

## How Lu Sutton Elementary School How to Build A Garden in One LONG Day

### Materials:

<u>Items</u>	<u>Cost</u>
8/16', 8/14', 8/12' Redwood Con Hrt Boards	\$1139.04
5 Screw tips short (\$.62 ea)	3.10
1# Galv Drywall screws (3\$/lb)	9.00
T-50 –staples 2 boxes (\$3.59 ea)	7.18
#5784 5 Pk Torch Blade	17.09
Electro Galv Staples 2 lbs	2.50
9 CBSQ44-SDS2 Column Base (\$22.62 ea)	203.58
2 Marking Paint (\$4.94 ea)	9.88
30 36' DF Stakes (30/bundle)	19.50
Tax	113.33
<b>Total Novato Builders Supply Inc.</b>	<b>\$1575.68</b>

<u>Items</u>	<u>Cost/Value</u>
Soil: 10 yards	\$400
<b><u>Recycled/Reused</u></b>	
Recycled posts from computer room for entrance	\$40?
eBay Purchase: Used 6'x4'x3' Plastic Garden Shed	\$50
<b><u>Donated</u></b>	
Time, Expertise, tools by Sargent Landscaping – 2 full days	\$2,500
Donated Hard Labor Time by Volunteers 1 day 9am-5pm	<i>sweat equity</i>
Organic Seeds Donated by Sloat 80 seed packets (\$2 ea)	\$160
Small Apple Tree donated by the Sargents	\$60

**WHAT:** Built 8 (7'x4') & 8 (4'x4') garden boxes & 1 double-deep 4'x4' garden box. Space: est. 1/5 acre. And, there is room to grow.

1. The Land 	2. The Bosses: Kris & Ryan Sargent 	3. Aligning the forms 
4. Rolling out the wire to gopher proof 	5. Nailing the wire on 	6. Picking out the area 
7. A Smooth area for the box 	8. make it level 	9. and check it twice. 
10. Time to fill them up... 	11. roll them out... 	12. fill them in... 



## The Building of a Garden at Lu Sutton, Continued...

13 and smooth them out.



14. Then repeat...



15. and repeat...



16. and repeat...



17. until it's done!



18. Then it's clean up time...



19. and hauling time,



20. while an entrance is being built...



21. with lots of help



22. Then it's resting time...



23. and kid time...



24. and "We did it!" time.



25. Then, it's time to share...



26. to celebrate...



27. & to begin the planting & growing.



*And, this is just the Beginning!*