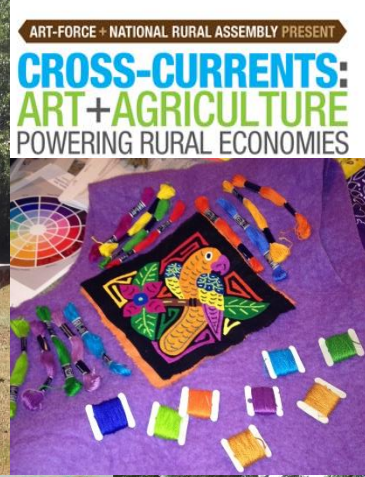
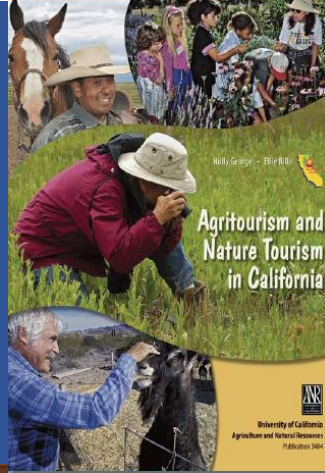


Creative Connections Contribute to Community Vitality

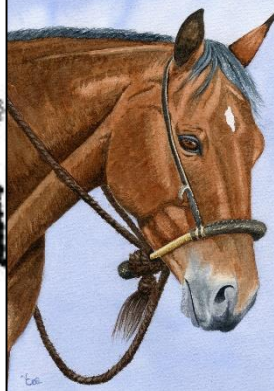
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2014 was 12th Annual

EAGLES & AGRICULTURE

CARSON VALLEY NEVADA



SIERRA VALLEY Barns, Birds, & Barbecue



**Friday, June 16th and
Saturday, June 17th, 2006**

Calpine Community Park, Calpine

Friday: Farmer's Market at Sierra Valley Farms, Open House
Sierra Valley Native Plant/Wildflower Walk, FRLT's Maddalena Ranch
Picnic Dinner, FRLT's Maddalena Ranch
Sunset Bird Watch, Roberti Ranch

Saturday: Farm Tours include the Roberti Ranch, the Goss Ranch,
the Bar One Ranch, the Harvey Ranch and Infiniti Farms

The Saturday Marketplace will be open to the public from 11 am - 6 pm
The Marketplace will feature many local artisans and artists; demonstrations:
cowboy poetry; music; food and an afternoon of family fun!

For Tickets call: (530) 832-0230

Pricing and Event Details: www.sierravalleybarns.com



February 25-27, 2005 Carson Valley Eagles
and Agriculture Tour
Call 800-727-7677 to register

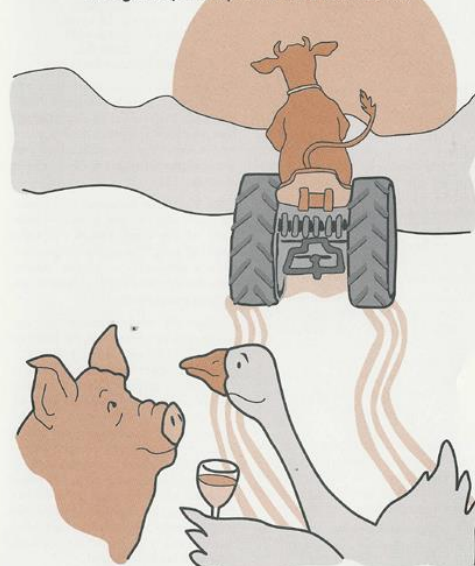


Bird Nevada First



COMBINES, BOVINES & FINE WINES

"Plan to spend a day on an exclusive journey
through California's premier rural destinations"



Sierra Valley Farm & Garden Fest - Early May



Organized by Sierra Valley Grange
Provides local gardeners, small farmers and wannabes with mountain climate related growing solutions, resources & DIY projects.





Wormfarm Institute

<http://wormfarminstitute.org/>

CULTURESHED (kul'cher-shed)n.

