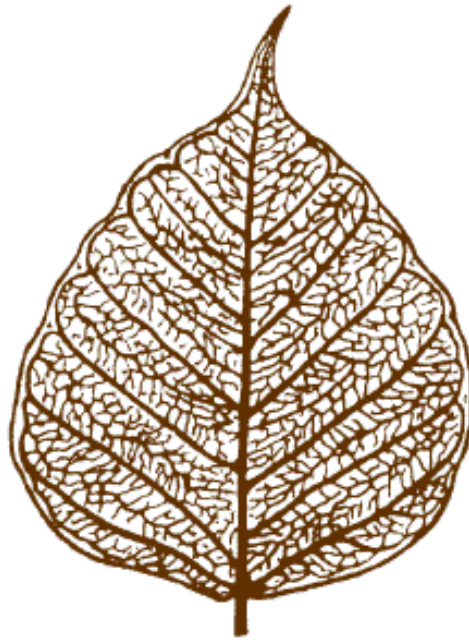


DIRECTORY OF PROFESSIONAL AESTHETIC PRUNERS 2012



Inspired by aesthetics, guided by nature.

AESTHETIC PRUNING embraces the creative interpretation of small trees and shrubs in the urban context. The living art form combines the artistic skill of the pruner, the essence of a tree, the science of horticulture and needs of clients and surroundings ≈ Dennis Makishima.

About This Directory

The pruners in this directory combine sound horticulture with an eye for movement, line, structure and form. Their focus is on small trees and shrubs, usually under fifteen feet tall. They welcome new challenges in integrating plant material with its surroundings. They deepen garden harmony and unity by pruning within the garden's context.

A respect for trees and their vitality is paramount in their approach. Horticultural, environmental and climatic conditions factor into every aspect of their work. Plant health is their first priority. Much of the work is done on a seasonal basis, that is when conditions are best suited for a particular type of pruning. It may take several prunings to implement their vision, as they progress only as quickly as benefits a tree.

Many of the pruners listed have studied with master pruner Dennis Makishima or with his leading students. They are trained at recognizing natural forms and utilizing them to allow a tree to completely express its essence and tell its story. Each has individual styles and specialties to offer their clients. The aim of this directory is to assist the public in locating a uniquely qualified professional aesthetic pruner.

****Listings are alphabetical by last name.**

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ALLIGER, MICHAEL (707) 829-3404

Japanese garden pruning and the delicate touch of Japanese maples since 1986. Pruning classes and demonstrations for groups or one-on-one.

Work area: Sonoma County, California.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

AOYAMA, SACHIYO (510) 849-4408

Pruning for beauty and health, specializing in Japanese black pines, maples and Japanese Gardens. Will work with other plants. Twice trained in Japan. Fifteen years experience.

Will travel beyond the San Francisco Bay Area to where plants need me. Have worked in Japan, Holland, Seattle, Boston, Chicago, Wisconsin and Austin, Texas and San Diego.

BAKARICH, MADELINE (650) 365-9941

dba: Shoots & Branches

shootsandbranches@yahoo.com

Garden & Aesthetic Pruning Coach: I will teach you to prune and maintain the plants and trees in your garden; including camellias, roses, vines & shrubs, Japanese maples, flowering trees and citrus and plant/tree selection for the site. Since 2001.

Work area: Peninsula, San Jose and Bishop CA.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

BLOOMBERG, DIANE (925) 382-3516

dianeblumberg@hotmail.com

Aesthetic, natural style pruning for plants/Trees fifteen feet and lower. Training: Certification from Merritt College Landscape, Horticulture and Design programs. Completion of Merritt College Aesthetic Pruning training program including course work and monthly pruning clinics.

Work area: Primarily east of the Caldecott Tunnel; Livermore, Pleasanton, Dublin, San Ramon, Danville, Alamo, Walnut Creek, Moraga, Lafayette. Flexible depending on job scope.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

BOWYER, PETER THOMAS (510) 658-4941

Landscape Contractor 712862

mail@peterthomasbowyer.com

website: peterthomasbowyer.com

Garden designer-builder, horticulturalist, aesthetic pruner. Tree climbing to 4 stories/40'. Sees shaping earth, water and plants as equally important in the larger scheme and to creating beauty in detail. Inspirations range from natural landscapes to cultural ones.

Works with organizations, government, citizens, customers and other trades. Leader of numerous projects in public gardens. Speaks Spanish well, and Japanese poorly.

