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Free Gardening Class October 24

(Woodland, CA) – In honor of National Food Day, the Hanna & Herbert Bauer Memorial Community Garden is hosting a free gardening class entitled "Mini Greenhouses for Winter Gardening", on Monday, October 24 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.

In this class, participants get to make their own small greenhouse out of plastic food containers and plant winter vegetables to take home. The class will also include tips on growing winter vegetables and how to transfer plants into a garden from the greenhouse. A UC Master Gardener of Yolo will teach the class.

Each year National Food Day is celebrated on October 24th. Food Day inspires Americans to change their diets and food policies for the better. You can learn more about food day by visiting <u>www.foodday.org</u>. Participating in community garden activities, such as this class, is one way that residents can celebrate local, fresh food, and learn skills to grow fresh produce at home.

The class is free to all but pre-registration is required by October 21. To register, contact Rebecca Tryon at (530) 666-8640 or <u>rebecca.tryon@yolocounty.org</u>. The garden is located on the west side of the Yolo County Health and Human Services Agency Bauer Building, 137 N. Cottonwood Street, in Woodland. In the event of steady rain, the class will be cancelled.

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