- 1) A geographic region irrigated by streams of local talent and fed by deep pools of human and natural history.
- 2) An area nourished by what is cultivated locally.
- 3) The efforts of writers, performers, visual artists, scholars, farmers, and chefs who contribute to a vital and diverse local culture.

Dedicated to integrating culture & agriculture, an evolving laboratory of the arts and ecology and fertile ground for creative work. Planting a seed, cultivating, reaping what you sow - both farmer & artist share these activities.



Farm/Art Dtour

Combines Art + Ag + Local Food



2014 Farm/Art DTour Map

fermentationfest.com

ROUTE MARKER



These horizontal signs will guide you along the DTour. For best results: go in numerical order and respect private property. Keep your eyes peeled for the unexpected and enjoy!

SLOW



When you see the yellow DTour signs, slow down and use caution. A stop is coming up within 200 yards. Find a safe place to pull onto the shoulder.

STOP



You've arrived at a DTour stop! The number on the sign corresponds with the stops listed below. Again, please use caution.

OFFSHOOT



These horizontal signs will guide you to our "Offshoot" stops (Map Stops No. 23 and 30). These stops are located a little way off the official DTour route, but are worth the trip!

POP-UP



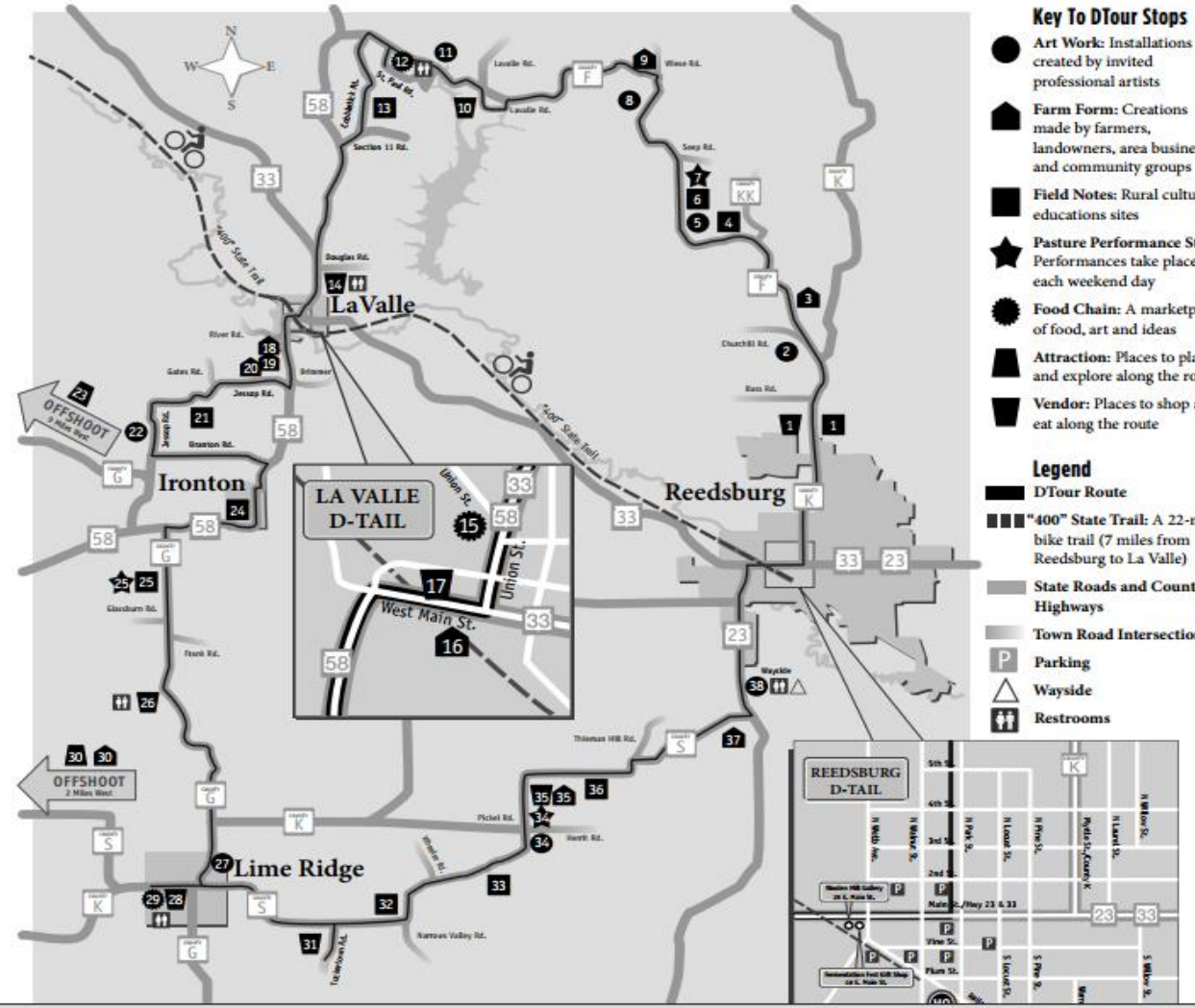
Watch for these yellow flags along the route. They mark interesting pop-up roadside vendors, attractions and events.

