



Living, Breathing, Thinking and Eating Green

That's the theme of UCCE Monterey & Santa Cruz Counties' Nutrition Education Programs in this year, 2008. Youth can be powerful leaders in this effort and in order to support the youthful enthusiasm and energy they demonstrate, UCCE is promoting an "Excellence in Leadership - Kids Living Green" recognition program.

We'll be recognizing young people aged 3-18 who demonstrate outstanding effort and/or achievement in the areas of alternative transport, solar power, wind power, recycling, fresh and local foods, farmer's markets, community gardens, support for sustainable fisheries and so on.

Accomplishments can include actual work in the chosen field (this month we're showcasing an 18 year old driver of an electric car and a 3 year old champion recycler) - or can be speeches, school projects, art works, youth advocacy projects, drama or _____ (fill in the blank)

Certificates of Excellence, and a featured spot in the *Favorite Family Food* newsletter and on UCCE Monterey County's website await the honorees. Whole Foods Market will support the effort with delicious goodie bags for each young person.

Do you know an exemplary student who is "living green"? Please nominate that person here, and fax back to Kathleen at **758-3018**.

Name _____ Parent/Guardian _____

Contact info _____

Area of interest _____

Description of achievement(s) _____

(In Student's Own Words) Why are you doing this - why is it important to you?



It's for the glory, y'know

Green ...hmm...Is that why they call it the "limelight"?

