

GARDENING

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Drastic pruning of trees or shrubs also stimulates the growth of succulent suckers.

A classic example of applying integrated pest management techniques was documented in South Carolina. Over 300 acres of tomatoes were suffering plant damage and crop loss despite the weekly spraying of insecticides to rid the plants of the tomato hornworm.

It took several years for agriculture agents to convince the farmers to stop the weekly spraying. Through observation, documentation and research, it was discovered the spraying had been more effective at killing the tomato hornworm's sworn enemy, a tiny parasitic wasp. A year without spraying revived the wasp population, reduced the hornworms, saved money and boosted yields.

It is unrealistic to expect that you can attain a pest-free garden. The best we can do is to plant landscaping material that will draw in the beneficial insects. There may be times that you find it necessary to spray. Choose the least toxic product on the market and, most importantly, follow the directions. If it advises not to spray within a specific temperature range, then don't spray even though it may be more convenient for you. The consequence is



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Growing an organic garden in raised beds.

likely that you will burn the plant.

Lock out the bad guys. A sheet of floating row cover creates a nontoxic barrier to the white cabbage moth attacking your cabbage, kale and broccoli. The white cabbage moth can wreak havoc in the garden. Nasturtiums are said to act as a decoy plant that the moth will lay their eggs on instead of the brassica family of vegetables.

The beneficial insects that we need to encourage include green lacewings, ladybugs, hoverflies, parasitic wasps and tachinid flies. This list is just a few of the good

guys. Do research at the library or on the internet and learn how to identify beneficials so you can claim bragging rights to being able to draw them into your garden. Although not considered a major beneficial, even the dreaded yellow jacket, in addition to being some-

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what of a pollinator, has value in feeding on garden pests.

A few basic plant suggestions might include fern-leaf yarrow that attracts all the above except for the tachinid fly. The common yarrow attracts all but the lacewing.

Dill attracts all but the tachinid fly. Golden marguerite attracts all the above. White sensation cosmos, Queen Anne's lace, buckwheat, fennel, lemon balm, parsley, lemon gem marigold tansy and crimson thyme are valuable in attracting beneficial insects. The common dandelion that everyone feels so compelled to get rid of has value as one of the earliest pollinators, in addition to attracting lacewings and ladybugs.

More than one plant of a variety needs to be planted. You need to think in terms of clusters, not straight row plantings. You may feel that your garden is going to look chaotic with flowers intermingling with vegetables, but think of the good you will be doing by eliminating chemical sprays.

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- VFW
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- Main Event
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- Little Bagel Shop
- Baker City Fire Dept.
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- Idle Hour
- Salvation Army

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114 Self-Help Group Meetings

AL-ANON, Cove. Keep coming back. Mondays, 7-8pm. Calvary Baptist Church. 707 Main, Cove.

AL-ANON FAMILY GROUP
(Support for family & friends of Alcoholics)
Tuesday evenings
Joseph Methodist Church (basement on northside)
Joseph, OR
6-7pm. Contact 541-398-1398

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS
Tues., Noon - 1 PM (Weather Permitting)
Geiser Pollman Park
Baker City
Call: 541-540-5326 -or- 541-523-5128
Please Leave a Message

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS NEW MEETING ROOM!
During the COVID-19 Social Distancing the meetings are held by telephone. Fridays @ 8:45 AM For Information Call 541-523-5128
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Someone's drinking a problem? AL-ANON
Meetings available by phone Info for **Baker City** Meetings Call: 541-523-5851 or 541-239-7323

AL-ANON
Meetings are in person with social distancing
Help for persons who have been affected by someone else's drinking
Saturday, 9 a.m.
NOCC - Nazarene Church
1250 Hughes Ln. • Baker City (541)519-7227 or (541)239-7323

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CROSSWORD PUZZLER

ACROSS

1 Red planet
5 Pancho Villa's coin
9 Slugger's stat
12 Do magazine work
13 Joke response (hyph.)
14 Hirt and Pacino
15 Audition tape
16 Club charge
17 Large vat
18 ER staffers
20 Try hard
22 Panasonic acquisition
25 He loved Lucy
27 Dark brew
28 Particular
30 Problem with hives
34 Whirlpool locale
35 Wacky Williams
37 "Eureka!"

