



CHRYSALIS UPDATE

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Chrysalis Membership—What Does It Mean?

Are you a Chrysalis member? Or a supporter? And what's the difference? As Chrysalis Biodynamic Agricultural Learning Center begins its second year and in the new status of a 501(c)3 entity, these questions will take on new meaning. You are invited to provide feedback to these questions by attending the next meeting, Wed.

Oct 9, 5-6:30 pm, at the farm. This is the last meeting that will fall on a distribution day. We'll also be deciding our winter (indoor) meeting day and time. Please come participate in this important discussion. If you can't attend, then share your ideas with Anne.

Benefit Concert—and missing newsletter

Did you miss the September newsletter? Unfortunately, our newsletter editor was focused on creating the Benefit Concert program and couldn't get out the September edition. But 2.5 pages of the 24 page program feature Chrysalis info. A preview is included in this newsletter.

And a few more tickets remain for the Concert on Sunday, Oct. 6, 7:30 pm. Andrea Moreno Beals, who is a former apprentice, is a key member of one of the groups performing, Breathe Owl Breathe. This is a not to be missed performance of two great Michigan musical groups. Call the farm to reserve your ticket or go to www.theark.org to purchase. All proceeds of this concert will directly benefit the Community Farm of Ann Arbor.

Help Needed

Chrysalis needs people with time, talent, and creativity as we grow. Here are a few ways you can help:

- Research possible grant opportunities ("crawl" the web for us looking for info)
- Interview people for newsletter articles
- Staff info booths at farmer markets and food events
- Plan our "coming out" event for spring

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Apprentices at Community Farm of Ann Arbor found this Monarch butterfly chrysalis during harvest. CFAA's new educational arm, Chrysalis Biodynamic Agriculture Learning Center nurtures the young and new also, through field trips, apprenticeships, study groups, and classes.

Donations further the educational mission of the farm. Check out their info table or see www.chrysalisbd.org.



Talk to Anne if you are interested or have questions about how you can help Chrysalis and the farm.

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