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Free Garden Workshops

October 13, 2004--It's fall, and the perfect time to get your garden in order before winter rains arrive. Come to the Vallejo Yardbirds on Saturday, October 23rd for one, two, or all three FREE gardening workshops presented by Vallejo Sanitation & Flood Control District. Free samples, raffle prizes and refreshments will be available.

SCHEDULE

- 9:30 AM Refreshments
- 10:00 AM **Healthy Gardening for Families and Pets** with Annie Joseph. Annie is a California Certified Nursery Professional, and will discuss how to keep your garden beautiful, with less toxic pesticide alternatives that help your family and pets stay healthy. Annie's workshop is brought to you by the State Water Resources Control Board through Prop. 13 funds.
- 11:00 AM **Backyard Composting** with Jane Bogner of VALCORE Recycling. A regular columnist with the Times-Herald, Jane is an experienced gardener. If you've wanted to start a compost pile in your yard but don't know how to begin, this is the perfect workshop for you.
- Noon **Fall Bulbs** with Mike Eramian of Yardbirds Garden Center. Have you seen the gorgeous bulbs in the Garden Center? Now is the time to plant bulbs, and Mike will show you how to get great results with them in your spring garden.

These workshops are presented by the Vallejo Sanitation & Flood Control District. To receive FREE information about healthy gardening, call Jennifer Kaiser at (707) 644-8949 ext. 292 or email jkaiser@vsfcd.com.

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