# Membership Application Sacramento Vegetarian Society

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<b>Join SVS:</b> Ind * To qualify for t	ividual \$28 Family \$45* Family \$45* the family rate, all family members must reside at the same address. application with payment of annual membership dues to: Sacramento Vegetarian Society P.O. Box 163583, Sacramento, CA 95816-9583	Optional extra: ☐ Sign me up for a free subscription to VegNews magazine.	2/06/10
Established 1986	Questions? E-mail: sacveggie@gmail.com		2/06/19

# What is SVS?

- The oldest veg organization in Northern California outside the Bay Area—serving Central Valley vegans, vegetarians, and omnivores since 1986;
- A nonprofit, tax-exempt organization;
- A democratic, member-run organization;
- A place where vegetarians and non-vegetarians are welcome and supported.

## What We Offer

- Social and educational events—dine-outs, vegan potlucks, speakers, films, and special events like our annual Thanksgiving dinner and SacTown VegFest.
- Cooking classes
- Discount program with local businesses
- Free subscription to VegNews magazine
- Online options: SVS Web, Meetup, and Facebook sites
- **Updates** on veg-friendly/animal-friendly legislation, regulations, food standards, and local events, resources, and activities.

### **Purposes**

#### We're an education and outreach group,

promoting an animal-product-free, plant-based lifestyle to members and the public, including underserved groups (e.g., low income, children), through meetings, talks, classes, and other activities.

#### We're a social and support group,

providing opportunities to meet, socialize, and share information, ideas, and recipes.

#### We're an advocacy group,

speaking out on issues that connect to a veg lifestyle—including individual and public health, animal rights, and the environment.

## We're connected

SVS collaborates with allied community groups working on a variety of issues. We are also a member organization of regional and international groups, including:

- · The Environmental Council of Sacramento,
- International Vegetarian Union.