
Pre-registration is recommended.

To reserve your place, email bronxgreenup@nybg.org or call 718.817.8026.
Space is limited for some events; priority will be given to members of our sites in the Bronx.

BRONX FOOD & FARMS WALKING TOUR | HIGHBRIDGE COMMUNITY GARDENS TOUR

Saturday, August 17 • 11 a.m.–3 p.m.

Meet the tour guide by 11:00 a.m. at East 161st Street and Grand Concourse. Tour leaves promptly at 11:30 a.m. Returns from Taqwa Community Farm at 3:00 p.m.

The Highbridge neighborhood takes its name from the adjacent bridge built in 1848 by Irish immigrants, and hosts several community gardens occupying lots that were vacant between the 1970s and 1990s. Visit three long-standing community gardens to explore their history, meet the gardeners who currently care for them, and take part in a cooking demonstration that shows how Bronxites have been using the land to heal themselves for over two decades. We will visit Woodycrest Community Garden, La Isla Community Garden, and Taqwa Community Farm.



Tour Guide: Bobby Gonzalez, Bronx Storyteller Garden.

Tour includes a delicious, healthy lunch catered by Bronx-based B. Blossom. Tickets are \$20 by cash or check made payable to The New York Botanical Garden. All proceeds go to the participating community gardens and urban farms. For more information on other upcoming tours, and to reserve your space, fill out the form at nybg.org/farmtours or call 718.817.8026.

WORKSHOP | SOWING LATE SUMMER AND FALL CROPS

Tuesday, August 27 • 6–7:30 p.m.

Jardin de la Familia • 1507 Washington Ave

Did you know some crops will keep growing through November or even December? Join us as we plant vegetables for the fall harvest at this urban farm. Learn which plants are best for the cooler weather. Este taller se ofrecerá con traducción al español. This workshop will be offered with Spanish translation.

Bronx Green-Up, the community gardening outreach program of the New York Botanical Garden, provides horticultural advice, technical assistance, and training to community gardeners, school groups, and other organizations interested in improving urban neighborhoods through greening projects. Please visit nybg.org/green_up for more information. To sign up for our mailing list or e-list, send your contact information to bronxgreenup@nybg.org.

HARVEST FESTIVAL 2019

Saturday, September 7 ▪ 1–4 p.m.

New Roots Community Farm

East 153rd Street and Grand Concourse

Bronx Green-Up, International Rescue Committee, and NYC Parks GreenThumb will celebrate the efforts of community gardeners citywide with our annual Harvest Festival. Join us at the New Roots Community Farm for food, music, activities for kids, and our Harvest Contest, featuring prizes for best vegetables and fruits, floral arrangements, garden photos, and pies! Contest entries must be submitted at the event by 2 p.m. For more information, contact Bronx Green-Up at 718.817.8026 or e-mail bronxgreenup@nybg.org.



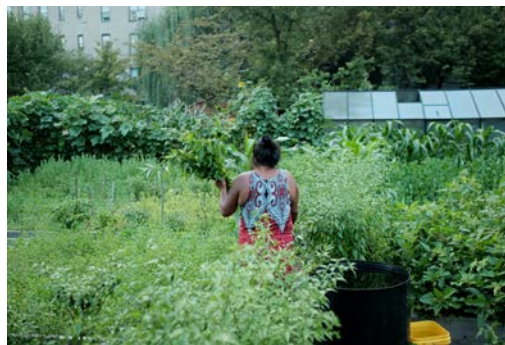
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PUTTING DOWN ROOTS: CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OF BRONX GREEN-UP

Open now through Sunday, September 29

New York Botanical Garden ▪ Ross Hall ▪ 2950 Southern Boulevard

NYBG's community gardening outreach program is commemorating its 30th anniversary with a photo exhibition in Ross Gallery. Bronx Green-Up supports more than 200 local greening groups, schools, and community organizations in their missions to improve their neighborhoods through greening projects. In honor of this anniversary, four teen photographers from the Bronx Documentary Center's Bronx Junior Photo League documented the activity of these organizations, from planting, weeding, and composting to harvest and celebration. *Included with Grounds Admission. Grounds Admission is free to everyone all day on Wednesdays and from 9–10 a.m. on Saturdays.*



Mitchell Harris-Dennis/Bronx Documentary Center

Find out more information here:

<https://www.nybg.org/event/putting-down-roots-celebrating-30-years-ofbronx-green-up/>

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Want to stay in the know? Sign up for our newsletter, which is sent via e-mail. It will arrive before the first week of each month with news about opportunities for urban gardeners and composters, including workshops, events, resources, and job postings. If you would like to receive the e-newsletter, fill out this form at <http://bit.ly/2kUFrls>.

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