

South Coast Permaculture Guild &  
Santa Barbara Permaculture Network present



# *Ecovillages & Sustainable Communities*

with Internationally renowned educator **ROBINA McCURDY**  
**TUES. AUG 24 DINNER/SOCIAL AT THE FARMER & THE COOK 5<sup>PM</sup>**  
**SLIDE SHOW & TALK AT FULL CIRCLE FARM 8<sup>PM</sup>**

**About Robina McCurdy** - Robina is a New Zealander and planetary citizen. She is co-founder/resident/trustee of Tui Land Trust & Community and founder/trustee of the Institute for Earthcare Education Aotearoa. Tui Community is featured in the book *Creating Harmony: Conflict Resolution in Community*. For three decades, Robina engaged in broad scale community development. During the past 18 years, she has specialized in permaculture design and teaching, organic growing, the development of environmental education resources and the creation of participatory processes for decision making and collective action. She has taught and applied these powerful community building methods with households, neighborhoods, schools, farms, ecovillages, urban neighborhoods and bioregions in Aotearoa/New Zealand, Australia, South Africa, Ireland, Brazil and USA. Throughout her life, she has worked with minimal resources to bring about significant changes in the lives of people, their communities and their environment. < <http://www.planetorganic.org.nz/> >

**Tues. Aug. 24** 5<sup>pm</sup> Dinner & Social at The Farmer & The Cook, 339 W. El Roblar, Meiners Oaks, 640-9608 < [FarmerandCook.com](http://FarmerandCook.com) > 8<sup>pm</sup> Slide Show & Talk at Full Circle Farm (near Ojai Foundation) "*Ecovillages & Sustainable Communities around the Planet*" - ecovillages and communities throughout the world, their similarities, differences and common learnings. The presentation includes some of the processes Robina uses to build sustainable community and her participatory approach to permaculture land use design and development. contact: Onah 640-6480 \$5 donation

### **Other Robina McCurdy Event Times & Locations:**

- Sat. Aug 21** San Luis Obispo Public Library Talk & Slide Show 7<sup>pm</sup> examples of building healthy community \$5
- Sun. Aug 22** CEC Gildea Resource Center, SB 10<sup>am</sup>- 4:30<sup>pm</sup> "*Facilitating Permaculture with Children*" \$75/\$60 early reg.
- Mon. Aug 23** SB Downtown Library Slide Show 7<sup>pm</sup> "*Transforming Schools Thru Permaculture*" \$5
- Thurs. Aug. 26** L.A. Eco-Village, Slide Show & Talk 7<sup>pm</sup> "*Community Glue*" - global examples of building healthy community and that which binds it together, followed by discussion. \$10 (sliding scale ok)
- Fri. Aug. 27** Slide Show & Talk 7<sup>pm</sup> "*Ecovillages & Sustainable Communities around the Planet*" \$10 (incl. w/workshop fee)
- Fri./Sat. Aug. 27-28** L.A. Eco-Village daylong workshop 9:30<sup>am</sup>- 5<sup>pm</sup> "*Creating a Culture of Abundance in Urban Ecovillages*" \$100-\$200 (sliding scale). Please make check out to *CRSP* and send to: 117 Bimini Place #221, LA, CA 90004 by August 23. Please call Lois Arkin 213-738-1254 or < [crsp@gc.org](mailto:crsp@gc.org) > for more info.
- Sun. Aug 29** Path to Freedom Sustainable Living Resource Center, Pasadena, Workshop 9<sup>am</sup>- 4:30<sup>pm</sup> "*Design in Partnership with Nature*" (Sliding scale: \$135 - \$45) Contact: Anais Dervaes < [dervaes@pathtofreedom.com](mailto:dervaes@pathtofreedom.com) > also Slideshow 7<sup>pm</sup>: "*Permaculture Gardens Around the Planet*" (sliding scale \$15 - \$5 )

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