

WHY JOIN CRFG?

Find out how to grow rare and unusual fruit and meet with people that do.

HOW DO I JOIN?

It's easy... fill in the application, attach your check, mail to the address shown and you will become a member of the largest amateur fruit growing organization in the world.

CAN I JOIN IF I DON'T LIVE IN CALIFORNIA?

Yes. CRFG is a non-profit educational organization with members in 49 states, 4 U.S. possessions and over 39 countries.

DO I RECEIVE A MAGAZINE?

Yes. Each membership receives the *Fruit Gardener* magazine.

WHAT TYPE OF INFORMATION WILL I FIND IN THE FRUIT GARDENER?

The magazine contains articles about fruits and vegetables, many of them unusual, that are of general interest. Features include articles on pest control, tips for beginners, organic gardening, recipes, book reviews, question and answer column, container gardening, a calendar of events, and reports on the latest seed acquisition available to members. Advertisements offer rare, hardy and tropical fruit trees as well as equipment and materials needed around the garden. Each year, a Fruit of the Year is selected as the theme for that year.

DOES CRFG HOLD AN ANNUAL MEETING?

The Festival Of Fruit, a two day annual weekend meeting, features speakers, slide shows, demonstrations, fruit tasting, plant sales, and exhibits of fruits, books, and publications, as well as tours to gardens, nurseries, research stations and local grower's facilities.

WHAT ELSE IS AVAILABLE WHEN I JOIN?

Fruit Facts that contain concise descriptions of individual rare fruits, including botanical identification, description, cultural notes based on California research and cultivar characteristics. These are also available on our crfg.org web site. A fruit list with basic cultural information is also available.

Fruit Specialists are available to answer specific questions relative to individual fruits and vegetables.

Seed Bank collects exotic seeds and distributes them at a nominal cost to our members. It is generously replenished by members from their plantings and with seeds gathered in their travels.

Book Service And Merchandise offers, at reduced prices for members, books and back issues that are generally not available, as well as CRFG pins, badges, patches, decals and t-shirts.

ONCE YOU'RE A MEMBER YOU CAN FIND A LOCAL CHAPTER

This is where the action is with monthly meetings and great speakers, field trips, scionwood exchanges, plant sales, county fairs, pot lucks and group purchasing. You will share stories and information with your new group of grower friends. CRFG members can receive chapter schedules and local newsletters. The cost is minimal, if any, usually just enough to cover the production cost of the newsletter and postage.

Chapter members **Must** also join the Parent organization

FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO OUR WEB SITE www.crfg.org

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Join CRFG online using PayPal for safe and secure payment. Or print the form, fill it out and mail it, along with a check or money order in U.S. dollars for the correct dues amount to the address at the bottom.

Memberships are for individuals/couples and begin from the date dues are received. Each membership, annually, receives six bimonthly issues of the Fruit Gardener magazine. *** Note New Rates ***

	U.S.	Canada/Mexico	Other Non-U.S.
1 Year - Regular	\$36	\$56	60
1 Year - 1st Class	\$46	N/A	N/A
1 Year - Electronic	\$25	\$25	\$25
1 Year - Reg & Elect	\$46	\$66	\$70
1 Year - 1st & Elect	\$56	N/A	N/A
3 Years - Regular	\$100	\$150	\$175
3 Years - 1st Class	\$120	N/A	N/A
3 Years - Electronic	\$70	\$70	\$70
3 Years - Reg&Elect	\$120	\$190	\$200
3 Years - 1st&Elect	\$150	N/A	N/A
Life - Regular	\$700	\$1100	N/A
Life - 1st Class	\$900	N/A	N/A
Life - Electronic	\$500	\$500	\$500
Life - Reg & Elect	\$900	\$1300	N/A
Life - 1st & Elect	\$1100	N/A	N/A

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Special Gardening Interests _____

Occupation/Former Occupation _____

New Membership _____ or Renewal _____

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