Key To DTour Stops

- Art Work: Installations created by invited professional artists
- Farm Form: Creations made by farmers, landowners, area businesses and community groups
- Field Notes: Rural culture education sites
- ★ Pasture Performance Stage: Performances take place here each weekend day
- Food Chain: A marketplace of food, art and ideas
- Attraction: Places to play and explore along the route
- Vendor: Places to shop and eat along the route

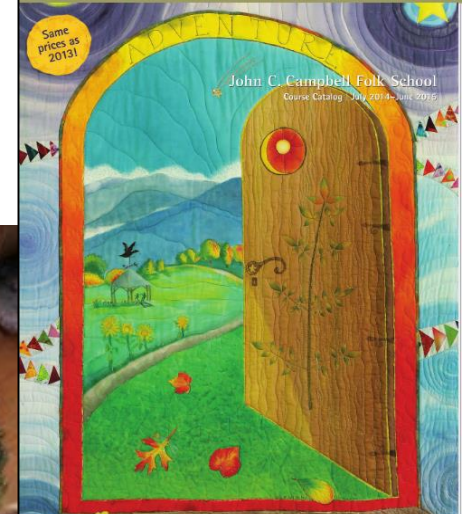
Legend

- DTour Route
- "400" State Trail: A 22-mile bike trail (7 miles from Reedsburg to La Valle)
- State Roads and County Highways
- Town Road Intersections
- P Parking
- △ Wayside
- Restrooms



Folk Schools

Build on Fair University



**Inspiring the hands,
the heart & the mind.**
Click here to see a sampling of
courses just around the corner.
*Pictured here: Traditional Seat Caning
for the Vintage Chair*



People with varying interests are given a chance to
come together through song, art, nature, gardening,
cooking, storytelling and writing.





Cultivates dialogue between artists, farmers, and the community to raise awareness of the importance of preserving farmlands & the visual arts in Yolo County



"Everybody needs beauty as well as bread." ~John Muir



ArtFARM 2014

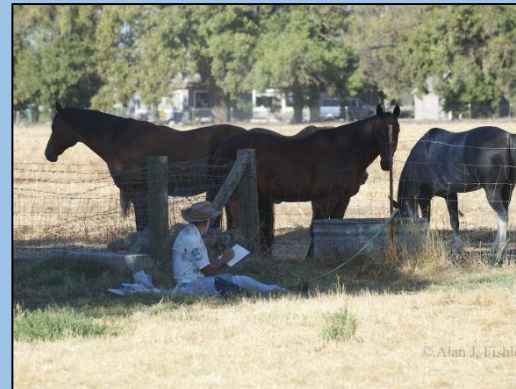
OCTOBER 3 - Art Farm Juried Exhibition Opening Reception 5:30-8:30pm
Gallery 625 625 Court St (Erwin Meier Admin Building) Woodland
Featuring the artwork of over 65 regional artists! Meet & Greet guest juror, Greg Kondos

