

**1986-2011**

*Celebrating 25 years*





Living in the Los Angeles area, there is no visual agriculture. I use Ag in the Classroom to help educate students and to inform them that agriculture has a history and a process. To try to convey this to millions of students in an urban society—that's a challenge.  
*Silvia K. Bishop (Los Angeles)*



We give tours of our dairy in the spring and I provide packets of information for all the teachers that come. I've always included the latest edition of "What's Growin' On?" The teachers really enjoy it and find it very useful.

Thank you.  
*Brenda Van Ommering (San Diego)*

**I CANNOT BEGIN TO THANK YOUR WONDERFUL ORGANIZATION AND ITS DEDICATED MEMBERS FOR HELPING ME TO MAKE EDUCATION VITAL, ALIVE AND RELEVANT WITH YOUR MANY CONTRIBUTIONS DURING MY TENURE AS THE CHIEF STATE SCHOOL OFFICER OF THE GOLDEN STATE.**

**DELAINE EASTIN, CALIFORNIA SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION (RET.)**

**I STRIVE TO EDUCATE MY STUDENTS ABOUT AGRICULTURE AND HOW IT AFFECTS ALL AMERICANS. I WANT THEM TO LEARN THAT FARMING IS A SCIENCE. THROUGH AGRICULTURAL LITERACY, AND AG IN THE CLASSROOM, I AM TEACHING MY STUDENTS TO VALUE THE INDUSTRY AND TO SEE IT AS A VITAL COMPONENT OF A HEALTHY ECONOMY.**

**SHERRIE TAYLOR VANN (COLUSA)**

**CFAITC RESOURCES WILL BE USED FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS RUN BY THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF SONOMA VALLEY THAT SERVE OVER 400 STUDENTS ON AVERAGE PER DAY.**

**KATIE MARGREITER (SONOMA)**

Before there was Ag in the Classroom, gardening always seemed an obvious connection. Kids should learn from the most familiar and that would be just outside. Science was about growing vegetables and flowers or learning about earthworms. When Ag in the Classroom developed their lesson plans it was like finding a gold mine.

*Lee Ann Stangl (Stanislaus)*

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THANK YOU FOR THE INFORMATION.  
MY KIDS WILL GREATLY APPRECIATE IT.

-LUZ MENDOZA, SOLANO COUNTY



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*On March 25, 2011 the California State Assembly and Assembly Speaker John Perez presented California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom with an official Resolution in honor of 25 years of dedication to agricultural literacy in California. Several members of the Foundation's board of directors and staff were present to receive this recognition on the Assembly floor.*



Whereas, The year 2011 marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom, and it is appropriate at this time to highlight its many achievements and underscore the positive impact it has made to increasing the awareness and understanding of agriculture among California's educators and students; and

Whereas, With more than seven million students in California, it is essential that these children grow up with an understanding of agriculture's critical contributions to our society and recognize their daily connection to the products grown on California farms, fields, and forests; and

Whereas, In its 25-year history, CFAITC has touched the lives of more than 10,000,000 California students through its agriculture education programs and resources.

Read the resolution in its entirety at  
[www.learnaboutag.org/anniversary/resolution](http://www.learnaboutag.org/anniversary/resolution)

# Foreword



The world around us seems to be evolving in new ways every day. We are more connected to technology, have immediate access to information, and limitless options for communicating with one another. These developments continue to impact our daily lives, and increasingly, the lives of our younger generations. As advocates and volunteers dedicated to agriculture literacy, our goal is to keep students aware of one of the most fundamental practices in our society—our ability to produce a safe, healthy and abundant food and fiber supply necessary to sustain our existence.

For 25 years California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom has worked diligently to preserve an appreciation and understanding for the people and practices that provide our basic daily needs and most valuable commodities. With your help, we have been able to reach 10,000,000 students over a quarter century. Today, our programs and resources are used in 46% of schools in California, largely thanks to the dedication and support from many of you.

As we look back at the beginning of our efforts, 25 years ago with the educators and students of San Francisco Unified School District, we could have never imagined the incredible friends, supporters, success stories and overall positive impact we have had. We thank you for being a part of it all, and hope you enjoy this commemorative yearbook and look back at some of our favorite moments.

