Community Events & Resources
Discover public resources for your community including grants, job openings, and internships.

COMMUNITY & GARDENING EVENTS

CONFLICT TRANSFORMATION CIRCLES FOR COMMUNITY GARDENERS: ORIENTATION
Wednesday, September 9, 5:30–6:30 p.m.
The facilitators will model skills for holding space that gardeners can bring back to their own groups to begin to develop a practice for addressing and transforming conflict in the garden. Please RSVP, https://greenthumb.nycgovparks.org/gardenevents.html?qs=2020/09/09/conflict-transformation-circles-for-community-gardeners-orientation

FUNDRAISING STRATEGIES FOR YOUR COMMUNITY PARK GROUP DURING COVID-19
Thursday, September 10, 6–8 p.m.
Asking for funding is more challenging than ever. In this webinar, learn various fundraising options including grants, discretionary funding, and crowdfunding campaigns. To RSVP, please go to https://cityparksfoundation.org/events/fundraising-strategies-for-your-community-park-group-during-covid-19/?date=20200910

CAROLYN FINNEY: BLACK FACES, WHITE SPACES
Friday, September 11, 11 a.m.–12:15 p.m.
Dr. Finney explores the complexities and contradictions of our past, the realities of our present and the possibilities of our future as it relates to green space, race, and the power to shape the places we live in our own image. To RSVP, visit https://www.nybg.org/event/black-faces-white-spaces-christian-cooper-john-muir-reclaiming-a-green-world/

CAPACITY FUND GRANT INFO SESSION WEBINAR
Tuesday, September 15, 6–7:30 p.m.
The Capacity Fund Grant gives out small grants of up to $3,000 to community groups dedicated to their local parks, gardens, and green spaces. Register for an information session at https://cityparksfoundation.org/events/capacity-fund-grant-info-session-webinar/?date=20200915

WHATS WRONG WITH MY VEGGIE PLANT?
Thursday, September 17, 12–1 p.m.
What is this bug, and is it eating or helping my crops? GreenThumb is thrilled to partner with Cornell Cooperative Extension (CCE) this fall to help you have a successful growing season. Please RSVP, https://greenthumb.nycgovparks.org/gardenevents.html?qs=2020/09/17/whats-wrong-with-my-veggie-plant

FOOD FOR RESILIENCE: TRANSATLANTIC LESSONS FROM COMMUNITY GARDENS AND FARMS
Friday, September 18, 10–11:30 a.m.
Hear from community gardeners and urban farmers from London, Toronto, and New York City around how gardens and farms are contributing toward these cities’ resilience, food security, and COVID-19 response. To RSVP, visit https://greenthumb.nycgovparks.org/gardenevents.html?qs=2020/09/18/food-for-resilience-transatlantic-lessons-from-community-gardens-and-farms
STAYING TRUE TO YOUR MISSION: STRENGTHENING YOUR GROUP DESPITE UNCERTAINTY
Tuesday, September 22, 7–9 p.m.
At this webinar, we will show you how reflecting on your group’s purpose can help you emerge from this transitional time with new direction and energy. You will also receive practical tips on how to stay on track with your group’s goals and leave with ideas about how to sustain your group for the months ahead. RSVP at https://cityparksfoundation.org/events/staying-true-to-your-mission-strengthening-your-group-despite-uncertainty/?date=20200922

RAT PREVENTION: TRAINING (RAT ACADEMY)
Wednesday, September 23, 5–7 p.m.
Community Training: This free course is open to anyone who wants to learn about rat management. For more information and to sign up, please visit https://www1.nyc.gov/site/doh/services/rats-control-training.page

GREENTHUMB’S 41ST ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL
Saturday, September 26, 10 a.m.—1 p.m.
GreenThumb’s annual Harvest Fair celebrates the ongoing efforts of GreenThumb community gardeners who have continued growing and producing during these uncertain times. Join them for workshops, a virtual tabling with our greening partners, and the announcement of this year’s winning harvest from a GreenThumb community garden. For more details, please visit, https://greenthumb.nycgovparks.org/gardenevents.html?qs=2020/09/26/greenthumb-41st-annual-harvest-fair

