

Kent Community Garden Guidelines for Use of the Garden

- The Garden is open to the public from dawn to dusk, May through October annually. With prior permission, gardeners may overwinter crops outside of the open season.
- O Be respectful of all gardeners and garden visitors.
- o No dogs are allowed in the Garden.
- No alcohol is allowed in the Garden.
- We follow a "Carry In, Carry Out" Policy with respect to trash. Please do not dispose of additional trash in the Garden. Compostable waste may be disposed of in designated areas.
- o Children are welcome but must be supervised at all times. Please keep children from picking produce or flowers from other gardeners' plots or common areas.
- o Use of pesticide or herbicide treatments is strictly forbidden. Organic fertilizers are permitted.
- Cultivation of individual plots must start no later than Memorial Day. Plots must be kept planted throughout the summer, but may be cleared beginning in October at the option of the gardener.
- o Individual plot gardeners must maintain their garden plots, keeping them tidy and with weeds at a minimum. Roots, shoots and vines must stay within the bounds of the plot. Remove personal tools/replace common tools before leaving the Garden.
- o Produce and flowers grown in individual plots must not be sold.
- o All plots must be cleared at season end.
- o Subscribers must notify the Kent Land Trust of their intent to abandon their plot.
- Vandalism and theft of produce or equipment should be reported as soon as is practicable.
- o Problems, concerns or criticisms should be reported to the Kent Land Trust as soon as is practicable.

I have read and will abide by the above guidelines. I agree to hold the Kent Land Trust harmless for any liability, damage, loss or claim that occurs in connection with use of the garden by me or any of my guests.

Member Signature	
Print Name:	
Email Address:	
Date:	



KENT COMMUNITY GARDEN APPLICATION FOR 2020 GROWING SEASON

Name:

Address:
Email:
Thank you for your interest in gardening in the Community Garden this growing season. Plots are available on a first come, first serve basis to individuals, families and charitable or educational ventures; more than one plot can be reserved by the same person. All plots measure 4' x 10' accommodating a wide variety of veggies (or smorgasbord of just a few kinds). Gardeners subscribing to adjacent plots may combine these plots into larger beds.
Members and plot subscribers need not be residents of Kent. However, the Kent Land Trust reserves the right to limit plot subscription to Kent residents depending upon demand. The garden will open for planting in early May; individual plots must be planted by Memorial Day.
Special requests (e.g., plot near another applicant, plot near entrance)

Please enclose fee--\$30 for a plot, \$15 for each additional plot. Checks may be made to: Kent Land Trust - Kent Community Garden

Please return your application in hard copy to Gwynne Seufert, Kent Land Trust, PO Box 888, Kent, CT 06757. Questions? Email gwynne.seufert@kentlandtrust.org or call 860.488.9185.