



**Waking Up the Garden
and Sprucing Up
the House at Cedarbrook
Saturday, May 9, 2009**



We put the garden to bed in the fall. It sleeps all winter; it wakes in the spring, and we prepare it for a summer of wakefulness, creativity, and productivity.

The house is ready for waking up, too. It's time to wash away the sleepy winter days by cleaning the windows, airing out rugs, dusting, vacuuming, mopping and preparing the house for spring and summer visitors.

This day will be a day of awakening at Cedarbrook Retreat.

Come, join us for a day of fun, meeting new friends and reconnecting with those we know.

Arrival: Between 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.

Lunch: Will be provided

(let us know if you prefer a vegetarian option or have special needs)

What to bring: Gardening gloves, tools, etc.

(be sure to mark your tools so you don't take home a twin!)

Departure: Open ended...

Please call Namasté at 503.283.0199 by May 1st to let us know you are coming.

In gratitude for your generosity and sharing your gardening gifts with us, a gift certificate for one free night at one of the Houses will be waiting for you at Cedarbrook on

Waking Up the Garden Day!

Directions to Cedarbrook:

It takes about 45 minutes to get to Cedarbrook Retreat from Portland.

From I-5 or from I-205, take the Camas exit and travel east on Hwy. 14. Continue to Washougal and turn left at 15th which has a light and is also at the Pendleton Woolen Mills.

Continue on 15th which will become 17th and then Washougal River Road. You will go about 10 miles. When you see a small general store, Washougal River Mercantile, you will be within .8 of a mile of taking a left onto North Fork Road. Follow this road for 2.15 miles. It will become one lane.

Turn left onto Dobbins Road. Follow it until it forks again. The left fork has the address of 502 Linda Lane. Follow that fork.

It would be good to shift down because of the steep grade. Continue until you come to the end of the road and a carport. Cross the bridge and follow the path to Cedarbrook. You will be walking about three blocks.

