



## OCTOBER IS FOR CUTTING!

This month we will be cutting the clumps we grew at the trail garden in the buffer rows. This year we had 3 full beds and hopefully we grew some great tubers. These tubers will be used along with donations for our tuber sales in the spring. Please bring some cutting tools and we will be glad to show those who do not know how to cut, just how to do it.

Don Filand will also be telling us a little bit about why we might want to try taking seed this year and how to do it. Taking seed is super fun and next summer the surprises are endless.

Refreshments will be furnished by the Schroeders who are also celebrating their birthdays this month. Thanks!!!

Ken will have tickets to sell for our raffle. There could be some surprising items to raffle this month too!

Hope to see you all on Monday., Oct 19th, 7:00PM at the Fircrest Community Center— 555 Contra Costa , Fircrest.

## SAY A PRAYER

Please say a prayer for Lonnie Sperring who has been in the hospital for about a week. He is seriously ill with kidney problems and an infection that the doctors cannot seem to pin down.

Lynnie has been at his side the whole time and she also could use a prayer and kind thoughts .

### Elections

Next month we have elections at our regular meeting. Please call Marilyn at 253-564-0459 to get your name on the ballot. Our nomination committee has not heard from anyone so far. Or you can email me at walton50@msn.com GET INVOLVED!!! IT IS FUN!!!!



Our Trial Garden crew!  
Don Filand, Noni Morrison and Ken Walton all hard at work. Thanks to them, we have completed another successful season. Thanks for all the help!!!

The trial garden will be cut down in October and the beds will be readied for another great year in 2016.

Clump Auction at our regular meeting in November! Be sure to keep something +special+ to have auctioned! This is also a great way to pick up several of the tubers you have on your wish-list!