

Community Outreach

Training the Next Generation



"Sam Polly is one of the most interesting and knowledgeable [naturalists] on the North Coast. Our edible plant tour lasted about two hours and I learned more than by reading 20 books. It is amazing how many plants in our area are edible and accessible. Not only does he know the scientific Genus and Species, but the native legends as well. It's like walking in the woods with a young John Muir."

- Don Brown
State Farm Insurance
Fortuna, CA

"When I decided to convert my small town yard from low maintenance to edibles, I called Sam Polly. He grew up farming in the county and graduated from Cal Poly majoring in soil science. He came out to help me with layout and choose the best plants that would thrive in my yard. He helped with removing old plants and preparing the soil and planting the new young ones. He's friendly and easy to work with, but also extremely knowledgeable about the local plants and insects."

- Karen Delangelo
AFLAC Insurance
Fortuna, CA

Urban Agriculture



Mother's Day Native Plant Breakfast Casserole



Stewardship Outreach and Education



1. Soil Analysis
2. Amendment Recommendation
3. Edible Landscape Consultation