We are looking forward to sharing many more years and touching many more lives with the gift of agriculture.

Thank you for your support, and thank you for celebrating with us.

Sincerely,

Kenny Watkins  
Chairman of the Board

Judy Culbertson  
Executive Director



## *Our Mission*

*is to increase awareness and understanding of agriculture among California's educators and students.*

## *Our Vision*

*is an appreciation of agriculture by all.*

# Imagine this...



*The Imagine this... Story Writing Contest is an annual program that invites students in grades 3-8 from across the state to investigate and write creatively about an aspect of California agriculture—even if they've never stepped foot on farmland. Each year, six winning essays are illustrated and published in book format. The Imagine this... Story Writing Contest satisfies California teaching standards in English-language arts. The contest's purpose is to promote reading, writing and the arts and to further the public's understanding of agriculture.*

## 2010 CONTEST WINNERS

### Once Upon a Delicious Dream

By Guadalupe Landeros  
3rd Grade, Colusa County  
Williams Elementary School  
Illustrated by Delta High School

### The Journey of Robby the Raindrop

By Morgan Overholtzer  
4th Grade, Stanislaus County  
Gratton Elementary School  
Illustrated by Sheldon High School

### The Coyote, the Avocado & Sam

By Zeb Soyffer  
5th Grade, Los Angeles County  
Ekstrand Elementary School  
Illustrated by Woodland High School

### Just Peachy

By Nick O'Brien, 6th Grade  
Stanislaus County  
St. Stanislaus Elementary School  
Illustrated by Inderkum High School

### From Dirt to Pie Crusts

By Delaney Black, 7th Grade  
Siskiyou County  
Scott Valley Junior High School  
Illustrated by Woodland High School

### The Guard Llama:

#### To Protect and Serve

By Matt Wright, 8th Grade  
Stanislaus County  
Sacred Heart Catholic School  
Illustrated by Inderkum High School



**AMAZING!**

See more winning authors and read their stories  
online at [www.LearnAboutAg.org/imaginethis](http://www.LearnAboutAg.org/imaginethis)



# AITC Ambassadors

*AITC Ambassadors are our most direct and effective means of enriching the lives of California students with the gift of agricultural consciousness. Thanks to these devoted educators, our curriculum and engaging resources have reached every corner of the state, from the Siskiyou County forestland to "The Salad Bowl of the World" on the Central Coast, to the southernmost border at the Imperial County line. We are pleased to be represented in every county in California, and are grateful for our Ambassadors who are out teaching, supporting and encouraging agriculture education in the urban centers and rural towns throughout California.*



# Literacy for Life



**Sherrie Taylor Vann**  
2011 Literacy for Life Award,  
Colusa County



**Sergio de Alba**  
2010 Literacy for Life Award,  
Merced County



**David Menshew**  
2009 Literacy for Life Award,  
Stanislaus County



**Judy Honerkamp**  
2008 Outstanding Educator of  
the Year, San Luis Obispo  
County



**Dianne Swanson**  
2007 Outstanding Educator of the  
Year, Los Angeles County



**Lawrence (Lance) Omeje**  
2006 Outstanding Educator of the  
Year, Fresno County



**Christina (Tina) McEnroe**  
2005 Outstanding Educator of the  
Year, Santa Barbara County



**Cathey Anderson**  
2004 Outstanding Educator of the  
Year, San Diego County



**Carla Wright**  
2003 Outstanding Educator of the  
Year, Monterey County

## TEACHING AWARDS

**Laura Romo**, 2011 Emerging Seed  
**Lindsey Kovach**, 2011 Vocational Agriculture  
**Maureen Marino**, 2010 Emerging Seed  
**Judy Aschwanden**, 2010 Vocational  
Agriculture  
**Suzanne Squires**, 2009 Emerging Seed  
**Brenda Lacey**, 2009 Vocational Agriculture  
**Jennifer Limber**, 2008 Community Outreach  
**Suzi Smith**, 2008 Rookie of the Year  
**Alyssa Mangan**, 2008 Vocational Agriculture  
**Diane Pollock**, 2008 Vocational Agriculture  
**Deni Lopez**, 2002 Outstanding  
Educator of the Year

