



Slow Food Cycle Sunday

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GET WARMED UP FOR ENJOYING LOCAL FOOD AT THE ANYTHING GROWS FORUM

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You've done the bike ride, now it's time to sit back and consider. Then it will be time to get on the bike again...

The Slow Food Cycle Sunday Society brings you another opportunity to explore the future of food in Whistler and Pemberton, this time from the comfort of a seat at Millennium Place. On August 14th 2008 at 7pm join us for Anything Grows: The Future of Food in Whistler and Pemberton.

Moderated by GD Maxwell, the evening brings together everyone who has an interest in food on the subject of our local food system. Is it growing? Is it working? What now?

Against the backdrop of Whistler's 2020 Food Sustainability Plan we will examine the reality of what it takes to ensure a safe, secure food source.

Anything Grows is a free event. Come with your questions, comments and concerns. Leave with a desire to form an abattoir co-op, become a food activist and grow your own lettuce.

The Slow Food Cycle Sunday Society is an organization devoted to the promotion of local food, farming and farmland. The flagship event is Slow Food Cycle Sunday, to be held this year on August 17, 2008: an annual free community bike ride up and down the Pemberton Meadows Road, a farming hotbed less than 30 miles from Whistler. In 2007 the Society produced the first edition of the Pemberton Almanac, a guide to living, eating and growing in the Pemberton area, with the second edition due out in 2009. Anything Grows has been made possible by a grant from the Community Foundation of Whistler. Slow Food Cycle Sunday is supported by local government, The Pemberton Valley Supermarket, the Pemberton Farmer's Institute and by local growers, eaters and appreciators...

For more information and to suggest speakers please contact Anna Helmer at annahelmer@hotmail.com or leave a message at 604-966-8460.

More information on Slow Food Cycle Sunday can be found at www.slowfoodcyclesunday.com.