Fair & Expo Center.

Ryan Brennecke / The Bulletin



Betty Faller, an OSU Master Gardener, pulls a few potatoes that will be fed to the chimpanzees at Chimps Inc., who can be just as picky as humans. "They enjoy having a choice," Faller says. "What they like, they like a lot!"

Ryan Brennecke / The Bulletin

US!

Ape for veggies

By Leon Pantenburg
For The Bulletin

Oregon State University Master Gardeners are used to being watched while they work. But at the Plants of the Apes garden at Chimps Inc. near Tumalo, the gardeners' work is closely supervised by a group of chimpanzees.

That is the idea. The garden, which is located just outside the large, outdoor enclosed ape habitat, is part of a unique life enhancement and educational program for the residents. Chimps Inc. is a nonprofit corporation, established in 1995, which provides a refuge for seven abused and rescued chimpanzees.

See Chimps / F3

A three-tiered organic garden is situated next to the chimpanzees' outdoor habitat at Chimps Inc. near Tumalo. It's positioned in such a way that the chimpanzees can point to the vegetables that they would like to eat.



Andrea Menashe passes a flower to one of the chimpanzees.



Diana Hardin helps Logan Quaka, 2, of Redmond, make a shoe planter as part of the "Pick a Shoe, Plant a Sedum" activity.