## SUMMER AGRICULTURAL INSTITUTE GRADUATE OF THE YEAR

**Joey Somawang**, Fresno County, 2001  
**Martha Deichler**, San Diego County, 2000  
**Kay Sain**, Sacramento County, 1999  
**Kathy Rinkenberger**, Merced County, 1998  
**Arleen Peta**, Los Angeles County, 1997  
**Maureen Tolson**, Santa Barbara County, 1996  
**Nancy Harris**, Stanislaus County, 1995  
**KarenBeth Traiger**, Santa Clara County, 1994  
**Clare Rosander**, Kern County, 1993  
**Lois Bechely**, Los Angeles County, 1992  
**Bill Losey**, Kern County, 1991  
**Don Davison**, Lake County, 1990





# Profile



## Sergio de Alba MERCED COUNTY

My first year teaching fourth grade at R.M. Miano Elementary, I asked my students what could be done to improve their education. One of them told me about the school garden. I also have a strong connection to plants and agriculture, and as a class we decided to make it our community project for the year. After the first year I knew that this garden would change the way my students learned and the level of success that I would achieve as a teacher.

The best moments for me are when students are there looking around and connect something that they had learned in the past or are in the middle of learning and are finally able to make the connection because of something that they saw in the garden. The best way to understand this is to think of how students learn when they go on a field trip. They're excited and eager to learn and gain new experiences. Our school garden is like a weekly field trip.

Agriculture is an essential part of my teaching program. Every subject is enhanced with the use of agriculture. On a weekly basis I have students refer to a lesson in the garden when making connections with other in-class lessons. Sometimes the connections they make are surprising, but it goes to show just how powerful the garden can be.

My students think more about their environment, their role in our small farming community, and in the value of living a clean healthy life filled with service and appreciation for what agriculture brings to our lives.

*Each year, the California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom selects deserving and dedicated California teachers as recipients of its Literacy for Life Teaching Award, sponsored by the Oreggia Family Foundation. Teachers are recognized for their significant contributions in increasing agricultural literacy among K-12 students and spreading agriculture awareness beyond the classroom walls.*

*Among other awards and recognition, winning teachers are also considered for an award at the national level in the USDA's Excellence in Teaching About Agriculture awards program. In the past eight out of 11 years, a California teacher has received this award. Congratulations to the many outstanding teachers for their hard work throughout the years in making agriculture a priority and for teaching their students that agriculture is a part of all of our lives, every day.*

Read more of Sergio's story at  
[www.LearnAboutAg.org/25stories](http://www.LearnAboutAg.org/25stories)

# Summer Ag Institute



*In the early days, it was customary to offer a week-long agriculture immersion program to a select group of California educators. The Summer Ag Institute allowed educators to experience life on a farm or ranch, exposing them to the ins and outs of a true agricultural lifestyle. Educators gained valuable experience, providing a framework to allow further agriculture-based education within the classroom. Over the years, the program transitioned into what is now our annual conference for educators, however, the memories, skills and relationships created from the program have been long-lasting and powerful for all those involved.*





# Profile



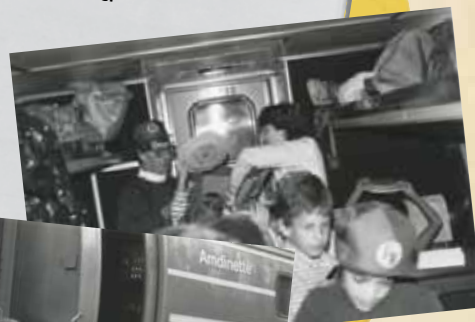
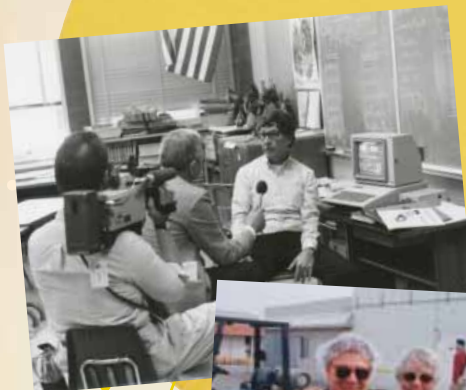
*Elmer Eckart participated in the pilot Summer Agricultural Institute, representing San Francisco Unified School District.*

## Elmer Eckart SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY

I suppose you can say I've been a friend to CFAITC since the beginning—30 years ago, when the California Farm Bureau was asked by San Francisco Schools to hold Farm Days in the City.

