June 25, 2007

Dear Seeds of Change students--

Welcome to Evergreen! We are exited that you have chosen to join us in Seeds of Change: Food, Culture and Work. We want to give you advance notice of some dates for Fall Quarter. We will be sending you a longer letter with guiding questions of the program, some information on ourselves, and a book list in mid-August.

In the meantime here is our typical weekly schedule:

Monday: 9-noon lecture, 1-3pm seminar

Tuesday: 9-noon workshop, 1:30-5pm lab/field work

Friday: 9-noon lecture/film, 12-1:30pm potluck, 1:30-3:30pm seminar

Here are three exceptions:

1) The class will take a field trip to the Yakima Valley of Washington from Sunday, September 30 to Wednesday, October 3. Friday, October 5 will be class as usual.

2) Evergreen has scheduled the entire Thanksgiving Week as a break. However, in order to maintain academic momentum, we will meet two long days during Thanksgiving week (Monday, November 19, 9-5pm and Tuesday, November 20, 9-5pm). These are not optional days; you are required to attend.

3) Typically class would end December 7 and evaluation conferences would be the following week. However, since we will have met during Thanksgiving week, our classes will end one week earlier (November 30) and evaluation conferences will take place December 3-6. Please do make plans to leave Olympia before December 6.

We will be in touch in August and we're looking forward to meeting you!

Sincerely,

Alice Nelson, Tony Zaragoza, and Martha Rosemeyer