

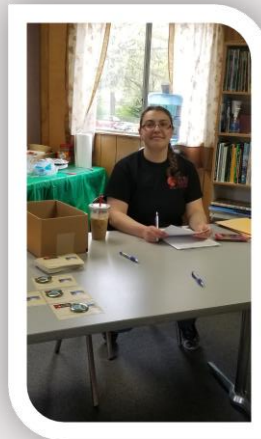


# Tsuru Island

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*When you follow your bliss....doors will open where you would not have thought there would be doors, and where there wouldn't be a door for anyone else. -*

*Joseph Campbell*



James Card and Tomiko Takeuchi of Gresham Japanese Garden sponsored "Green and Clean" in the park.



### Jump start Spring Garden:

Cut off the bottom of a coffee can, flip it over to add drainage slits in the plastic lid. Fill it with potting soil and plant seeds. When it is warm enough to transfer the seedlings, simply remove the plastic lid and slide out the contents soil and all to avoid disturbing the tender roots. Flowers and vegetables alike can be started. *Birds and Blooms*



Tidbit: To prevent aphids on your rosebushes try this...Plant a small piece of potato, "eye" pointing up, about 3 inches deep, 4-6 inches from the rosebush. The potato vine won't interfere with the growth of the rosebush. It may make the rose bush look fuller. *Birds and Blooms*