NOVEMBER 7 - ART FARM HARVEST GALA 5:30-8:00pm
709 Main Street Woodland (Former Daily Democrat print shop)
Dig in and Harvest an original work of art rooted in Yolo county!
Featuring:
Premier Food Vendor Cache Creek Casino Resort
"Small Bites", wine & beer tastings from over 20 local farms, restaurants, wineries & breweries
Juried Prize awards presented by Greg Kondos
NEW! People's Choice Award for favorite Art Harvest Artwork
Live Music by Plainfield Pickers
Silent Art Auction

WINE AND FOOD TICKETS : \$25 in advance/ \$30 at the door
(Includes entrance for one, food, wine and event glasses)

SHOVEL TICKETS \$150
"Shovel" to harvest original work of art, entrance for two, food, wine and event glasses

TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE



ArtFul Plate commissions art of California artists for reproduction on a series of dinner plates to be sold at county restaurants with a seasonal, locally sourced meal. Participating artists and restaurants will be chosen from a county-wide "call" emphasizing Yolo County art and locally produced food; **offering a means for residents and visitors to "have their Art and Ag and eat it too."**



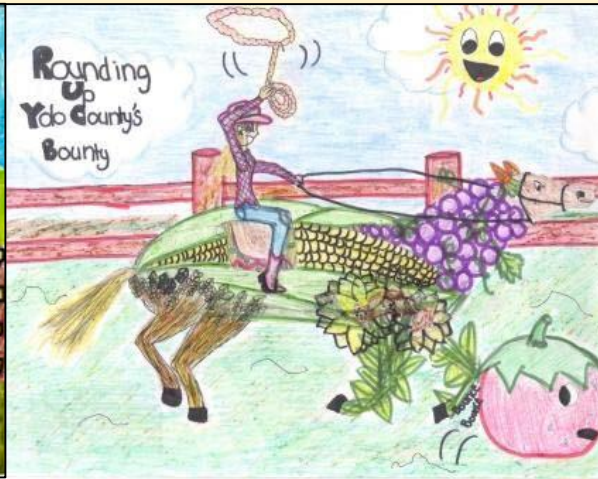
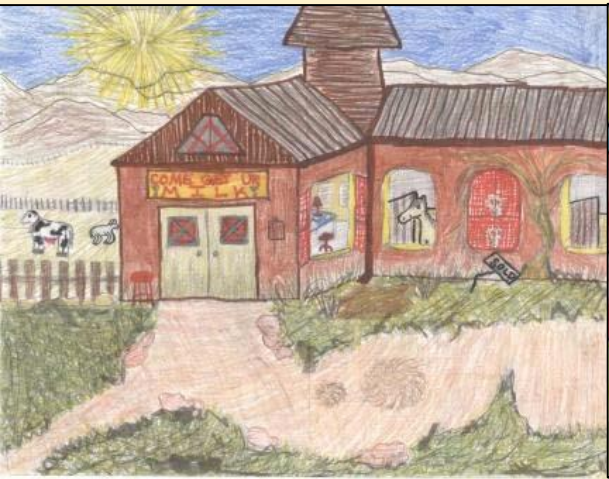
Recognized by the National Endowment of the Arts as a model program for "creative placemaking" - and has earned an ArtPlace grant for using the arts to "increase community vibrancy".



Seeding Art for Change

Connects youth to their agricultural communities

Students visit a local working farm & draw inspiration to create art from their visit.