I recall one of our earliest (and bravest!) endeavors involved a four-day overnight immersion program with my fourth and fifth grade students from San Francisco. In those days, we were able to arrange for the students to live with farm families in Fresno and Madera counties to learn about farms and farm production. A year or two after this trip, I had a minority student return to visit my school and he was visually very upset when he came to my class. He was holding a section from the Sunday San Francisco Chronicle that talked about many farmers in Central Valley losing their land because of mortgage problems. He said this can't happen and explained that one of the grape farmers that had lost land was his host family. This really made an impact! And of course I was able to use this as a real life lesson for the class.

In California, we will constantly have problems revolving around water and land use and how these issues affect the agriculture industry. All people, particularly students, need to be aware of where food and fiber come from as our students today will be voters in the future and they need to make informed decisions.



Read more of Elmer's story at  
[www.LearnAboutAg.org/25stories](http://www.LearnAboutAg.org/25stories)



# Conferences



Since 1987, the annual *California AITC Conference* has served as an ideal forum for providing teachers with free resources and valuable avenues for obtaining garden-based curriculum, support for nutrition education, and agriculture for any grade level. Educators, administrators, and community leaders continue to embrace agriculture education as a proven means of teaching core subjects such as math, science, history, language arts, and nutrition, in addition to enhancing agricultural literacy and environmental awareness. Conference participants learn, connect, and grow, inspired to continue teaching agriculture through a wide range of exciting and informative roundtable sessions, workshops, guest speakers, exhibits, and field trips.





# Profile



## Jim Hicks ORANGE COUNTY

When I was first introduced to California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom in the mid-1990s, it was "love at first sight" for me. I started years ago as a small donor, and as our resources have permitted, have become a larger donor and I feel that every dollar has been well spent. My commitment and belief in the strength of this program has most recently prompted me to accept a position as a member of the board of directors for CFAITC, for which I am deeply honored.

I was raised on a small, poor farm in central Indiana. My parents were always supportive of me and instilled in me the need to get a good education. Working full-time in summers and part-time during the school year, I graduated from Purdue University in 1961 with a B.S. degree in agricultural economics. My first job out of college was selling agricultural chemicals in Kentucky, working with tobacco and corn growers. My first employer was the California Spray Chemical Company, later the company name was changed to Chevron Chemical Company. After several jobs in sales and management in the Midwest, I was transferred to California as District Manager - Fertilizer in December 1968. Coming to California was an amazing experience to me with our crop diversification, irrigated agriculture and year round farming—also our wonderful weather and traffic jams!

I had the sincere pleasure of visiting the National Agriculture in the Classroom Conference in 2008, being held in Orange County. Here, I was able to see the enthusiasm of the teachers first-hand. It was amazing!

This program is a gift that keeps on giving. A wise man once said "Give a man a fish, and you feed him for a day. Teach him to fish, and you feed him for a lifetime." That's how I feel about our program. Many of the students will go on to become community leaders, and both the teachers and their students become enthusiastic supporters of the benefits of agriculture for the rest of their lives.



# Farm Day



On October 20, 2011 San Francisco Unified School District, California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom, and California's diverse agriculture industry joined efforts for *San Francisco Farm Day*. Based on a series of historic events that gave CFAITC its start, like the original, this 25th anniversary celebration was an opportunity to show 10,000 urban students what real farmers do each day, every day of the year, and to introduce the value and abundance provided by agriculture. The event increased public awareness about agriculture by providing school garden demonstrations, school-wide assemblies, classroom presentations about agriculture, and visits from farm animals at 25 school sites throughout the district.



