

About



Stewarding an Edible Estacada District

Vision: Develop a self-supporting, K-12 school garden program.

Goal: Involve students, teachers, parents and community members in stewardship of Estacada School District learning gardens.

Objectives:

Support and reinforce the District's efforts to purchase fresh local produce by working with the District Food and Nutrition Services to help identify and/or grow local, sustainably-produced foods for the District's meal programs.

Expand outdoor learning opportunities where students participate in garden-based activities that are interwoven with in grade-appropriate math, science, social studies and arts curricula.

Educate people about the interconnected relationships of food, environment, ecology, communities and cultural histories.

Decrease the risk of food insecurity in our community and improve nutrition through fun, hand-on learning activities.

For more information:

Contact the Friends of SEED at

503-724-7740

or

Visit us on the Web at
www.SEEDestacada.org



Friends of SEED
30265 SE Kowall Rd.
Estacada, OR 97023

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Be a Friend of SEED - Estacada's School Garden Organization



Become a SEED Friend!
It's inexpensive and easy!
Just fill out the form on the back, include a check for your dues and mail it to the Friends of SEED

Read on to learn about the benefits of being a Friend.



What do Friends of SEED do?

Friends support school gardens through:

- Volunteering on fall and spring garden cleanup days.
- Building new school gardens.
- Sponsoring programs that enhance student learning in their gardens.
- Creating awareness and public support for our school gardens.
- Having FUN by contributing time, talent and creativity to enhance our school gardens.

Don't have time to volunteer? Your tax-deductible membership still helps!

Join us and your contribution goes to fund future initiatives such as garden soil amendments and irrigation improvements, purchasing fruit trees, programming, and much more. When you give, school children benefit!

What's in it for You?

Do you value fresh produce in school children's lunches? Do you want to enrich your community? Do you have a skill or talent to offer others? Do you believe you can make a difference? When we give, we enrich our own lives and the lives of others. These are all ways that being a Friend of SEED benefit YOU!

School gardens need Friends.



Friends of SEED has already begun adding value to our community through building a garden at Eagle Creek Elementary and the Estacada Junior High that benefit the District's meal programs. In the winter of 2014, Friends of Seed built a second garden at the Junior High that exclusively benefits students and families through donating 100% of the produce to the Estacada Area Food Bank.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Little Seed \$10.00 Big Seed \$20.00 Little Sprout \$50.00 Benevolent Garden Gnome \$100.00

I would like to add a donation in the amount of \$ _____

I can help with (optional): Garden Cleanup Days SEED Friends' Board Harvest Celebration

Garden Harvest Garden Building Projects Events Committee

Membership valid through December 31, 2015

Please make check payable to the Estacada Community Foundation and in memo line write: Friends of SEED.

Mail to: Friends of SEED, C/o Estacada Community Foundation, P.O. Box 1498, Estacada, OR 97023

SEED Friends memberships and donations are tax deductible.

Total Enclosed \$ _____