## Delta Food Coalition Newsletter volume 2 April 2010

Harvesting Health, Creating Community

The Delta Food Coalition: building Community Capacity through a Collaborative effort will result in 'A Sustainable Healthy Community with Food for All.'





Food is essential to our lives. The Delta Food Coalition includes community citizens and community organizations who are working together to increase food security in Delta. The Coalition is open to all sectors including business, labour, non-profit, residents and all levels of government. Community members may participate by choice at self-determined levels of capacity and interest with the goal of increasing community capacity and building economic and social opportunities for the purpose of enhancing food security and sustainability.

What is Food Security?

Food Security happens when all people at all times have access to food that is:

- Affordable, safe and healthy
- Is culturally acceptable
- Meets specific dietary needs
- Is obtained in a dignified manner
- Produced in ways that are
- environmentally and socially just

## The food system includes:

- Everyone who eats
- Everyone who grows or catches food
- Food wholesalers and warehouses
- Places that sell food
- The transportation system
- Anyone or anything else?

## Join the Delta Food Coalition to learn more

Next Meeting: Tuesday April 20, 2010 - 8:30am to 10:00am

Boys' and Girls' Club Wintemute in Ladner

4727 Arthur Drive



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Looking for something to do to celebrate Earth Day? Celebrate at Earthwise Farm Join us at the Wellness Fair 6pm followed by: Film & Discussion 7pm



