ABOUT

In honor of Earth Day, the Spring Dig-in brings together community members who believe in the power of growing food to make meaningful change.

Spring Dig-in teams not only help build backyard gardens but raise funds to ensure that every family in the Home Gardens program has 3 years of seeds, plant starts, tools, education, and mentoring in order to be successful in learning to grow food at home.

Get together with your friends, family, and coworkers and learn grassroots strategies, make connections, and help build a movement.

FUNDRAISING COMPETITION

Friday April 3rd - Friday April 24th

Donations are tracked through an online portal. Event sponsors provide matching donations as competition incentives.

Week 1: $200 match for the team that raises the most in the first week
Week 2: $200 match for the team that receives the highest number of donations
Week 3: $500 match to the team that recruits most perennial (recurring) donors

GARDEN BUILD DETAILS

Saturday April 25th 10am - 2pm
Lents/Milwaukie area

What: Build backyard gardens with families in the Home Gardens program

10:00 am – Meet at Lents Park
10:30 am – Carpool out to gardens
10:45 am – 12:45 pm – Build garden!
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm – Teams celebrate with food, drinks, and prizes!

All tools, materials, and instruction will be provided. (Teams are encouraged to bring tools if you have any!)

TEAM ORIENTATION

Wednesday April 1st 5:30pm to 7pm
3114 SE 50th Ave, Portland, OR 97206

What: A fun and participatory event orientation & grassroots fundraising training

Purpose: Meet other teams, learn more about the work of Growing Gardens and the Spring Dig-in, learn & practice new skills.

Who: Team Captains and at least 1-2 team members (more are welcome!)

When: 10am to 12pm, Coffee & snacks provided!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

www.growing-gardens.org/get-involved/spring-dig
or call Emily at 503-284-8420 x 104