# Profile

## Susie Calhoun ALAMEDA COUNTY

I was raised in Livermore, and spent many days of my youth on my grandparents' ranch, who were members of the Alameda County Farm Bureau. Each summer they would take their grandchildren to the annual picnic. I then became a member of the Alameda County Young Farmers and Ranchers (YF&R). And it was through YF&R that I became a part of San Francisco Farm Day in the city.

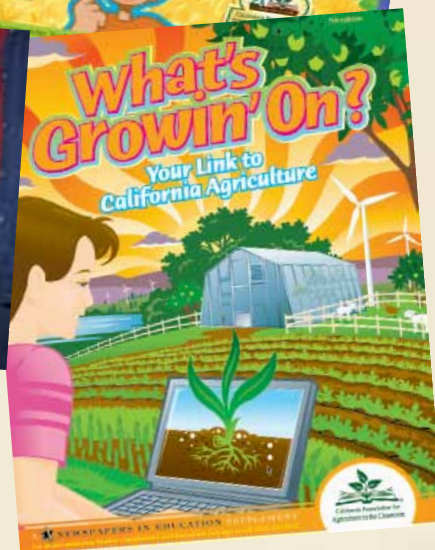
I first participated in Farm Day in 1981. I recall the excitement among our group as we loaded up the animals. Listening to Ag in the Classroom's Mark Linder on a San Francisco radio station speaking about the day as we drove across the Bay Bridge. We visited two schools—one was a newer school, another older—both with very limited space for the children and the visiting animals. Here were children in an "urban jungle," many who had never seen a farm animal. We were providing these students an opportunity to touch, smell, and ask questions about the animals. The excitement as we drove onto the campuses was in the air. We did this for several years. Farm Bureau and agriculture education has been a very important part of my life.

AITC offers so many valuable programs that it is hard to say which is the most valuable. I look forward to receiving my Cream of the Crop via email. Ag Venture in San Joaquin County is an important opportunity for many third-graders to experience the diversity of agriculture. Making it so accessible to the students by providing the transportation, at no cost, and very little planning for the teacher is critical to its success. The students always return with their plants and a wealth of information. It is an impressive amount of coordination, dedication and volunteerism to provide this opportunity to the students of San Joaquin County.



# What's Growin' On?

For ten years, the popular student resource "What's Growin' On?" has connected students and their teachers with the many agricultural products of California. Activities, trivia, readings, and graphics are effectively incorporated throughout, providing a connection for every learner. Many activities are aligned to the Content Standards for California Public Schools for grades 3-8. More than a half million are printed annually, and inserted into three major newspapers. This year's newspapers include the Sacramento Bee, Fresno Bee, and San Francisco Chronicle.



Fabulous resource. Not only will I use this in Vocational Ed, but for reading material for warm-up activity that we have the first ten minutes of class for study skills. We discuss articles that they have read, and since we live in an agriculture community this will give them some great insights to careers and Kern County. Thanks!

-Janice Summers (Kern)



# Teacher Resource Guide

## University Student Teacher Program · Website



### Teacher Resource Guide

A longstanding classic, from the very beginning, this valuable publication is an extensive collection of agriculture literacy resources and information. It is complete with thousands of classroom materials, websites, books, organizations, grant and field trip opportunities, local agriculture liaisons, and much, much more! Both in its print and electronic version, the Teacher Resource Guide is updated and produced biennially.



### University Student Teacher Program

CFAITC presents workshops in coordination with university credentialing programs aimed at introducing current student teachers-to-morrow's classroom teachers-to agricultural literacy and its many possibilities in educating young people. Workshops are presented on university campuses around the state to student teachers at no charge. The program demonstrates methods of using agriculturally themed lesson plans to enhance subjects taught at elementary and secondary levels. Presentations can be tailored to fit specific curriculum emphasis, and emphasize teacher-developed, field-tested materials correlated with California curriculum frameworks.



### [www.LearnAboutAg.org](http://www.LearnAboutAg.org)

Our home online! The website hosts our extensive collection of educational programs and resources, upcoming opportunities, recommended materials, photo galleries, and links to research, data and literature supporting agricultural literacy... all free for teachers to use in their classroom while meeting the Content Standards of State Board of Education.

