



Seeds of Resilience

Locally Adapted and Community Selected



Join us at our next [Fort Bragg Garden Club](#) meeting, on **Monday, April 8**, when Julia Dakin of "Going to Seed" will talk about how we can decommercialize our gardens by re-learning an ancestral lens that embraces diversity and community-led food and seed sovereignty. You'll learn about the tangible benefits of using locally adapted seeds that thrive in our cool summer climate, including melons! Locally grown and contributed seeds will be available to take home, and you will be encouraged to choose a single species to learn how to save seeds from, to share with your community.

Julia Dakin is a farmer and seed activist in Mendocino County. She has been involved in agriculture for most of her life, and has devoted the past few years to growing market crops and teaching the benefits of seed saving, local adaptation, and genetic diversity. She recently started working with Xa Kako Dile;, an Indigenous women-led farm on Northern Pomo Land, increasing the quality and quantity of locally grown native and nutrient-dense seeds to share with the Mendocino County coastal community.

This meeting will be held at the [Mendocino Coast Botanical Garden's Education Center](#), also known as the Farmhouse. You can also join the meeting via Zoom by using the [CONTACT](#) link on this page or emailing fbgcpresident@mcn.org.