Experienced (since 1981), well trained (6 certificates) and well equipped.

Work area: East Bay, Marin, the Peninsula and Japan.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

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BROWN, BOB (925) 754-3113

Aesthetic pruning of pines, maples, Junipers and deciduous trees. Specialty: Meeting the needs of my customers with flexibility and neatness. Pruning trees to adapt with the garden theme and landscape.

Work area: Contra Costa County, Bay Area and Lake Tahoe.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

BUCHER, KAT (256) 783-7266

osoberry7@gmail.com

Arborist, Designer and Lecturer. Pruning to restore shrubs and small trees to beauty and health. Native and container (specimen) plants, sustainable landscapes and Japanese garden aesthetics.

Work area: Huntsville, Alabama; Bay Area; Pacific Northwest.

BUCK, LESLIE (510) 295-7006

Lbuckeye2@gmail.com

With satisfied clients for over fifteen years, I enjoy working in the smallest private garden to large estates. I specialize in pruning individual trees and shrubs *as natural as possible*. I help customers contemplate their established gardens, bringing out design and atmosphere. Sometimes I'll prune just one special camellia plant in an old woodland garden, or fifteen specimen magnolia trees in a contemporary landscape. I lecture yearly, particularly on the topic "pruning for beginners," while I write a memoir of my adventures working in the Japanese landscape company, Ueto Zoen.

Work area: Berkeley, Oakland, Contra Costa and Marin County

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

BUELL, NANCY (510) 418-6564

nbuell@comcast.net

Aesthetic pruning of urban trees and shrubs with careful attention to plant health and bringing out the beauty and character of each tree or shrub. Offering a range from focal point, detailed pruning, to a more casual look for background trees, shrubs and hedges. Experienced with a wide range of plants found in Japanese, Mediterranean or native gardens. Open to sharing expertise with homeowners as desired

Work area: Bay Area

BURMAN, MARYANN (650) 868-2427

sacrdspce@yahoo.com

Creating Sacred Space: *harmonizing our inner & outer lives*. Skill, intuition and wisdom integrate art and science in aesthetic pruning of Japanese maples, Japanese black pine, ornamental trees and shrubs. Group and individual instruction on topics such as Aesthetic Pruning, Healing and Nature, Intention and Intuition, Working with the Energy of the Garden, Healing Touch.

Work area: *Serving the San Francisco Bay Area since 2001.*

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CANARY, EMERALD (510) 981-8041

emeraldcanary@earthlink.net

Aesthetic pruning of small trees and shrubs. Pruning of small fruit trees. Illustration for landscape design.

Work area: Primarily East Bay

CAREY, LISA (510) 849-4332

seedsofgrowth@yahoo.com

cell: (510) 847-2577

website: <http://www.sagestonelandscapes.com>

Gentle sculptor of trees and shrubs retaining natural form and beauty. Pruning for sustained health, well being and future. Landscape design, installation and cultivation. Garden staging including container plants. Work with contractors and clients on importance of early, ongoing pruning of established trees and shrubs, after installation, to maximize health, form, beauty and longevity of plants. Bay Friendly Landscape Maintenance Certified and a Green Certified Business.

Work area: Bay Area, especially the East Bay.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

CASTELLON, BILL (510) 569-8003

billcastellon@aol.com

dba: Bill Castellon Landscapes

Japanese aesthetics in garden design, construction and maintenance. Specializing in stone placement, pruning and bonsai. Aesthetic pruning and stone placement instructor at Merritt College. Lectures and workshops on related topics. Gold Medals, 2000 San Francisco Garden Show and seen on HGTV.

CHURCH, CARTER (650) 348-3576

cchurch3259@sbcglobal.net

Aesthetic, natural pruning. Forming, remedial and maintenance pruning. General gardening.

Work area: San Francisco and Peninsula.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

CHURGEL, PETE (510) 843-1901

petethepruner@earthlink.net

website: <http://home.earthlink.net/petethepruner/>

Aesthetic pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs. Specializing in Japanese maples, black pines and wisteria; Japanese garden pruning; container trees and bonsai. Pruning consultations, instruction and lectures/demonstrations. Certified arborist: ISA #6700A.

Tree appraisals and consultations; hazard assessments.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

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CLAY, TERRI (805) 647-0352

Aesthetic pruning and garden consulting business specializing in Japanese Niwaki style pruning. Sixteen years work experience at Ganna Walska Lotusland in Santa Barbara, California, as team leader, horticulturist and pruner was trained and mentored by master pruner, Frank Fujii of Lotusland. Attended horticultural classes, seminars and conferences. B.S. degree in biological sciences.