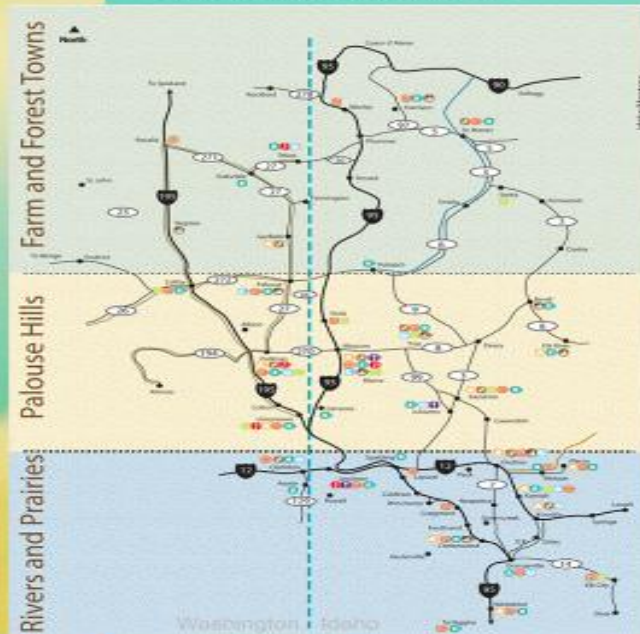
Ag in the Classroom			
2014 National Ag Week Art Contest Winners			
Kindergarten 1 st Place Winner Ximena Hernandez Esparto K-8 2 nd Place Alejandro Piao Esparto K-8 3 rd Place Luis Kiano Zamora Elementary 4 th Place Olivia Ayaso Zamora Elementary			First Grade 1 st Place Winner Jessica Hernandez Esparto K-8 2 nd Place Madeleine Brader Zamora Elementary 3 rd Place Ava Cassidy Waggoner Elementary 4 th Place Anaya Santana Merrill Elementary
Second Grade 1 st Place Winner Gabriel Lopez Esparto K-8 2 nd Place Ana Sotelo Zamora Elementary 3 rd Place Emma Murdoch Whithead Elementary 4 th Place Sergio Vasquez Esparto K-8		Third Grade 1 st Place Winner David Cisneros Jr. Sol-Tech 2 nd Place Anna Sotelo Kereselas Elementary 3 rd Place Mahayla Caswell Robert E. Willett Elementary 4 th Place Jayden Gonzalez Cibola Elementary	
Fifth Grade 1 st Place Winner Hulan Huang Zamora Elementary 2 nd Place Timothy Hunter Cibola Elementary 3 rd Place Esteban Ruiz Pioneer Elementary 4 th Place Cartho Szymanski Ruidro Elementary		Sixth Grade 1 st Place Winner Catherine Damm Plainfield Elementary 2 nd Place Aidan Coghlan Birds Lake Elementary 3 rd Place Abigail Moreno Cibola Elementary 4 th Place Lisa Garcia Whithead Elementary	
Fourth Grade 1 st Place Winner Ada Trujillo Esparto K-8 2 nd Place Marcos Mitchell Tufino Elementary 3 rd Place Claire Hays Pioneer Elementary 4 th Place Tereyue Mitchell Cibola Elementary			

