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## Classes for January-April 2018

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All classes located at Southern Oregon Research & Extension Center (SOREC)  
569 Hanley Road, Central Point OR, unless otherwise stated.

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| Sat. , April 14  | <p><b>Living on Your Land &amp; Stream School</b><br/>Join professionals and experts from around the region. Pick from a full slate of information packed presentations for land owners. Management topics on forest health, pasture, homesteading, natural history, stream health, soils, and more. Registration opens in spring.</p>   | All Day          | Cost: \$60   |
| Tue. , April 17  | <p><b>Fermentation</b><br/>Fermentation got you in a pickle? We will demystify this ancient food preservation technique for creating safe, healthy, nutrient dense, delicious foods. Learn the latest in fermentation from local expert and author Kirsten Shockey. <b>Register online at:</b><br/><a href="http://bit.ly/JacksonFoodPreservationClasses">http://bit.ly/JacksonFoodPreservationClasses</a></p>   | 6:00 - 9:00 pm   | Cost: \$15   |
| Thurs., April 19 OSU Extension Auditorium, 569 Hanley Road, Central Point                                | <p><b>Taking Logs to Market-Panel discussion with three log buyers.</b><br/><i>Co-sponsored by the Jackson Josephine Small Woodlands Association and OSU Extension. Call to register 541-776-7371.</i></p>   | 7:00-9:00 pm     | Cost: \$10/person, \$15 couple, JJSWA members free |
| Sat. April 21  | <p><b>MINISERIES: Day 1 (Water Bath Canning)</b><br/>Join us for 3 information packed classes on food preservation. The first 2 classes are hands-on at a cost of \$30. The third class is information only at a cost of \$20. Water bath canning – learn about water bath canning equipment and the proper procedures for canning high acid foods such as fruits, tomatoes and pickles. <b>Register online at</b><br/><a href="http://bit.ly/JacksonFoodPreservationClasses">http://bit.ly/JacksonFoodPreservationClasses</a></p> | 9:00 am-4:00 pm  | Cost: \$30   |
| Tues. April 24 Rachel Werling OSU  | <p><b>Native Plant Walk: Sterling Ditch Tr. Applegate</b><br/>Learn about many native plants as we walk through and near oak woodlands, mixed conifer forest, grasslands, buck brush chaparral and a profusion of spring Siskiyou wildflowers, such as shooting stars, fawn lilies and popcorn flowers. <b>Register online:</b><br/><a href="http://bit.ly/LandStewardClasses">http://bit.ly/LandStewardClasses</a> Recieve Directions upon registration. Class limited to 15.</p>   | 9:00 am-12:00 pm | Cost: \$15 Cpl \$25                                |
| Mon. April 30 Chris Anderson, ODA; Bob Crause, Fort Vannoy Farms; Angie Boudro, Regenerative Agriculture | <p><b>When Animals Die, dealing with Farm Mortalities</b><br/>One of the hardest and most challenging aspects of farming is when one of our animals dies. This class offers an overview of the various ways of dealing with animal carcasses on your farm. We will cover relevant laws and regulations, discuss options, and have an in-depth conversation about composting mortalities.</p>   | 5:30 pm-8:30 pm  | Cost: \$25 Cpl \$35                                |