Work area: Santa Barbara and Ventura counties

COHEN, JOCELYN (415) 285 2342

jocelyn@jocelync.com;

dba: Poetree Landscapes and Arboriculture

website: <http://poetree-care.blogspot.com>

Certified Arborist #WE7063A . Fine pruning of trees and shrubs including focal point, crown restoration and bringing out the essence of the plant. Landscape design for garden and sidewalk pocket parks. Preservation reports, tree assessment and consulting. Available for pruning workshops and presentations.

Work area: Bay Area, including San Francisco, East Bay and Peninsula.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

COOLEY, CAROLYN (505) 920-0322

cbcooley@yahoo.com

Fine pruning of trees and shrubs, specializing in Japanese maples, fruit trees, pines and native plants.

Work area: Santa Fe, northern New Mexico; Olympia and Seattle, Washington

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

COUNTS, CURTIS (805) 434-1763 (OFFICE AND FAX NUMBER ARE THE SAME)

curtiscuentas@gmail.com

Pruning specimen evergreen and deciduous trees and shrubs, Japanese maples, pines and conifers.

Work area: San Luis Obispo County, Monterey County, and Santa Barbara County.

Da SILVA, STEVE (559)834-5464

treekutter@hotmail.com

Japanese garden pruning. Bonsai care and classes. Pruning workshops and classes.

Lectures on pines, deciduous trees and Japanese maples.

Work area: California, especially the Central Valley.

DE TAILLANDIER, GHISLAIN (415) 776-7594

ghislainsf@gmail.com

A horticulturally sound and natural touch to pruning. Japanese maple, black pine, container trees, vines.

Work area: San Francisco Bay Area, especially North Bay and France

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ELLISON, HEATHER (510) 846-4590

heather@greenelements.com

website: www.greenelements.com

Certified horticulturalist and veritable tree lover, specializing in the care and pruning of urban trees and shrubs under 20'. Young tree training and care, street trees, garden trees, CA natives. Background in both science and aesthetics comes together to create and maintain beautiful, healthy city trees- diamonds in the rough. Bilingual in English and Spanish.

Certified Arborist # WE-8247A.

Work area: Based in San Francisco, but will travel throughout the Bay Area.

FOERSTER, GRANT (510) 334-1842

xlgrant@yahoo.com

Pruning from the heart. Expressive pruning of trees and shrubs. Specializing in Japanese maples, pines & container plants. Client-centered pruning illuminating the essence of plants and gardens. Former Staff Gardener Japanese Tea Garden, Golden Gate Park.

Work area: East Bay and the Bay Area.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

FUJII, WALTER (650) 573-8733 (office) fax: (650) 345-7890 dba: Natural Designs

Also staff arborist at Ralph Osterling Consultants, Inc. ASCA registered consulting Arborist #402. ISA certified arborist #WE2257A. WC/ISA certified tree worker #623. High definition tree pruning. Will work with aesthetic pruners to accent focal point trees. Consulting arborist for tree diagnosis, appraisal and management. Presentations or opportunities outside of California are welcomed.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

GATES, JULIE (415) 722-2122

finepruning@yahoo.com

dba: Garden Transformations

website: www.naturalpruning.com

B.S. Horticulture, Certified Arborist CCB# 834351. Pruning with a design emphasis since 1980. Definition and layering of overall garden tapestry. Long-term vision: I'm committed to evolving the garden to maximize your pleasure in the space. Specialties: Japanese maples, bamboo, dwarf conifers, fruit trees, wisteria, specialty training and espalier, vine-training. I work to heal mal-pruned plants, establish balance, and develop styling of focal point plants. Pruning workshop leader: Groups, private lessons, demos, slide presentations. For the lay person and landscape professional. In Spanish and/or English.

Work area: Marin, Palo Alto, Woodside, Napa, SF, Orinda/Lafayette

GIANELLI, TONY (510) 670-4750 (Home/Fax)

TonyGianelli@hotmail.com

Aesthetic pruning of garden trees and shrubs. Certified Horticulturist. Specializing in Japanese gardens, black pines, maples, camellias and container trees. Bonsai care. Garden restoration, design, installation and maintenance. Pruning consultations.

Work area: East/Bay Area, Contra Costa County.

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HANSKEN, TIM (707) 874-3071

Japanese style garden building and pruning, consultations and workshops. Nobedan construction, works with California natives. Expertise in bamboo; groves, plantings, pruning, care and fence building with bamboo. Works and consults in China on large and small scale projects.

