Master Composter November 7, 2022 NEWSLETTER



Rainbow after last week's showers

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Weekly Recap

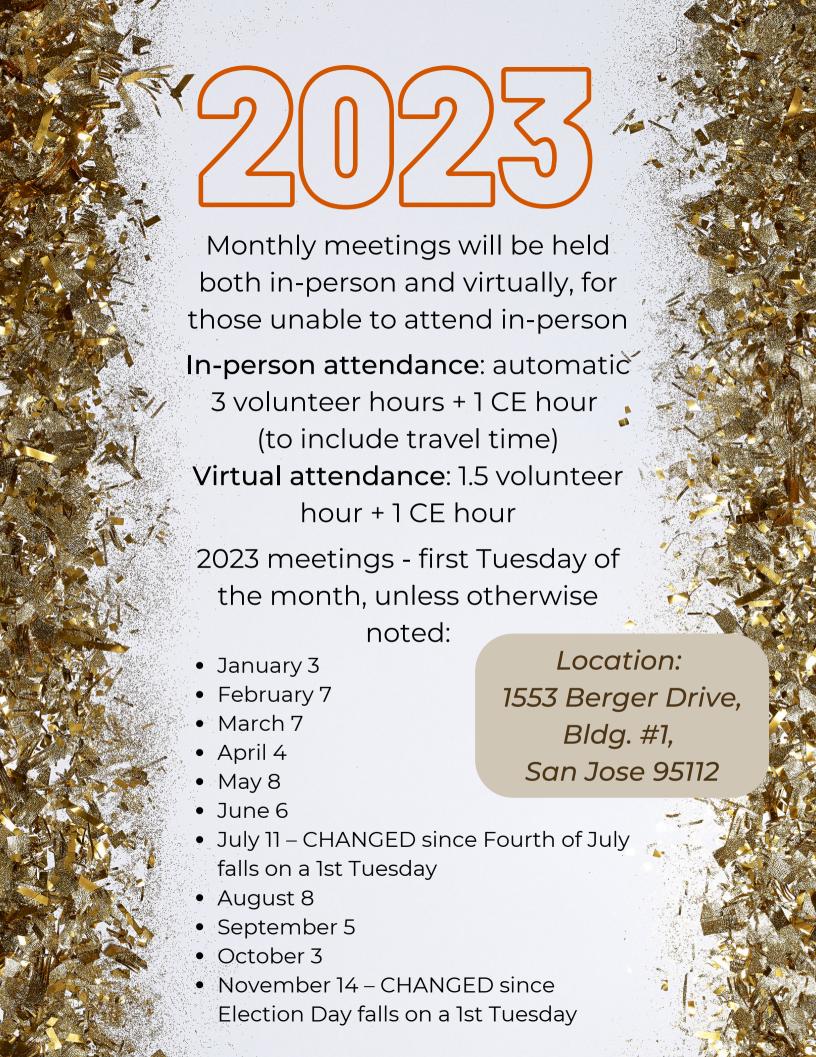
Last week, we had our monthly meeting with CE speaker
Stephanie Mar and Cole. The recording is now online. Please read on for more announcements and updates from the meeting if you did not attend. Huge thank you to Bridget Matz for teaching the Morgan Hill workshop and visiting 3 schools within a week!
You're a rockstar!

Monthly Meeting Recap

November 1, 2022



- Please RSVP for the November 19th end-of-theyear celebration lunch at MCP (here)
- There is no December meeting! Enjoy your holidays!
- Hybrid meetings starting in January to take place at the office - more information on the next page
- The 2023 workshop schedule is available!
 You can use the same link as always to <u>sign</u> <u>up for a workshop</u> (<u>here</u>)
- Bring your rotting pumpkins to MCP if you aren't composting them yourself!
- For more:
 - Watch the recording of our meeting (including the CE speaker) (here)
 - Read through the agenda (here)



MCP Updates

- Reminder: You are always welcome to bring your organic waste to MCP and add it to a system (worm or backyard) if you have no way of composting it at home. Please just weigh it or otherwise record what you bring.
- Pumpkin Drive!!
 - Bring your carved up pumpkins after
 Halloween to compost at Martial Cottle Park!
 Collect them from your neighbors, your family,
 whoever & bring them out to MCP on a
 Wednesday workday or drop them off into the
 green waste toter on your own time
- Upcoming workdays
 - November 19, 10am to 12pm Rajat Srivastava
 - Wednesday mornings, 9am to 12pm
- Wednesdays with Maya & Jenel:
 - Last week: thunderstorm fun; worm harvest, turning piles
 - This week: pumpkin composting; whatever the weather allows!



Programming:

Dates to add to your calendar

November 19

End-of-the-year celebration at MCP!

Join us for the last MCP workday of the year from 10am to 12pm, then stay for the lunch and celebration from 12:30pm to 2:30pm. We will provide pizza and beverages, but you are welcome to bring appetizers or desserts to share if you'd like.

RSVP here:

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*Articles are hyperlinked at the bottom of each box

As Other Global Crises Collide, Nations Converge to Address Climate Change -COP₂₇

The New York Times

Words matter in food freshness, safety messaging

Science Daily Cornell University

60% of home 'compostable' plastic doesn't fully break down, ending up in our soil

<u>EurekAlert</u> <u>Frontiers in Sustainability</u>



