



SHASTA COUNTY
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Foster Youth Garden: We just finished our first day of selling at the farmer's market. We had a few things to start with and got our feet wet with the whole process. The youth who helped at the market gained experience in working with the public, handling cash, and working with the scale for weighing items. Basic work skills are extremely valuable to foster youth as many of them do not have any job experience. We will be adding more items to our booth to sell.

The garden looks much better this year due to a lack of smoke, deer (thanks Scott), and late frosts. We have been hit by the heat now and have to keep an eye on the drip system. Scott has helped us set up a great system.

The Redding Rotary donated money for fruit trees for the foster youth garden. We were able to purchase – 3 cherry trees, 3 peach trees, 3 nectarine trees, and 3 apricot trees. Wyntour Gardens helped us find varieties that would be ready to harvest during months we sell at Farmer's Market.

The Garden schedule for all youth to attend will be on Tuesdays from 9:30-11:30 am. On Thursdays two youth who work consistently at the garden will be picked to sell with ILP staff. The youth are selling at the Anderson Farmers Market on Thursdays. The market is located at the Anderson Fairgrounds.

Movie Day: There was a mistake on one of the dates for movie days last month. These are the actual dates so mark your calendar (there is only one day in July). Our next movie day is July 22nd. We will meet at the Prime 11 Cinemas at 11:30am. The second date is August 12th. **Please only send youth who can attend on without the supervision of an adult.**

RABA Bus Youth Passes: Redding Area Bus Authority is now selling youth bus passes for youth ages 6 – 17. The passes are 29 dollars and are good for unlimited riding for 1 month. This is a 20 dollar savings from the adult pass. Passes can be purchased at the RABA station near California Street...

Anderson Free Summer Fun Flicks: Anderson Prime 11 Theatre is sponsoring some free movie days. All shows start at 10am. Seating is granted on a first come first serve basis and is limited to auditorium capacity.

Spiderwick Chronicles – June 10th and 11th/ Nim's Island – June 17th and 18th/ Coraline – June 24th and 25th/ Alvin and the Chipmunks – July 1st and 2nd/ Madagascar – July 8th and 9th/ Hotel for Dogs – July 15th and 16th/ Igor – July 22nd and 23rd/ Tale of Despereaux – July 29th and 30th

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