38 Suds ingredient
40 Extreme
41 German article
42 Conspire
44 Take a sip
46 Mombasa's country
49 Flavor enhancer
50 Hail, to Caesar
51 Empire builder
54 Brit's exclamation (2 wds.)
58 Secure
59 MLB players
60 Racing sled
61 Dilapidated
62 Chimney deposit
63 Poet's black

DOWN

1 Kind of student
2 Sweet drink
3 Periphrase
4 Narrative
5 Many profs

6 Perfume label word
7 Yacht's pronoun
8 Refuges
9 Loan figure

10 Make indistinct
11 "Small world, — it?"
19 Roulette color
21 Clock numeral
22 Obi
23 Pet food brand
24 First-quarter tide
25 Ledger entry
26 Omani title
29 Hubbub (hyph.)
31 Lower digits
32 IOU
33 Make sharper
36 Court dividers
39 Mole, sometimes
43 Desk accessories
45 Lithe
46 Green Hornet's aide
47 Like Lex Luthor
48 Lack
49 Pole on a ship
52 Fortify
53 Penn Badgley series
55 Fill-in
56 Give it — —
57 Longing

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
Monday, Thursday, & Friday at 8pm. Episcopal Church 2177 First St. Baker City

Drug Problem? We can help!
Narcotics Anonymous
Phone: 541-805-2229
www.neo-na.org

T.O.P.S.
Meets every Tuesday Morning 8:30 a.m.-10 a.m.
LDS Church in Island City.
Fragrance Free Group

CELEBRATE RECOVERY
Calvary Baptist Church
Third & Broadway
Baker City, OR
EVERY THURSDAY
6:15 - 8:00 PM

DO YOU HAVE.... HURTS, HABITS and/or HANG UPS?
12 Step Biblical Support
Harvest Church
3720 Birch St. Baker City
Thurs., 6:30 - 8:30 PM

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LA GRANDE NOW HAS A GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS MEETING!
Every Friday Night @5pm, 2107 Gekeler Ln, LG, Church of Christ basement. For more info please call 971-219-8411

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
Goin' Straight Group
Meetings:
Mon., Tues. Thurs. & Fri.
Start at 8 PM
Episcopal Church Basement
2177 1st Street, Baker City

PEOPLE with PARKINSON'S
Caregivers, Family, Friends
SUPPORT GROUP
Contact Judith at 208-855-9199
Meetings resume @GRH when restrictions ease.

BAKER COUNTY AA MEETINGS BAKER CITY

MONDAYS Survivor's Group
12 -1:00 pm
Baker Presbyterian Church
1995 4th St.
(4th & Court, Side Door)

TUESDAYS K.I.S.S.
(Keep it Simple Sister)
12 - 1:00 pm
1645 Eldon St. Eldon Court
Apts Community Room

WEDNESDAYS Survivor's Group
12:05 pm
Baker Presbyterian Church
1995 4th St.
(4th & Court, Side Door)

THURSDAYS Survivor's Group
12:05 pm
Baker Presbyterian Church
1995 4th St.
(4th & Court, Side Door)

NEW MEETING
Huntington Christian Center
Thursday's 7pm
595 E Monroe Street
Huntington, OR

FRIDAYS Been There Done That
(Grapevine Meeting)
5:30 -6:30 pm 2970 Walnut
(Corner of "D" & Grove St.)
Grove Apts. Community Rm

A.A. Book Study
6:00 - 7:00 pm

SATURDAYS As Bill Sees It Group
10:00 am 2970 Walnut
(Corner of "D" & Grove St.)
Grove Apts. Community Rm

SUNDAYS Been There Done That
5:30 pm 2970 Walnut
(Corner of "D" & Grove St.)
Grove Apts. Community Rm

Questions call AA Hotline:
541-624-5117
www.oregonaadistrict29.org

WALLOWA COUNTY AA MEETINGS

Enterprise

MONDAYS
• Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.

TUESDAYS
• Enterprise Group
12 - 1:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.
• Enterprise Group
7 - 8:00 pm (Big Bk Study)
113.5 E Main St.

WEDNESDAYS
• Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.

THURSDAYS
• Enterprise Group
12 - 1:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.
• All Saints (Mens Mtg)
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.
• Grapevine Meeting
301 S. Lake; 5:30 pm

FRIDAYS
• Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.

SATURDAYS
• Enterprise Group
7:00 pm
113.5 E Main St.

City of Joseph

MONDAYS
• Grace and Dignity (Womans Mtg)
Joseph United Methodist Church; 6:00 pm
301 S. Lake St,
Corner 3rd & Lake/Side Stairs, Lake St

WEDNESDAYS
• Grace and Dignity (Womans Mtg) 12 pm
301 S. Lake St.,
Church Basement

City of Wallowa

SUNDAYS
• Church of Christ
504 w. 2nd St.; 5:00 pm

SATURDAYS
• Church of Christ
504 w. 2nd St.; 12:00 pm

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