Philomath Area Chamber of Commerce 1427 Main St Philomath, OR 97370 (541) 929-2454 director@philomathchamber.org

Calendar of Events

April 5, 2025

Dry Edible Gardening Class Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd

Corvallis, OR 97333

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Dry Edible Gardening Class

Many vegetable crops need less water than you think, and some can be grown without any water input at all. Learn about appropriate sites and crops, as well as some tips and tricks for successful un-irrigated gardening.

Instructor: Darren Morgan

Date & Time: Saturday, April 5th at 10am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

April 6, 2025

Kokedama Workshop Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Kokedama in Japanese translates to moss ball. This traditional method of bonsai became popular due to its aesthetics, and to grow bonsai without the need of pots.

Our workshop will guide you through the process of making and caring for your own kokedama. These moss balls can be beautiful as stationary or hanging decorations.

Instructor: Patrick Urbanski

Date & Time: Sunday, April 6th at 10:30am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

April 11, 2025 - April 13, 2025 **BIG Book Sale**

Benton County Fairgrounds, Solar Building

110 SW 53rd St. Corvallis, OR 97333

12:00 AM - 12:00 AM PST

Katherine Inman, 541-602-0069

kinman90@gmail.com

BIG Book Sale sponsored by Friends and Foundation of the Corvallis-Benton County Public Library. Sale located at the Solar Building, Benton County Fairgrounds. Come shop 35,000 high-quality used books for all ages. Three day sale with prices lower each day! Please enter from Reservoir Road.

April 12, 2025

Mixed Carnivorous Plant Bog Workshop

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

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Learn about the fascinating world of carnivorous plants. This workshop will have a selection of outdoor hardy carnivorous plants, like venus flytraps and pitcher plants for the creation of a beautiful mixed bog planter.

Learn how to repot, and take care of these amazing plants. These planters make great mixed pots for your porch or near an outdoor dining area during summer to lure away yellow jackets, wasps, and more.

Instructor: Patrick Urbanski

Date & Time: Saturday, April 12th at 10:00am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

April 12, 2025

World Art Day

Maxtivity 1604 main st

philomath, OR 97370

12:00 PM - 03:00 PM PST Leo Gigax, 5417143443 MaxAdmin@maxtivity.org

Maxtivity is hosting an early celebration for World Art Day! A day to encourage people to explore different forms of artistic expression, fostering creativity and understanding among diverse communities around the world. This Event will be hosted at the Maxtivity Studio on main st in Philomath on April 12th 2025 from 12-3pm, there will be fun crafts, a mac and cheese contest with attendees as our judges! And yummy food!

April 13, 2025

Gentle Hive Inspections Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Gentle Hive Inspections Class

Learn how and when to inspect your hives and what to look for to perform seasonal tasks such as feeding, adding brood and honey boxes, and harvesting honey!

Instructor: Camille Dill

Date & Time: Sunday, April 13th at 10:30am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom April 17, 2025

CHAMBER LUNCHEON: April- Nate Conroy

Peace Lutheran Church 2540 Applegate Street Philomath, OR 97370

11:45 AM - 01:00 PM PST

RSVP required by 4/17/25 Catered by: TBD

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April 18, 2025 - April 20, 2025 Shonnard's Nursery Spring into Bloom - 41st Anniversary Event

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:00 AM - 05:00 PM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Join us for a weekend of springtime joy – growing resources, store specials, raffle prizes & more!

CLICK HERE for EVENT DETAILS!

April 19, 2025

Harvesting a Rainbow ? Easy to Grow Dye Plants for Your Garden Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

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Intended for the true beginner, this class will introduce you to the world of natural plant dyes, including plant recommendations and how to grow them from seed. We will also cover basic terminology about mordants and the dyeing process, how to build a color swatch library for your garden, and resources for further exploration.

Instructor: Jen Larson

Date & Time: Saturday, April 19th at 10am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

Instructor Bio: Jen Larson is the Oregon State University Program Coordinator for the Oregon Master Beekeeper Program. We are excited to have Jen here to share her other passion with you of creating natural plant dyes!