Work area: Sonoma (West County) and Kunming, China

HARVEY, KERRY (772) 559-1021

kerry@kerryharvey.com

website: www.kerryharvey.com

Originally from Australia, trained and mentored in the San Francisco Bay Area by Master Pruner Dennis Makishima; currently based in Gulfport, Florida. Certificate in Horticulture - Merritt College. Passionate about enhancing specimen trees and shrubs for aesthetically pleasing results. I especially love to do reconstructive work on trees/shrubs, and entire gardens that are not shining at their full potential. FCHP - Florida Certified Horticulture Professional.

Work area: Florida - Tampa/St Pete area and Gulf and Treasure Coasts.

HEGY, JANINE (360) 477-5885

Stonemason with 10+ years of experience. Aesthetic pruner, master gardener. Design and installation of hardscapes. Strong eye for incorporating existing elements with a long-term plan. Enjoy challenges, travel and creating spaces. Highlight on native plants in the landscape.

Primary work area: Washington, Oregon, California.

HULS, LARY (510) 393 9581

lhuls11@hotmail.com

website: www.lhulsdesigns.com

Full service landscape design and construction; Specializing in custom outdoor woodwork (gates, arbors and decks) and dry-laid stonework including walls, patios and walkways, in addition to aesthetic pruning. We offer water-wise irrigation installation/trouble shooting and outdoor lighting. Bronze medal San Francisco Flower and Garden Show, 2005, Instructor: *Using Stone in the Garden*, Merritt College, Oakland, CA. Licensed, bonded and insured. Bay Friendly Qualified Designer.

Work area: San Leandro and/or greater East Bay.

INGRAM, CHRISTOPHER (415) 786-5725

dba: Mr. Prune Tree Service

cbingram555@gmail.com

Certified Arborist (#WE7743A) specializing in aesthetic pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs: Japanese maples, black pines, dwarf conifers, camellias, flowering trees and wisteria. Regular focal-point pruner at the Japanese Tea Garden in Golden Gate Park.

Orchard background w/25+ yrs experience pruning/managing fruit trees. Old tree lover.

Rehabilitation of damaged/neglected trees. Tree health evaluations, pruning consultations, instruction, lectures and demonstrations, tree talks & walks for families, classes or groups. Spanish fluent.

Work Area: wide range stretching from Marin County and San Francisco down to Santa Clara County and as far east as Contra Costa County. Also Butte County (Oroville area).

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

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JONES, LINDSEY (510)590-8721

linzonia@yahoo.com

website: www.pruningbylindsey.com

Gardening coach, aesthetic pruning of ornamental and fruit trees, shrubs and container plants. I select my cuts carefully to keep trees and shrubs beautiful, healthy, and appropriately sized to your garden. Fourteen years horticultural experience.

Work Area: Greater Bay Area.

KANEMASU, RUSSELL (916) 541-3222

ikanemasu@aol.com

Japanese aesthetic pruning of small trees, plants and shrubs. Bonsai style pruning, specializing in Japanese black pine, maples and Japanese gardens. Experienced in bonsai. Work area: Sacramento, Central Valley, Bay Area, California. Will travel anywhere.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

LEE, RANDALL (510) 864-0841

randallalee@yahoo.com

Aesthetic pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs. Over fifteen years experience. Specializing in Japanese black pines, Japanese maples, Japanese garden pruning, bonsai repotting and pruning. Pruning consultation, lectures, bonsai workshops.

Work area: Especially Alameda, East Bay and beyond.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

LEVIN, ALLISON (510) 292-9484

gonative@sonic.net

(415) 332-1428

Whole garden settings and focal point trees. California native shrubs/trees for every garden style; "wild" aesthetics; Japanese garden sensibilities. Pines, maples, magnolias, coffeeberry.

Work area: Marin County, San Francisco, and the East Bay

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

LEWIS, MARYANN (510) 437-9284

elmworks@maryannlewis.com

website: www.maryannlewis.com

Aesthetic pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs for homes and small businesses. Design consultations and long term planning/pruning for gardens.

Work area: Bay Area, California, Pacific Northwest and Montana. Open to travel.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

MARIOLLE, JAN (510) 553-0889

jan.mariolle.pruning@earthlink.net

I provide a professional garden pruning service emphasizing long term customer service relationships. Reasonable rates and high quality seasonal maintenance of small trees and shrubs. It is of special interest and privilege to continue the legacy of the Japanese American black pine style.

