NEIGHBORHOOD ACTIVITIES Mar. 2010

www.ecovillage510.org Call to confirm event before traveling. Most events start on time.

Calendar Calendar Cutoff for Getting Events on the April "Print" Calendar Events are posted via the website "Propose an Event" form. Submission is ongoing for online. Cut-off for getting an event on the April "print" calendar is Thu, 3/25/10 @ 6:00pm. www.ecovillage510.org

Coffee Hour The longest-lived activity on this calendar. Come join in the mix; you can talk, listen, dine & enjoy community. Every Tuesday, 6:00pm @ Leaning Tower of Pizza, 498 Wesley (@ Brooklyn).

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for more details & events!

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Dawn's Birthday Potluck & One Night Art Show Dawn's celebrating her 44th trip around the Sun and wants to hang out with friends and show off some of her artwork. Bring a dish or beverage to share. Bringing your own plate & silverware would be helpful, but not required for admission :-) Friends & family of all ages & musical instruments welcome!. Fr 3/5, 6:00pm @ Creative Juices Art Studio, 432 Bellevue Ave (across the street from Dawn & Loren's apt). Dawn 625-1209 damaraz@juno.com

Day of Action -- Walk with students who are walking out. All their lives they've seen our government's priorities get degraded. This promises to be the biggest take-back-the-power event in recent years. Actions are happening throughout California. Rally 12:00 noon to 4:00pm in Oakland. Marchers will arrive from UC Berkeley, Laney College, Fruitvale BART. Many will then attend the 5pm rally in SF. at the Civic Center. Th 3/4, 12:00 pm Oakland; 5:00 pm SF, Laura 986-0879 to be emailed more details, email info@laurawells.org

Health Night - How do we stay healthy? Simple question - lots of answers! We'll share stories, request health advice, and give health pointers. Note that it's the third Tuesday this month. Also, we'll share stories, request health advice, and give health pointers. Tu 3/16, 7:00pm @ Leaning Tower of Pizza, 498 Wesley (@ Brooklyn). Dave 893-2542 and Laura 986-0879

LMNOP Weekly Peace Walk Lake Merritt Neighbors Organized for Peace (LMNOP). Every Sunday, 3:00pm @ The Colonnade (east side of Lake Merritt). Bring signs if you have them. Beth, 763-8712

Mead House Garden Planning & Work Party Plenty of growing space (approx 35' x 80') for your gardening urges. This project is in its infancy so... now's the time to get in on the "ground" floor. December will be mostly planning. We will start tilling in earnest in January. Bring your ideas about what should be planted and when and where and how. We have some tools but bring your own if you want. Ongoing first and third Saturdays. Sa 3/6, 3/20, 4/6, 9:00am @ 842 Mead Avenue, West Oakland. John @ 547-6636

Money as Debt I Come to the Humanist Hall on the 3rd (and on the 10th for Money as Debt II) at 6:30 pm for a potluck meal and then at 7:30 watch the film Money as Debt. We 3/3 7:30pm @ Humanist Hall, 390 27th Street. Matthew R 547-6636 mrmcr@hotmail.com humanisthall.net

Monthly "RSVP" Potluck Party

Ten "I'll be theres" are needed before 9:00pm on Friday, March 26. I'll let you know if it's happening either when you RSVP or at the latest on Saturday morning. Bring a dish for six (we like everything, but we LOVE omni and veggie protein courses). We'll dine, talk, listen, laugh, and if someone remembers we may sing "Happy Birthday" or even have an old-fashioned go-around (Boo). Who knows, maybe we'll play charades again sometime, while allowing for conversations to continue in a quieter area of the kitchen or dining room. RSVP to Laura, lwlaura@yahoo.com or 986-0879 (8am-9pm only). Sa 3/27, 7:00pm @ Crescent Sangha House - 351 Santa Clara Ave

Movie Night at First Congo 12 Angry Men (1957). How does a person stand up for their convictions in the face of seemingly incontrovertible evidence? In the face of anger and stress? This film stars Henry Fonda in a great performance and is unique in presenting the story using no names and occurring almost exclusively in one location - a jury deliberation room. Movie nights are the 2nd Friday of each month and are free. Optional discussion afterwards. Fr 3/12, 7:00pm, First Congregational Church of Oakland, 2501 Harrison St @ 27th, in the Chapel. Dawn 625-1209 damaraz@juno.com

Oakland Tenants Union Monthly Meeting OTU helps tenants in their dealings with landlords and the city bureaucracies, and also keeps an eye on the operation of the city agencies and City Council proposals that may affect tenants' rights. 2nd Monday every month. For tenant counseling, call 763-0142. Mo 3/8, 7:00pm @ Community Room, Madison Park Apts., 100 9th Street (across 9th St. from Lake Merritt BART station; to enter, knock gently on window to right of main entrance). Dave K. 763-3515 http://www.oaklandtenantsunion.org/

Orion's Special Edition of the Joy Of Jazz Listen to "Smokin" Jazz and Latin Jazz Quartet with Orion on Drums, Chuck Metcalf who played with Anita Oday and Dexter Gordon on bass and Albert Yamanoha on Keys with Special NYC Sax player and guest Music director who has played with Tito Puente, Lionel Hampton, Buddy Rich, Hampton Hawes, Joe Henderson, Bob Minzner among so many others. Every Monday of the Week. Discussion of Jazz on the breaks. Mo 3/1, 7:30-10:30pm @ Park Ave Bar and Grill, 4184 Piedmont Ave @ Linda Ave. Orion 541 3835 orion_orion99@yahoo.com check out orion links at ecovillage510.org

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Peace Rally & March March 20 is the 7th anniversary of the war of aggression launched by Bush and Cheney against Iraq. Afghanistan has had a USA military experience for over 8 years. What in the world are we still doing there? Bring your self, signs, and solidarity. To go in with LMNOP, arrive at Macarthur BART between 10:15-10:25, go through the turnstile at 10:30. Rally starts at Civic Center Plaza at 11:00. Sa 3/20, 10:15am @ Macarthur BART. Laura 986-0879

T'ai Chi Chih & Meditation 30 minutes of follow-along T'ai Chi Chih (19 movements each done 9 times with stillness in between; 1/2 the movements done in a given week; easy to follow and learn) and then about 30 minutes of silent meditation which ends with a loving-kindness practice and dedication. Donations accepted. Weekly on Wednesdays, 10:30-11:30am @ Crescent Sangha House - 351 Santa Clara Ave. Enter through gate with white "X" on Santa Clara Ave. Paul Ciske 832-5725 paulciske@sbcglobal.net

** Leaning Tower of Pizza, 498 Wesley (@ Brooklyn), 444-6824 *** CSH-Crescent Sangha House, 351 Santa Clara Ave (@ Crescent)