RECLAIMING ANCESTRAL KNOWLEDGE: EXPLORING FOOD SOVEREIGNTY THROUGH SEED SAVING AND DEEP-WATER CULTURE
Saturday, September 26, 10:15–11 a.m.
Using one of the simplest ways to start growing food, we use the ancestral practice and tradition of deep-water culture and hydroponics. RSVP to receive information on joining virtually. https://www.eventbrite.com/e/exploring-food-sovereignty-through-deep-water-culture-tickets-110679238582

THE URBAN FARMER-TO-FARMER SUMMIT
December 5, 2020 • Session and Events throughout the day
The Urban Farmer-to-Farmer Summit aims to share resources, reflect on misadventures, strengthen connections, and highlight new opportunities to rise to the challenges of our times. This event is virtual, with some possible in-person sessions at urban farms around NYC. To RSVP please visit, https://tinyurl.com/ycyf2cf7

COMMUNITY GARDENS
GreenThumb Community Gardens operating on NYC Parks property may remain open to garden members at the discretion of each licensed garden group. Gardens may also now reopen to members of the public at the discretion of each garden group. Gardens are not required to host public open hours. Public events and gatherings inside gardens are still prohibited. For details, please visit, https://greenthumb.nycgovparks.org/news.html?news_id=468

ECOQUEST CHALLENGE • THE NEW YORK BOTANICAL GARDEN
EcoQuests, part of the NYC EcoFlora Project, challenges New Yorkers to become citizen scientists and observe, study, and help conserve the native plants and animals of the City using iNaturalist, an easy-to-use mobile app. Each month, take part in a new challenge to help document the city’s living things. http://bit.ly/2i651XD
**FARMERS MARKETS** • For more information visit: https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/doh/downloads/pdf/cdp/nyc-farmers-markets.pdf

**SUNDAY MARKET** • RIVERDALE
Sundays, until November • 9 a.m.–2 p.m.
Riverdale Temple • 4545 Independence Ave and West 246th Street, Bronx

**NEW ROOTS COMMUNITY FARMERS MARKET**
Tuesdays, until October 27 • 3–7 p.m.
670 Grand Concourse, Bronx • 153 Street and Grand Concourse

**LA FAMILIA VERDE FARMERS MARKET**
Tuesdays, until November 17 • 8 a.m.–2 p.m.
Tremont Park • Tremont Avenue between LaFontaine and Arthur Avenue

**VAN CORTLANDT PARK ALLIANCE AMALGAMATED HOUSING YOUTH FARMSTAND**
Tuesdays • 1–6:30 p.m.
Train Park • Intersection of Orloff Avenue and Gale Place

**BISSEL GARDENS FARMERS MARKET**
Saturdays • 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Baychester Avenue and East 241st Street, Bronx

**JBOLC GARDEN COMMUNITY FARMERS MARKET**
Saturdays • August 8 to October 31 • 10 a.m.–2 p.m.
100 West Mosholu Parkway South, Bronx • Goulden Ave and Sedgwick Ave

**FOOD SCRAP DROP-OFFS** • For more information visit: https://on.nyc.gov/dropfoodscraps

**ADDITIONAL RESOURCES** • For resources available year-round, please visit our 2020 Resource Page at https://bit.ly/3lI0uK5

**JOB & INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

For current jobs and internship opportunities please visit the list at http://bit.ly/1XMZdiB
The NYC Compost Project, created by the NYC Department of Sanitation in 1993, works to rebuild NYC’s soils by providing New Yorkers with the knowledge, skills, and opportunities they need to produce and use compost locally.

nyc.gov/compostproject | call 311 | Facebook Twitter Instagram NYCsanitation

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