Art is part of Annual Crop Report

2°NW
Where Art Meets the Land

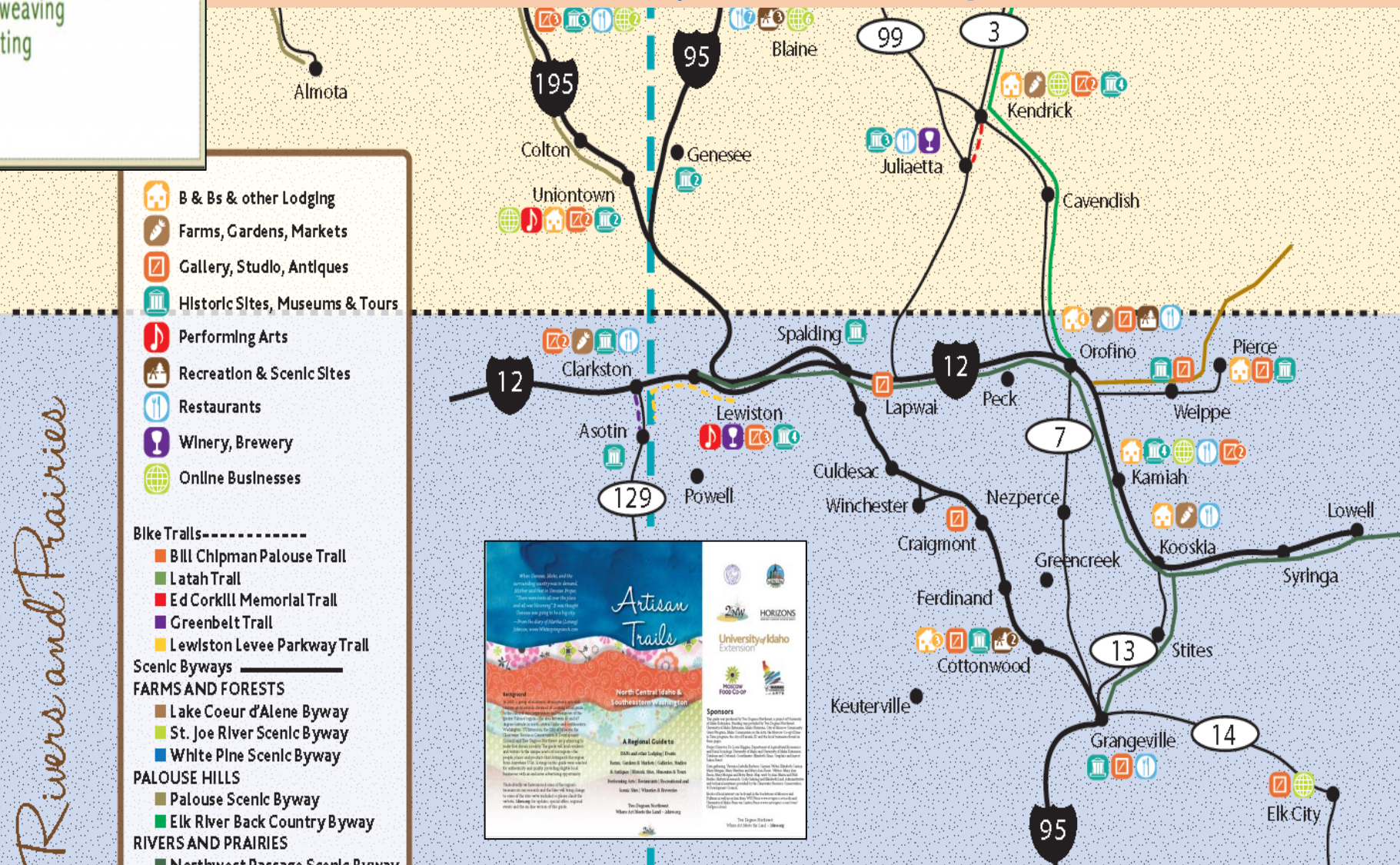
University of Idaho
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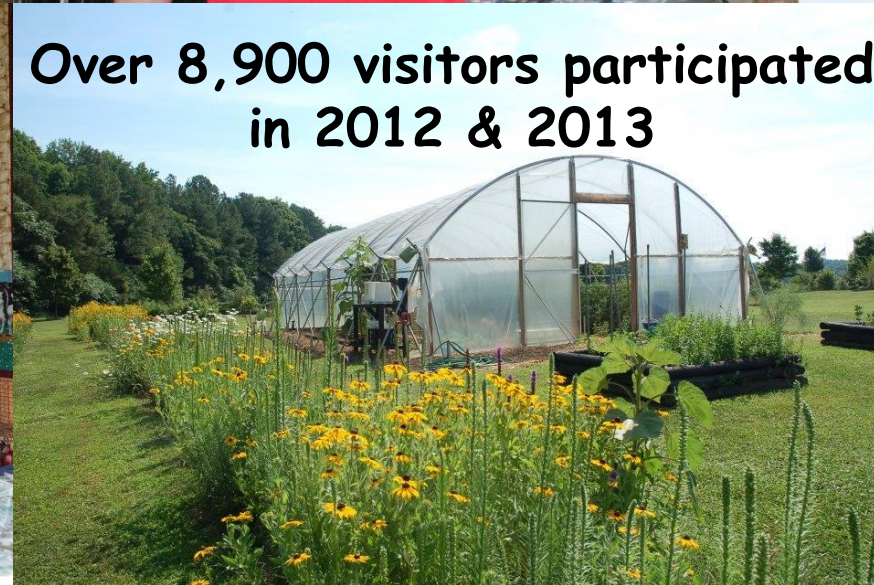
Two Degrees Northwest: 208-888-1430, higginc@uidaho.edu

