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Winter Harvest

salads for all seasons

Can we in northern places feed ourselves year-round from our own gardens and unheated greenhouses? How about on a commercial basis? That's exactly what a group of Creston gardeners, greenhouse operators and food lovers are finding out with their Winter Harvest experiment. Join them, and a few of their friends, to learn the secrets of a successful winter harvest.

Extending the Seasons with Permaculture

with Gregoire Lamoureux, permaculture designer, consultant and teacher

This presentation will focus on how to use permaculture principles and techniques to look at your land and create or increase microclimates and many other strategies to extend the seasons and produce food in the winter.

Renewable Energy Solutions with Jennifer Stephenson of Jenergy Technologies

Sun! Wind! Water! Which of these can help energize your greenhouse, or, your green house? This presentation will give an overview of the practicality (or not!) of these renewable energy technologies. Learn how and why Invermere developed their community greenhouse using Annualized GeoSolar technology.

A Season Like no Other with the Winter Harvest Team

This moderated panel discussion will reveal the successes and challenges the Creston winter harvest project participants have experienced over the past year, including: creating your winter harvest environment, plant selection and seed sourcing, plant care, watering, dealing with pests, and more.

Saturday, February 27, 2010

9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Trinity United Church, 128 – 10th Avenue N., Creston

Fee: \$20 (includes lunch)

Advance registration only @ College of the Rockies: 250-428-5332 (or your local COTR campus) or mail to College of the Rockies, Box 1978, 301 – 16th Avenue S., Creston, BC V0B 1G0.

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