### [Kids.LearnAboutAg.org](http://Kids.LearnAboutAg.org)

Our home for students online! This website provides interactive and educational games and activities, recipes, and links for students to help them learn where their food and fiber comes from.

# County Support

*California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom was founded with support from the California Farm Bureau Federation the participation of the 53 County Farm Bureaus and several other organizations such as California Women for Agriculture and Cattlewomen. It is only due to the volunteers and staff at the local level that we are able to reach the communities and schools throughout our state. By supporting local farm days, giving classroom presentations and opportunities for students to become connected to the local industry and people who supply our food and fiber, local volunteers are the backbone of our success. Thank you for your support!*





# 25 Years... By the Numbers

## THE NUMBERS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

**25 years**

*of developing and providing free, high-quality, teacher tested and factually accurate resources to support common sense integration of agriculture in California classrooms.*

**162,000**

*agriculturally themed stories written by students for our Imagine this... Story Writing Contest.*

**5,547**

*pre-service student teachers participated in agricultural literacy workshops.*

**4,500,000**

*copies of our What's Growin' On? student newspaper supplement printed and distributed in classrooms and homes throughout the state.*

**13,500**

*individual educators, administrators, volunteers, and agriculture industry representatives are AITC Ambassadors.*

**100**

*partnering agriculture and education organizations make up the Agriculture Literacy Coalition.*

**700,000**

*agriculturally themed CFAITC lesson plans downloaded.*

**10,000,000**

*students' lives touched by CFAITC programs and resources... and growing.*

*We've come a long way in 25 years, but our mission has remained constant—to create an awareness and understanding of agriculture among California's educators and students.*

*Thank you for your support as we bring to life our vision of an agriculturally literate society.*

*California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom began in 1986 with a passionate group of individuals, an increasing number of small but mighty classroom resources, and a calling to fill an important void within a growing number of California schools.*



# Special Projects and Partners



*CFAITC is fortunate to work with many organizations that share in our commitment to youth education and agriculture. Valuable programs and activities have been developed through these partnerships. California Women for Agriculture and the California Department of Food Agriculture collaborate each year for Capitol Ag Day. The California School Garden Network has been a great partnership for sharing and disseminating resources and information about school gardens. Together a book was produced, "Gardens for Learning: Creating and Sustaining Your School Garden," and an accompanying guide provides content standards. WE Garden in Capitol Park educates and inspires Californians about the important lessons that gardens teach to students. CFAITC was honored to assist former California First Lady Maria Shriver to create the garden. Foster Farms sponsored the development of a new resource, Presidential Turkey Activity Guide, and exhibited at our conferences with the Presidential Turkeys. With the support and partnership of these organizations—together—we have made a difference in the lives of students throughout the state, helping them learn about the important role of agriculture in our economy and society.*





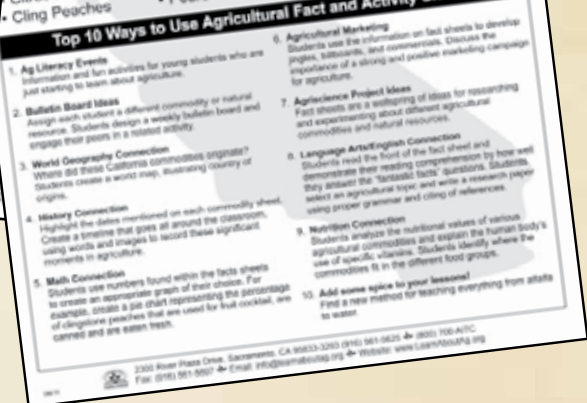
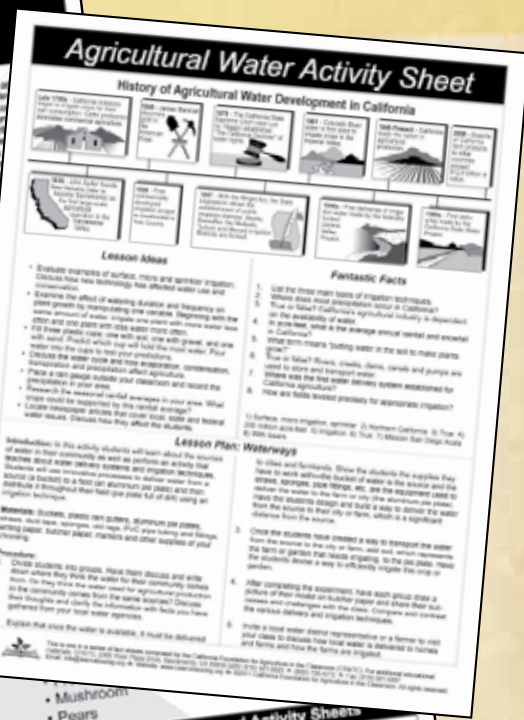
# Agricultural Fact and Activity Sheets