April 19, 2025

Vegetable Gardening? Master Gardener Plant Clinic

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

11:00 AM - 02:00 PM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Visit us between 11am to 2pm on Saturday, April 19th when Benton County Master Gardeners will be here to answer your vegetable gardening questions. They'll be happy to answer any garden questions you have, edible garden related or not!

Hosted by: Shonnard's Nursery

Date & Time: Saturday, April 19th from 11am to 2pm

Location: Shonnard's Nursery Garden Center

Learn more about the Benton County Master Gardener Assocation

April 19, 2025

Ask an Arborist - Bartlett Tree Experts - Drop-in Event

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

11:00 AM - 02:00 PM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Visit us between 11am to 2pm on Saturday, April 19th when representatives from Bartlett Tree Experts will be here to answer your tree questions. From disease diagnostics to fertilizing recommendations, they'll be happy to speak with you about your trees and how to keep them growing healthy!

Hosted by: Shonnard's Nursery

Date & Time: Saturday, April 19th from 11am to 2pm

Location: Shonnard's Nursery Garden Center

Learn more about Bartlett Tree Experts.

April 19, 2025

Community Easter Egg Hunt Philomath High School Football Field 2054 Applegate Street Philomath, OR 97370 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM PST

Chris Workman, 541-870-2886

frolic.cw@gmail.com

The Philomath Frolic & Rodeo is pleased to announce the return of the Community Easter Egg Hunt. This year's hunt will take place Saturday April 19th at 10:02 am. Due to construction of the new restroom and bleachers at the rodeo grounds, this year's event will be held at the Philomath High School football field.

April 20, 2025

Top 20 Insects and Diseases Affecting PNW Gardens Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Be presented with an overview of identifying common pests and diseases, recognizing their signs and symptoms, and understanding the plants they impact.

Instructor: Bartlett Tree Experts

Date & Time: Sunday, April 20th at 10:30am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

Hosted by: Shonnard's Nursery

About Bartlett Tree Experts: Bartlett Tree Experts is a tree service company with offerings that help our customers maintain beautiful, healthy trees and shrubs. Since 1907, Bartlett has been providing scientific tree care to our customers' properties.

April 26, 2025

Marys River Grange Plant Sale and Seed Swap

Marys River Grange Hall 24707 Grange Hall Rd. Philomath OR Philomath, OR

10:00 AM - 02:00 PM PST Yvonne McMillan, 1541609030 mt_girl_yvonne@yahoo.com

2025 Mary's River Grange Plant Sale & Seed Swap

April 27, 2025

Anything Can Happen: Jubilate's Spring Concert

First United Methodist Church, Corvallis at 7 PM on Saturday and 4 PM on Sunday 1165 Northwest Monroe Avenue

Corvallis, OR 97330

07:00 PM - 08:00 PM PST
Jubilate President, 541-231-8110
president@jubilatechoir.org

PLEASE NOTE TWO DATES AND TIMES:

Saturday, April 26 at 7 PM and Sunday, April 27 at 4 PM

In our Spring Concerts, Jubilate! The Treble Choir of Corvallis wants to inspire you to consider how anything can happen. Through song we celebrate the joy of nature and opportunities for beauty, kindness, and love. We also acknowledge the possibility of negative outcomes and how we might move forward and rebuild. Life presents endless possibilities. Tickets are \$20 for adults. Children under 10 are free.

April 27, 2025

Honey Bee Pests & Diseases Class Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Honey Bee Pests and Diseases Class

You will learn how to gauge the health of your queen and what to do if she is struggling. You will also get a closer look at disease identification, prevention, and treatment.