Work area: Bay Area, especially the East Bay.

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McCALL, TOM (510) 236-0946

tmakll@hotmail.com

Certificate in aesthetic pruning of shrubs and small trees. Fifteen years experience in the Berkeley/Oakland area.

MCNAMARA, MARY ANN (510) 384-5879

maryannism@yahoo.com

Pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs, bringing them into harmonious balance with their surroundings. Creative solutions for your garden.

Work area: Bay Area and Beyond.

MILLER, JERRY - Accent Pruning (510) 547-8894

roseave@pacbell.net

Serving the mature landscapes of Piedmont, Oakland and Berkeley, we'll bring out the best in your garden. Using the art and science of aesthetic pruning, we'll recover the essence of your ornamental trees and shrubs, enhance the beauty of your plants, and maintain the scale of your environment. References.

MILLER, KEVAN LANE (510) 986-1112

Aesthetic pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs. Japanese gardens. Special interest in California Natives and Mediterranean plants for our Bay Area climate.

Work area: Bay Area

MILLER, MARIE (510) 232-1197

Aesthetic, thoughtful pruning of garden trees and shrubs. Emphasis on creating harmonious environments. Garden restoration, Japanese garden style pruning, especially maples, pines and container plants. Pruning teacher with an emphasis on hands-on learning. Also lectures and consultation.

Work area: Bay Area, especially Marin County. Will travel to teach/prune.

MITTLEIDER, NORM (770) 851-7083

aopruning@att.net

Aesthetic pruning of Japanese maples, pines, other conifers and flowering shrubs & trees.

Work area: metro Atlanta, north Georgia.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

DBA: Art of Pruning

website: <http://www.art-of-pruning.com>

MIYAHARA, FRED (619) 286-8602

trisham@cox.net

Fax: (619) 286-8919

Bonsai pruning, wiring and design. Specialty: GRAFTING – 15 years grafting (Kishu Shimpaku to San Jose junipers or Prostrata junipers; also Cork bark pine, Mikawa, Bansho & Kotobuki black pines onto Japanese black pine stock. (Willing to travel throughout country to do demos or workshops.) Aesthetic pruning landscape Japanese black pines (in San Diego area).

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MRUS, DAVE (650) 207-7543

D_Mrus@direcpc.com

website: www.palettesofnature.com

Aesthetic pruning of California Natives and ornamentals. Drought tolerant landscape designs with emphasis on wildlife habitats and usage of rare and endangered California Native plants.

Work area: Bay Area

NARA, YUKI (510) 527-8817

yukicha7@sbcglobal.net

website: www.wayofmaple.com

Way of naturalistic pruning; lectures, classes and workshops with insight and inspiration for all levels. To impart respect for and harmony with nature in lectures and pruning work with trees. Specialties: Winter silhouette work, Japanese garden, Japanese maple and black pine.

Work area: Bay Area, United States, Japan. Open to national and international opportunities.

PHILLIPS, DAVID (415) 665-2155

Aesthetic pruning of ornamental trees and shrubs. Specializing in Japanese maples, pines and conifers. . Working in the field over twenty years.

Work area: San Francisco, Marin, San Mateo counties and willing to travel.

PORTER, KATHERINE (KAT) (510) 632-7049

Aesthetic pruning of small trees and shrubs; edible landscape design with a family-and pet-friendly emphasis.

Work area: East Bay.

POTTS, MARGIE C. (510) 482-4893

artofpruning@comcast.net

Aesthetic pruning with specialization in Japanese maples and lace leaf maples. Residential design, garden management, consultation and instruction . In spring of 2005, will self publish an aesthetic pruning calendar for the Bay Area.

Work area: S.F. Bay Area, zone 14-17. Will travel nationally and internationally. Frequent the Seattle, Chicago and Washington D.C. metro areas on a regular basis.

QUINTANILLA, PETER (831) 760-0160

ISA Certified Arborist. Care of small trees and shrubs. Fine pruning of Japanese maples and other specimen trees. Structural pruning for young trees and canopy restoration for badly pruned trees. Fruit tree, conifer and wisteria pruning.

Work area: Monterey Peninsula to Santa Clara County.