<http://2dnw.org/>



Rivers and Prairies

Support & create opportunities for art and food-based economic development; to cooperatively market the region's artists and artisans; and other locally made products such as foods, wines, unique sites, services, and experiences



Over 8,900 visitors participated
in 2012 & 2013



The **Ag + Art Tour**, a free, self-guided tour of South Carolina's Catawba Region's Farms featuring local artisans & farmer's markets. Weekend-long event to see first-hand where your food comes from, watch artists in action and purchase their works, dance to the melodies of bluegrass and folksongs, and learn more about rural life.



VISIT CHESTER
COUNTY FARMS
AND ARTISANS



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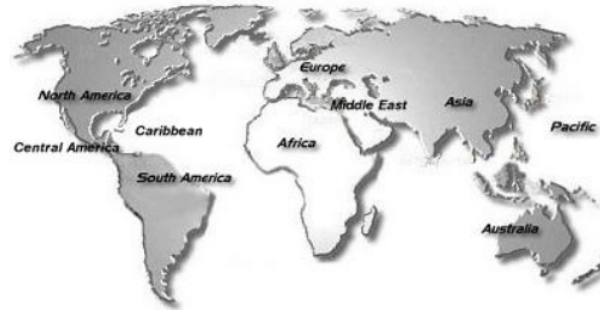
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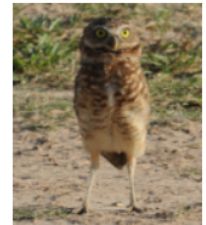
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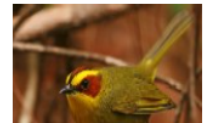
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Birding Pal is well established as the global website for traveling birders to contact local birders, and where you can meet visitors who are traveling from around the world.

You can find information about birdwatching and someone to go with.

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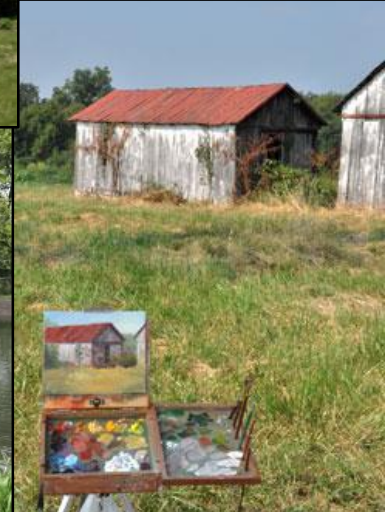
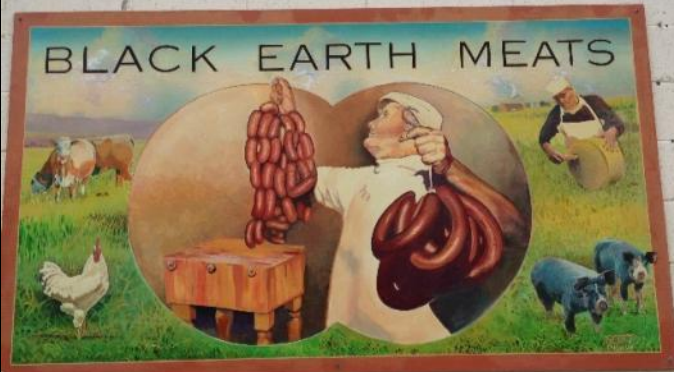
What IF.... We did Something Similar
but focus on Connect & Create
Across Plumas-Sierra?

