**FULL BLOOM ECO FARM AND COMMUNITY**

**What comes with full membership to Full Bloom community:**

* Equal decision-making power
* Be a part of an innovative social and ecological experiment. We believe intentional community is a place of increased security in a world threatening economic collapse.
* A secure sense of place, an opportunity to deepen connection to land and ecology, as well as a growing wider community of small farmers, producers, activists and homesteaders.
* Use of shop, sauna, gardens, greenhouse, music room, healing room, commercial kitchen with food preservation infrastructure, all maintained through the systems set up by community.
* Constant access to forests, mountains, and a wide variety of natural beauty.
* A community that is willing to support your personal and professional growth.

**New Member Application Form**

After reading all the information in the New Member Info Sheet, please give detailed answers to the following questions on a separate piece of paper, and send or deliver it to Full Bloom, c/o Rosie Demmin, 3000 Yale Creek Road, Jacksonville, OR.  9753

1. **Personal Details:**

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| Surname: | First Name: |
| Date of birth: | Gender: Female / Male: |
| Home Address: | City/Town: |
| Phone (landline): | Phone (Mobile): |
| Email: | Website (if applicable): |
| How many family members and pets would you bring here to live with you? | Do you plan on expanding your family any time soon? |
| List family member names and ages: | |
| Do you have any special needs?  I.E. disability, strict diet, etc. | |

**2)   Are you interested in becoming a full or an associate member, or are you unsure?**

3)   **If you have a partner, is he/she interested in becoming a member as well?  Please have him/her fill out this questionnaire separately.**

4)   **Why do you want to live in this community?  What do you think this community has to offer you?**

5)   **Have you lived in community before?  If yes, describe that community and any positive or negative experiences you had there.  What feedback have you gotten regarding the experience of living with you?**

6)   **What are the benefits you see to living communally in general?**

7)   **Have you had experience with consensus decision-making?  Please describe. If you’ve had none, are you at all familiar with the process?**

8)   **How do you see yourself adding to the community here?**

9)   **Are there any skills you have that would benefit the community that you did not share in the previous answer?**

10)  **How will you support yourself financially while living here?  Are you interested in work that may be available here?**

11)   **Tell us what “sustainability” means to you.**

12)  **Take a few minutes to think about and list your “bottom lines,” that is, anything that you cannot tolerate living with in your community.  Some examples may be: killing livestock for consumption, noisy parties, illegal drug use, or lots of people coming through for daily tours.**

13)  **Do you have any personal relationships that may affect your participation in community?  I.E. Partners or children living outside the home, caretaking for a sick relation, etc.  Please describe.**

14)   **What is your experience with children?**

15)  **What are your household needs?  How many rooms does your family ideally want? Are you comfortable sharing kitchen, bathroom, and laundry facilities, cooking communally and using a compost toilet?  Please answer for short and long-term ideals.**

16)  **What are your health concerns or special needs?  Do these require accommodations or limit you in daily activities?**

17)  **What is your usual diet?  List any dietary restrictions.**

18)  **Do you imagine that, if happy here, you may want to stay long term (15+ years) or do you have other life plans that will draw you away sooner?**

19)  **Do you have any hobbies and interests that haven’t been listed previously?   Tell us anything more about yourself that you’d like us to hear.**

20)  **What are your passions and goals?**

21)  **When would you like to complete your 14-day visit (or a 7-day visit if you are applying for associate membership only).**

22)  **If accepted as a provisional member, when would you ideally like to start your 6 (or 3) month live-in provisional membership?**

23)  **Is there further information you’d like from us?**

For those applying for full membership only:

24) **At the end of your 6-month provisional membership period, if accepted as a full member, are you able to make your full contribution of $150,000 per person up front?  Or if you opt to sign a loan contract with the LLC, would you be able to make the 10% requested down payment of $15,000 each, or any portion of that?  (The answers to these questions do not affect our decision to accept you as a new member, they only help us figure out the timeline and funds available for any new infrastructure we may need to house you permanently).**

**Please e-mail to:**

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