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RUIZ, ELIZABETH (415) 368-8875

elizaruiz@yahoo.com

dba: Go With Nature

website: www.gowithnature.net

The aim of 'Go with Nature!' is to create ecologically sound urban landscapes. Specializing in fruit tree pruning for fruit production, formative training for young trees, tree health - reinvigoration of damaged or neglected trees, and aesthetics by bring trees in harmony with their landscapes. Garden design and consultation. Pruning classes and demonstrations for groups or one-on-one in English or Spanish.

Work area: California and Latin America.

SHIELDS, DIANE (510) 482-2351

skillfulpruning@gmail.com

Skillful and professional aesthetic pruning of trees and shrubs under 15 feet. Reasonably priced. Creating and carrying out a sensible plan for each plant to achieve a graceful, pleasing line. Practical and artistic.

Work area: Mainly East Bay, some travel possible.

THOMAS, JUDY (510) 568-2960

judythomas@earthlink.net

Registered Consulting Arborist. ISA certified arborist #113, Member of NCTLC, Med. 6 SOC., ASCA, ISA, CAA. Retired Landscape horticulture instructor at Merritt College, Oakland, California. Owner of Bay Area Plant Consultants. Tree appraisals, horticulture advisor, casualty loss assessments, arbitrator of tree disputes, litigation, plant identification and selection, landscape appraisal and evaluation. Speaker on plants, planting, pruning, trees and the law, horticulture and turf issues.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

THOMAS, KATRINE (510) 517-4541

katrine@katrinethomas.com

website: www.katrinethomas.com

Horticulturist, aesthetic pruner, residential garden designer.

Work area: California and Europe.

Certified Aesthetic Pruner

THOMPSON, BRUCE (510) 428-4964

brucethompson13@gmail.com

Combining art and science in the care of your small trees. I work with trees to develop and enhance their natural beauty in a way that compliments your entire garden. I also prune fruit trees for production and ease of harvest. Specialties include: Japanese maples, pines, camellias, focal point and specimen pruning, proper staking and training of young trees. Hands on pruning instructor and active member of the Merritt College Pruning Club.

Work area: Bay Area, especially the East Bay.

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UMEHARA, SACHIKO & MIKE (707) 528-2917

dba: Momiji Nursery

www.momijinursery.com

Our ONLY focus is Japanese maples, our lifetime labor of love. We seed, grow, propagate and prune. One, two, five, seven, fifteen, twenty & twenty four inch boxes. Come see us at 2765 Stony Point Road, Santa Rosa, CA 95407.

WEINSTEIN, SARASA YASUKO (510) 530-1865

dba: Sarasa's Midlife Crisis

Gardening

marusara@hotmail.com

Aesthetic pruning and gardening consultations.

Work area: East Bay

WEISS, KURT (925) 202-6686

Aesthetic pruning of small trees and shrubs. Pruning to achieve a natural effect to compliment

the existing garden/landscape.

Work area: East Bay and Southern California

WELLS, DONNA (510) 549-2153

mamadonnawells@aol.com

Pruning small trees and shrubs to a natural look. Merritt College Aesthetic Pruning Award.

Work Area: East Bay, Sacramento

YGLESIA, STACY (510) 531-6620

Garden Pruner. Selective pruning to complement the natural form of trees, shrubs, and vines.

Consultation and design to enhance the character of individual gardens.

Special interest in Bonsai.

Work area: Primarily East Bay

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What is Merritt College Pruning Club?

MCPC is an organization of dedicated pruners who enjoy participating in service projects for non-profit organizations, where we share and exchange knowledge. The club welcomes new members, both students and non-students of any skill level.

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Volunteer Venues past and present include the following:

- Berkeley Buddhist Temple
- Berkeley Rose Garden
- Chaparral House, Berkeley
- Dunsmuir House, Oakland
- El Cerrito City Hall
- El Cerrito Library
- Fresno City College
- Golden State Bonsai Federation Collection North, Oakland
- Green Gulch Monastery, Marin County
- Hakone Garden, Saratoga
- Heather Farms, Walnut Creek
- Ichinose Garden, Hillsborough
- Knowland Park Zoo, Oakland
- Lakeside Park Japanese Garden, Oakland
- Living Library, San Miguel Child Development Center, San Francisco
- Marin Art and Garden Center
- Merritt College Horticulture Department Gardens
- Oakland Park Day School, Oakland
- Richmond Arts Center
- Rockridge Library, Oakland
- San Francisco Flower and Garden Show
- San Francisco Japanese Tea Garden
- University of California Berkeley Botanic Garden
- Shinzen Japanese Garden, Fresno
- Shinzen Japanese Garden, Fremont

These are just a few of our volunteer efforts.



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