Connect + Create
Rally + Recreate
Educate + Eat
Agriculture + Arts
Triumph Together
Economic Wellbeing
Support & Share

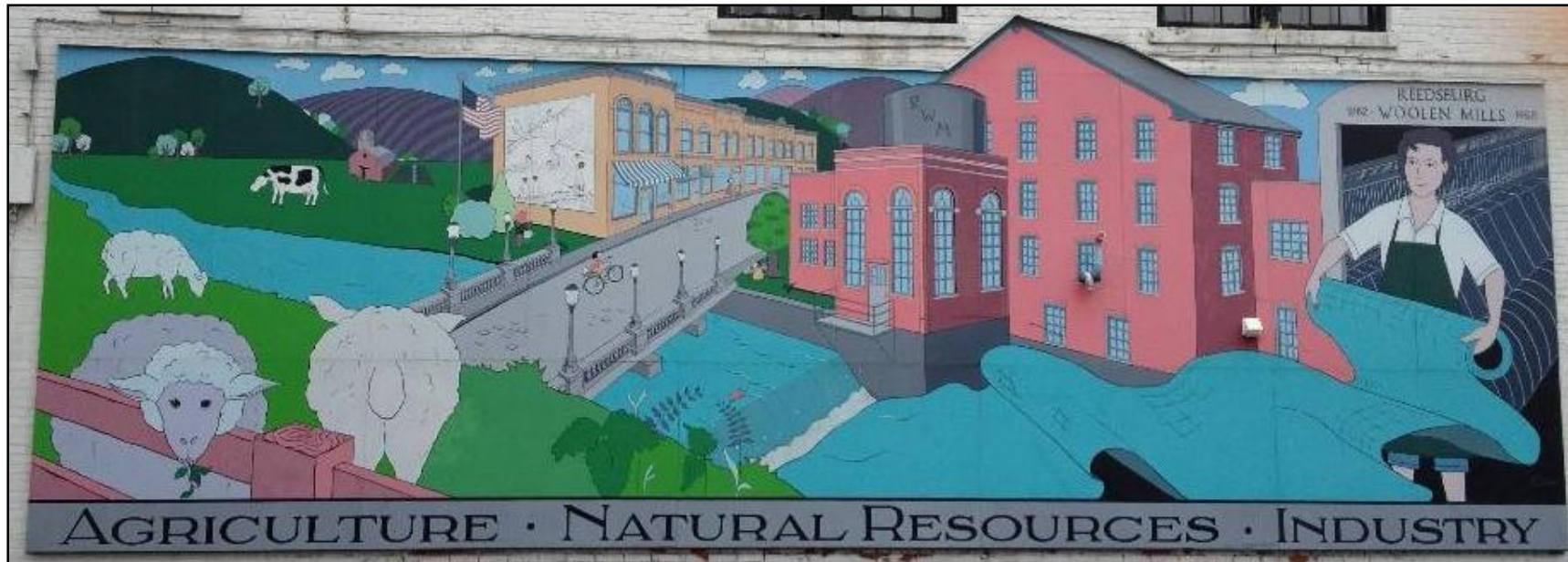
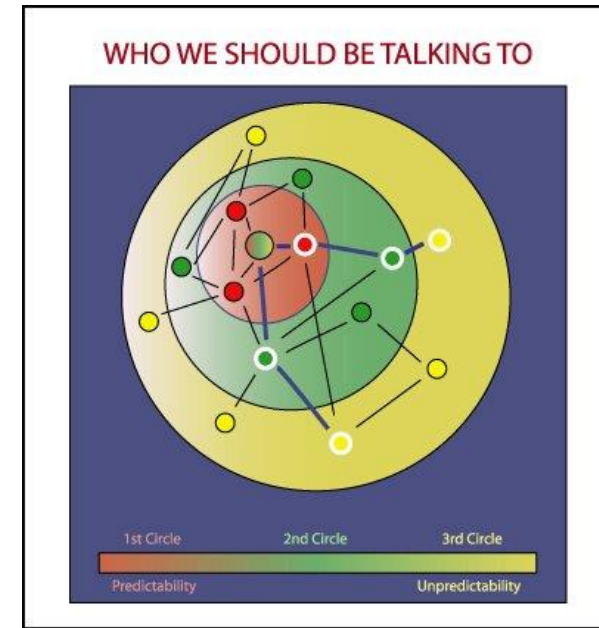
Possible
Blend of
Community
Connections
and Plumas
Arts

Means for Individual to find other Individuals
and/or Groups to Hike, Paint, Garden, etc.

WHAT is in OUR Community ?



Jot Down Assets







Abundant Colorful Opportunities

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