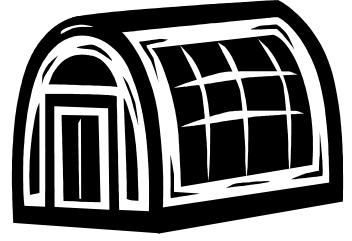


# WILLITS CHARTER SCHOOL GARDEN UPDATE

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*CHECK US OUT ON [willitsgardens.com](http://willitsgardens.com)!*

We have finished the Olive Tree hole and now need someone to donate one! We are trying to get the greenhouse skinned. Let us know via email or phone or in person if and when you can help. Let Carol 459-5506 or Paula 972-7789 know what you have to offer!

**WE NEED MORE SOIL!** Anyone with a truck and time to go to Potter Valley? There is free soil waiting for us there! We also need folks (with skill saws & drills) to help build more beds and a seed bench & table for greenhouse, and more 2"x12"s for outside beds (4'x10'). We will need volunteers to do the summer watering. Perhaps families could take on a week during the summer when they can do the watering and any harvesting! Most likely we will have the automatic watering system up by mid-summer. Sign up in the office!

## IMMEDIATE GARDEN NEEDS:

- \*2"x12" wood for 4 (4'x10') beds
- \*1 8' metal gate pole
- \*1 redwood 4"x4"x6' post
- \*SOIL
- \*Knee or kneeling pads
- \*8'-wide metal gate (lightweight)
- \*Green house crew
- \*TRUCKS TO PICK UP SOIL(see above)
- \*Hand weeding tools
- \*harvest scissors & baskets
- \*8 5 ½' studded tee fence posts
- \*sand for greenhouse floor
- \*1 or 2 OLIVE TREES
- \*Calendula & edible flowers
- \*non-rusting wire for grape vines
- \*3-4 Watering cans
- \*bricks (used is fine)for g.h .floor
- \*TABLE GRAPE VINES(~6)!

Anyone wishing to donate or lend tools and supplies (they count toward your volunteer hours-\$10=1 hr.), or get your parent volunteer hours put in please bring them to the school or contact **Paula Geroux, at 972-7789** or [paula@ancestorradiocom](mailto:paula@ancestorradiocom)! Please make sure the donations are strong—"gardens from scratch" are hard on tools! School is almost out, so we will have weekly volunteers to come water, harvest and weed. If you can help we are still missing some volunteers for mid summer. The sign-up sheet is in the office. I will try and come once a week and check up on things!