

Orange Jacket Update

International Agri-Center® & World Ag Expo® Volunteer Newsletter

April 2021

World Ag Expo® Updates

April is Trees and Vines Month!

This month we're highlighting Exhibitors in the Trees & Vines sector. If it's a fruit or nut growing on a tree or vine, World Ag Expo® Online Exhibitors have a product, service, or expert information to help you! Check out these product categories today:

<https://bit.ly/WAE21Online>.



2021 Toyota Tundra Giveaway

This is your last chance to buy World Ag Expo® Toyota Tundra Giveaway Tickets for a chance to win a 2021 Toyota Tundra!

Ticket Info:

Tickets are \$5.00 each OR Five tickets for \$20.00. You may purchase a ticket by one of the following:

- 1.) Purchase a ticket at the Holiday Boutique, 1772 W. Bullard, Fresno, CA
- 2.) Purchase a ticket from a Valley Children's Guild Member
- 3.) Purchase a ticket at one of the participating Central Valley Toyota Dealerships
- 4.) Call the Guild office of Valley Children's at 559-353-7145

Drawing Date:

Friday, April 30, 2021.

Questions?

Email the Guilds of Valley Children's Healthcare at guilds@valleychildrens.org.

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A 2021 TOYOTA TUNDRA
Benefiting Valley
Children's Healthcare

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TO BUY TICKETS!



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International Agri-Center® Updates

The Big Tulare Swap-O-Rama Comes to the International Agri-Center®

Cars, parts, motorcycles, and more will be for sale at The Big Tulare Swap-O-Rama at the International Agri-Center® on Saturday, May 1, 2021. The auto-focused swap meet will be held on the International Agri-Center® show grounds in Tulare with gates opening at 7:30 a.m. to the public. Tickets are \$10 per person and children 12 and under are free; tickets are sold at the gate. Attendee parking is free and available by entering Gate D from Laspina Street.

The new event, produced by the International Agri-Center®, fills a gap left by similar car swap meets cancelled due to COVID-19.

“From just an idea a few months back, Swap-O-Rama has really turned into a swap meet we plan on producing twice a year,” said Jim Holguin, car enthusiast and Sponsorship Manager at the International Agri-Center®. “Cancellation of major swap meets in the state gave us an opportunity to put this swap meet together in a short time. We tried to think of everything from the vendor side to the attendee to make it a success for everyone. The local car community has been very supportive and several vendors from out of state too. We are looking forward to seeing everyone May 1st in Tulare!”

Attendees can enjoy outdoor shopping, food, and vintage cars and motorcycles. Vendors will be selling tires, parts, cars, custom creations, vintage signs, gas pumps, and more. The event is the perfect place to find parts for vintage or classic cars and motorcycles or buy a classic car in the Borderline Classics Car Corral.

The Swap-O-Rama is set to host 600 spaces on 480,000 square feet of show space. The event will take place on the west side of the International Agri-Center® grounds, immediately behind the Heritage Complex. The Borderline Classics Car Corral will be on the cement lot to the south of the Heritage Complex building.

The Swap-O-Rama will be following common sense COVID-19 safety guidelines which include mask wearing and social distancing. If attendees are not feeling well the day of the show, they are encouraged to stay home.

For more information, please visit: <https://events.internationalagricenter.com/public-events/the-big-tulare-swap-o-rama/>.



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Celebrations, Prayers, Condolences

Staff News

IAC's Sponsorship Manager Jim Holguin hosts a booth at the Selma Swap Meet to recruit and promote the Tulare Swap-O-Rama. Mark your calendars for May 1!



Board Member Change

Board Member Brian Watte is termed off the International Agri-Center® Board. Brian has been a member of the board for many years, and has served in various officer positions, including board president. Thank you Brian for many years of hard work and service!



Dan Khal presents Brian Watte a plaque for his service at the board meeting.

We want to hear from you!

This newsletter is about volunteers and IAC activities. We want you to share any news you have with the community. If you have a new baby or grandbaby, wedding, anniversary, retirement, loss of a loved one, or someone we can keep in our prayers, please let us know so we can include it in our newsletter!

Please contact Theresa Luci with any volunteer news at 559.688.1030 or theresa@farmshow.org.

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APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Jerome Allen
Bobbi Jo Amaral
Denise Athy
Bob Barnier
Debra Beavers
Julie Belt
Brendan Black
Richard Borders
Lynnda Boswell
Mike Brazil
Kelley Cabello
Gary Carter
Alice Cesena
Linda Chapin
Hai-Rou Chu
Judy Clark
Joey Costamagna
Ingrid Cuffe
Renato DeAquino
John Dominges
Tom Donwen
Jane DuPlessis
Nestor Espinoza
Toni Marie Faria
Pat Ferre
Kathy Finn
Alicia Flores
Stormy Fralick
Chris Fusano
Lisa Garcia
Dusti Gardiner
Larry Gilson
Ashlyn Gomez
Sara Gonzales
Linda Grabowski

Mary Graham
Michael Green
Renee Hamilton
Laura Hanson
Ronald Harris
Karolyn Healon
Jeannine Hinman
Cynthia "CC" Hodges
Woody Hogan
Sue Howarth
Greg Hughan
Allen Ishida
Breann Janes
Dane Jones
Michelle Khal
Melissa Klassen
Elaine Kuper
Marcia Lack
Bruce Livingston
Diego Lucatero
Brenda Martin
Michelle Martin
Robert Martinho Hernandez
Judy Mason
Peter McManus
Shirley Mello
Garrett Miller
Marshall Munoz
Kirk Myers
Puteri Nabila Marfa
Alice Nanamura
Denise Nelson
Steve Nelson
Maria "Mary" Nieto

Kerry Nimitz
Yolanda O'Connor
Jim O'Donohoe
Raymond Oldfield
Rosemary Orosco
Mike Pace
Victor Pacheco
Alan Parker,
Darryl Patterson
Pat Phillips
Nancy Pitigliano
Scott Ritchie
Scott Rogers
Fernando Roman
Carl Ross
Deborah Sa
Dhruv Sharma
Kathleen Sims
Robert Smith
Tina Sparlin
John Stewart
Marilyn Stewart
Larry Stoneburner M.D.
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Joyce Suey
Joseph Torrez
Carleen Triecsh
Marco Vaca
Rosemary Valero
Sara Zanini
Paulo Zuirta