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“ Slow down to speed up the rate of synchronicity”

To schedule Hotline - email martyel@prodigy.net or call (831) 633-6435

Additional Information

Cooper Adobe Garden Workdays: We will meet from 10:00-noon on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month. Contact Marcia Smullen if you are interested in this project. (831-626-3519) If there are other hours you can work, let her know as well.

Seaside Green Team Project: Every 3rd Saturday 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. contact Mary Wilson, 393-0193, bluespud@pacbell.net and ask to be placed on her e-mail reminder list.

Cabrillo Horticulture Winter Session Courses:

HORT 162FD Introduction to Floral Design

Introduces floral design techniques and styles as well as the proper handling and preparation of fresh flowers.

Days T/TH 06:00PM-09:10PM

Meets 1/2-1/25.

HORT 162PR Landscape Pruning - Provides hands-on experience using pruning equipment, presents general and specific pruning techniques of all common plants. Meets Meets 4 Saturdays 1/6, 1/13, 1/20, and 1/27. +1 hr 10 min arranged per day.

Cabrillo College Poinsettia Trials and Open House - Wednesday December 6th, 3:00 to 8:00 pm. Cabrillo College Environmental Horticulture Center Greenhouses Room 5300. We will be having a wreath making demonstration, food and of course a sale. Come early for best selection.

Monterey Bay Certified Farmer's Market (MBCFM) at Cabrillo College, Aptos, "Can You Dig It" Gardening Workshop Series. When: Third Saturday of each month starting in October. Please check website for times, since the schedule will vary. <http://www.montereybayfarmers.org/news.html>. Saturday, December 16, 10 – 11:30, featuring: Speaker, Ken Foster, Topic: Seasonal Landscape Design. Ken Foster and Terra Nova Ecological Landscaping represent the ultimate in "green awareness" in the home garden.

Advanced Training

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Dec. 1, 2, & 3 - Green Wreath Workshop, The Potting Shed, call for information and reservations, 685-1626.

Thursday, December 7, 10:00a.m.-noon: Rose Pruning Workshop at Paul McCollum's. 733 Rebecca Circle, Aromas. Call 726-1319 for more information. Learn rose pruning basics and take home cuttings to start your own plants. Bring sharp pruners, gloves, long sleeve shirt, and bag to take home cuttings.

Send all calendar announcements to Paul McCollum at pulpitpaul@razzolink.com or phone (831)726-1319 no later than the 22nd of each month.