Instructor: Camille Dill

Date & Time: Sunday, April 27th at 10:30am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

May 7, 2025

May Greeters - Corvallis Knights The Philomath Emporium 1120 Main St Philomath, OR 97370

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM PST The Philomath Emporium,

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May 22, 2025

CHAMBER LUNCHEON: May- LBCC - Small Business Development Center - Peace Lutheran Church
2540 Applegate Street
Philomath, OR 97370
11:45 AM - 01:00 PM PST

RSVP required by 5/19/25 Catered by: TBD

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May 24, 2025 Music at Lun

Music at Lumos ~ The Wallace Band

Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr

Philomath, OR 97370

02:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST

Natalie Clifford, (541) 929-3519

natalie@lumoswine.com

Free outdoor concert with wood fired pizza and wine available for purchase.

May 26, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Wild Hog in the Woods

Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr Philomath, OR 97370

02:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST Natalie Clifford, (541) 929-3519

natalie@lumoswine.com

Free outdoor concert with wood fired pizza and wine available for purchase.

May 30, 2025

PYAC Annual Community Kids Carnival Fundraiser & Silent Auction

Philomath High School Football Field (inside if raining)

05:30 PM - 08:30 PM PST Sarah Woosley, 541-929-4040

sarah@pyac.net

The Philomath Youth Activities Club Annual Community Kids Carnival Fundraiser and Silent Auction will have many inflatables, carnival games, concessions, prizes and a Silent Auction for the adults. Come support the PYAC Programs by purchasing a bracelet to get unlimited access to the inflatables and games.

May 31, 2025

Growing Native Plants? Master Gardener Plant Clinic

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis. OR 97333

11:00 AM - 02:00 PM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Come ask a Master Gardener! Visit us between 11am to 2pm on Saturday, May 31st when Benton County Master Gardeners will be here to answer your native plant gardening questions. They'll be happy to answer any garden questions you have, native plant related or not!

Hosted by: Shonnard's Nursery

Date & Time: Saturday, May 31st from 11am to 2pm Location: Shonnard's Nursery Garden Center

Learn more about the Benton County Master Gardener Assocation

June 4, 2025

June Greeters - Philomath Scout Lodge The Philomath Scout Lodge 660 Clemens Mill Rd Philomath, OR 97370

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM PST The Philomath Scout Lodge,

Join us for Greeters for complimentary coffee, treats, prizes and networking. 8:30-9:30 am.

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June 14, 2025

Techniques to Efficiently Water the Home Garden Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Water is a resource we cannot take for granted, even here in western Oregon. Knowing what, when, and how to water is important for plant health and to conserve this resource. Learn tips and techniques to make watering as easy, effective and efficient as possible in your lawn, orchard, garden, and landscape.

Instructor: Darren Morgan

Date & Time: Saturday, June 14th 10:00am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

June 19, 2025

CHAMBER LUNCHEON: June - TBD

Peace Lutheran Church 2540 Applegate Street Philomath, OR 97370 11:45 AM - 01:00 PM PST

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June 21, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Tin Can Alley

Lumos Wine Co.

24000 Cardwell Hill Dr

PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762 02:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST

Natalie Clifford, 5419293519

natalie@lumoswine.com

Free outdoor concert with wood fired pizza and wine available for purchase.

June 22, 2025

Summer Planting for Fall & Winter Edible Gardening Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:30 AM - 11:30 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

We will talk about what crops to plant when, and tips on how to avoid or overcome some of the challenges of summer planting and winter growing including watering for germination, insect control, and frost protection.

Instructor: Darren Morgan

Date & Time: Sunday, June 22nd at 10:30am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

June 26, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Terry Robb, American Roots & Blues

Lumos Wine Co.
24000 Cardwell Hill Dr

PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM PST Natalie Clifford, 5419293519 natalie@lumoswine.com

Outdoor concert with food and wine available for purchase. Cover charge \$15.

June 28, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Jam Wagon

Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762 02:00 PM - 05:00 PM PST Natalie Clifford, 5419293519 natalie@lumoswine.com

Free outdoor concert with wine available for purchase.

