

## Get Involved in Redbud – Open Positions February 2019

**\*Volunteer Chair:** Coordinate recruitment, assignment, and recognition of volunteers, primarily for annual Plant Sales, and for other activities and projects as needed. Develop, maintain, and update annotated lists of volunteer and prospective volunteer names and contact information. Use software for recruiting and organizing volunteers.

**\*Education Chair:** Inform Board and membership about educational events/issues. Propose and develop educational activities for chapter, and coordinate educational activities with other organizations to involve members and the public. Develop and maintain supply of educational handouts for meetings, plant sales, and other activities. Develop and oversee California native plant-related grant programs for local schools and non-profits. Oversee scholarships for botanical research on local flora or native plant-related training/professional development.

**\*Co-Editor for Newsletter** – With editor, prepare and publish four e-newsletters per year. Ideally, experienced in using publishing software to layout both electronic and print versions of newsletter.

**\*Co-editor for Web Site:** With editor, update, maintain, and design the Redbud Chapter web site. Prepare site for move to new format and content management system. Experience with using WordPress highly desirable.

**\* Co-Chair, Plant Sale Coordinating Committee:** With other members of plant sale Committee, pick dates and book facilities for plant sales. Coordinate with Volunteer, Publicity, Horticulture, Publications, Education, Conservation, and Plant Science Chairs and with Treasurer in planning and holding plant sales.

**\*President Elect** – Serve in training to become president. Assist with management and oversight of activities initiated by the chapter; in president's absence, serves as chair of board and member meetings.

### Join a Committee/workgroup ...

**\* Native Plant Propagation group** -- exchange seeds and plants, learn techniques for propagating native plants by seed and cuttings, hold workshops, grow plants for the sale.

**\* Advocacy committee** – learn about key issues related to conservation, preservation, and restoration of native plants and plant communities/habitat; learn how to and makes comments on EIRS, development plans, and engage in effective advocacy in writing and at Board of Supervisor, Planning Committee, and other official meetings.

**\* Ethnobotany Chair/committee member** – learn and share information about how California native tribes used native plants for food, medicine, tools, basketry, and more; sponsor field trips and meetings.

(We also have committees on Rare Plants, Conservation, and building a current Nevada County plant list).