## SUBJECTS

These California-specific fact sheets include information on commodity production, history, nutrition, top producing counties, and economic value. The activity sheets provide specific lesson ideas and interesting facts for each topic.

- Agricultural Water
- Alfalfa
- Almonds
- Artichokes
- Asparagus
- Avocados
- Beef
- Cantaloupes
- Carrots
- Cherries
- Citrus Fruits
- Cling Peaches
- Corn
- Cotton
- Cut Flowers
- Dairy
- Dried Plums
- Dry Beans
- Eggs
- Forest Resources
- Mushroom
- Pears
- Pistachios
- Nitrogen
- Phosphorus
- Potassium
- Processing Tomato
- Rice
- Spinach
- Strawberries
- Table Grapes
- Walnuts



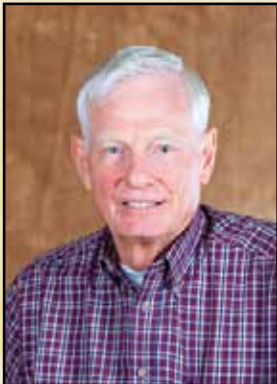
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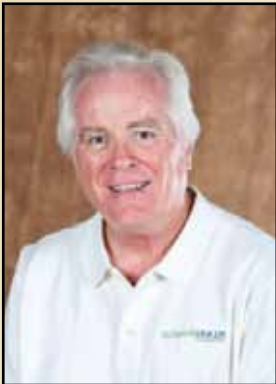
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Thank You



*Years Ended  
December 31, 2010 and 2009*

# Financial Overview

## STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

ASSETS	2010	2009
Current Assets	\$447,664	789,717
Endowment	84,463	84,463
Marketable Securities Investments	555,801	219,081
Property and Equipment, net	9,571	11,963
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b><u>\$1,097,499</u></b>	<b><u>\$1,105,224</u></b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>		
Current Liabilities	\$77,240	\$54,503
Net Assets:		
Unrestricted	863,910	882,050
Temporarily restricted	125,813	138,135
Permanently restricted	30,536	30,536
Total Net Assets	<u>1,020,259</u>	<u>1,050,721</u>
<b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	<b><u>\$1,097,499</u></b>	<b><u>\$1,105,224</u></b>

## STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

CHANGES IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS	2010	2009
PUBLIC SUPPORT AND REVENUE:		
Contributions	\$716,594	\$706,177
Special event revenue (net of direct benefits)	80,267	106,758
Program fees	33,135	41,275
Investment income	32,445	43,100
Other income (net)	16,887	3,907
Net assets released through satisfaction of program restrictions	<u>87,322</u>	<u>62,695</u>
Total unrestricted public support and revenue	<u>966,650</u>	<u>936,912</u>
EXPENSES:		
Program services	722,694	746,253
Promotion and fundraising	176,363	210,853
Management and administration	<u>85,733</u>	<u>86,299</u>
Total unrestricted expenses	<u>984,790</u>	<u>1,043,405</u>
<b>DECREASE IN UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b>	<b><u>(18,140)</u></b>	<b><u>(79,493)</u></b>
<b>CHANGES IN TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b>		
Contributions	75,000	86,875
Net assets released from restrictions	<u>(87,322)</u>	<u>(62,695)</u>
<b>INCREASE (DECREASE) IN TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS</b>	<b><u>(12,322)</u></b>	<b><u>24,180</u></b>
<b>DECREASE IN NET ASSETS</b>	<b>(30,462)</b>	<b>(55,313)</b>
NET ASSETS, Beginning of Year	<u>1,050,721</u>	<u>1,106,034</u>
NET ASSETS, End of Year	<b><u>\$1,020,259</u></b>	<b><u>\$1,050,721</u></b>