July 5, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Summer of Love

Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762 02:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST Natalie Clifford, 5419293519 natalie@lumoswine.com

Free outdoor concert with wine available for purchase.

July 12, 2025

Harvesting Honey with an Extractor Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Everyone has a slightly different method for extracting honey and it can be confusing at first. This class goes over my equipment setup and harvesting process from removing the honey super from the active hive all the way to bottling. This scenario is based on harvesting frames with plastic foundation in a radial hand crank extractor.

Instructor: Camille Dill

Date & Time: Saturday, July 12th at 10:00am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

July 12, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Tuesday String Band Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762 02:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST

Natalie Clifford, 5419293519 natalie@lumoswine.com

Free outdoor concert with wine & wood fired pizza available for purchase.

July 19, 2025

2025 Sip & Stroll

03:00 PM - 07:00 PM PST

Enjoy an afternoon stroll through Downtown Philomath tasting local BEER, WINE & SPIRITS and multiple FOOD TRUCKS!

DISCOUNT ON PRE-SALE TICKETS -

\$20/person. Includes Wine Glass, Wristband & 10 Tasting Tokens. \$30/person. Includes Tumbler, Wristband & 10 Tasting Tokens. (First 200 sold) Additional drink tokens – 5 tokens for \$5.

Pre-Sale tickets are non-refundable. Pick up at True Value Parking Lot the day of event.

DAY OF EVENT TICKET SALES (until 6pm)

\$20/person. Includes Wine Glass, Wristband & 5 Tasting Tokens. \$30/person. Includes Tumbler, Wristband & 5 Tasting Tokens. Additional drink tokens – 5 tokens for \$5.

DAY OF EVENT: Tickets will go on sale at 2:30 pm at the following locations:

True Value Parking Lot 1740 Main St, Philomath

Les Schwab Tire 838 Main St, Philomath

July 19, 2025

Perennial Garden Care Class Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Embark on a journey into the enchanting world of perennials with us! This class provides essential tools and insights to cultivate vibrant perennial gardens.

We'll start with the basics then delve into diverse garden themes, effective landscaping strategies, and practical gardening techniques. Whether you're a budding beginner or an avid enthusiast seeking fresh inspiration, join us to cultivate your gardening skills. Don't miss out on this!

Instructor: Angelee Kirkland

Date & Time: Saturday, July 19th at 10:00am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

July 25, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ DRTR

Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr

PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762

06:00 PM - 08:00 PM PST Natalie Clifford, 5419293519 natalie@lumoswine.com

Outdoor concert with wine & wood fired pizza available for purchase. \$5 cover charge.

July 27, 2025

Music at Lumos ~ Tune Tours

Lumos Wine Co. 24000 Cardwell Hill Dr PHILOMATH, OR 97370-9762 02:00 PM - 04:00 PM PST Natalie Clifford, 5419293519

Free outdoor concert with wine & wood fired pizza available for purchase.

August 9, 2025

Winterize Your Apiary Class

Shonnard's Nursery 6600 SW Philomath Blvd Corvallis, OR 97333

natalie@lumoswine.com

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM PST

Shonnard's Nursery, 541-929-3524

info@shonnards.com

Learn honey bee behavior in winter, including natural broodlessness, clustering, and cleansing flights. Examine what you can do to minimize winter stress on the colony, like removing liquid feed, understanding when it is safe to feed solid food, and venting moist air out of the hive.

Instructor: Camille Dill

Date & Time: Saturday, August 9th at 10:00am Location: Shonnard's Nursery Classroom

September 3, 2025

September Greeters - Frolic

Philomath Frolic Grounds

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM PST

Join us for Greeters for complimentary coffee, treats, prizes and networking. 8:30-9:30 am.

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October 1, 2025

October Greeters - La Rockita La Rockita 1413 Main St, Philomath

Philomath, OR 97370

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM PST

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December 3, 2025

December Greeters - Bashful Bob's Bashful Bob's 2359 Main Street Philomath, OR 97370

08:30 AM - 09:30 AM PST

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