# Donors

JANUARY 1, 2010 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2011

## \$50,000 +

The James G. Boswell Foundation  
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Monrovia Growers  
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California Cherry Advisory Board  
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**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL GARDEN.  
-CATALINA REYERO, TULARE COUNTY**



**I TEACH ACADEMIC SUBJECTS AND A CLASS CALLED "GREEN TEAM" WHICH HAS A MAJOR FOCUS ON FOOD AND THE ENVIRONMENT. I HAVE JUST BECOME AWARE OF THE RESOURCES YOU PROVIDE. THANK YOU FOR MAKING THESE MATERIALS AVAILABLE TO OUR CLASSES.**

**-STELLA KENNEDY (ALAMEDA)**

**IT'S MY GOAL TO INTRODUCE AGRICULTURE TO THE YOUNG KIDS I SEE EVERY DAY! AGRICULTURE LITERACY BEGINS AT A YOUNG AGE!**

**-JAIRRIE ZOLEZZI, SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY**

**I LOVE YOUR PUBLICATIONS. THEY ARE BOTH EDUCATIONAL AND TIMELY.**

**-JOHN KIDDER, ALAMEDA COUNTY**

**I ENJOY YOUR PRODUCTS AND GREATLY APPRECIATE THAT THEY ARE AVAILABLE FREE TO EDUCATORS. THANK YOU SO MUCH,**

**-CAROLE SYLVESTER, VENTURA COUNTY**

*Thank you so much in advance! We received copies of the "What's Growin' On?" newspaper and everyone loved it including the children. Again, thank you so very much. I appreciate everything you do!!*

*-Zulma Ocampo (Los Angeles)*

*Your resources facilitate my planning and save me valuable time. I know I can count on the lessons being enjoyable and something that students can look forward to learning.*

*-Laura Romo (Los Angeles)*

**I BELIEVE IT IS VITALLY IMPORTANT FOR OUR KIDS TO UNDERSTAND THAT THE HEARTBEAT OF THIS VALLEY LIES IN AGRICULTURE.**

**-RHONDA LUNA, FRESNO COUNTY**



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As the District One Teacher Advisor, I directly interact with 43 LAUSD schools within the San Fernando Valley, with teachers of every grade level. Your resources would be made available at my next Nutrition Garden Workshop, now in the planning stages for the summer. I appreciate everything the CFAITC has done for us in the past, and hope to continue building on our relationship. Thank you in advance for your time and consideration.

Scott Miller, Los Angeles

WE HAVE UTILIZED YOUR SITE FOR ASSISTANCE IN TEACHING MANY TIMES. THANK YOU AND PLEASE KEEP UP THIS WONDERFUL RESOURCE FOR TEACHING KIDS ABOUT AGRICULTURE IN CALIFORNIA

ANN CORVETTI, SAN BERNARDINO

I am very happy to have found this organization. I have been wanting to incorporate agriculture into my classroom for quite some time now.

-Maura Lindsay, Santa Barbara County

**YOUR ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN INVALUABLE TO ME—I CANNOT STRESS THIS ENOUGH. WITHOUT CFAITC, I WOULD HAVE NO CENTRAL LOCATION TO LOOK FOR EVERYTHING THAT WE NEED.**

**WE LOOOOOOOVE CFAITC!!!**

**-RHODA FRY, SANTA CLARA COUNTY**

**MANY THANKS TO AG IN THE CLASSROOM FOR CONNECTING EDUCATION AND AGRICULTURE LIKE NO OTHER ORGANIZATION CAN!**

**-DEBORAH BEALL**

**THANK YOU CALIFORNIA FOUNDATION FOR AGRICULTURE IN THE CLASSROOM FOR A WONDERFUL EXPERIENCE AND CONGRATULATIONS FOR TWENTY FIVE YEARS OF INSPIRING TEACHERS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.**

**-NANCY HARRIS**



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