

August 2023



Master Composter volunteers performing Street TreeCare on Mosholu Parkland.

Compost Volunteer Opportunities

Street Tree Care at 811x

Wednesday, August 2 • 10 a.m.–12 p.m. PS811x • 1434 Longfellow Ave

Bokashi Day at Synergi Urban Farm

Saturday, August 5 • 11a.m.–2 p.m. Synergi Urban Garden • 1211 Hoe Avenue between Freeman and Home Street

Assist a Giveback at Starlight Park

Saturday, August 12 • 9 a.m.–12 p.m. Starlight Park • 1490 Sheridan Blvd

Workday at NYBG's Compost Demonstration Site

Wednesday, August 16 • 10 a.m.–12 p.m. New York Botanical Garden • 2950 Southern Blvd

To register for volunteer events, go to:

https://www.makecompost.nyc/volunteer-activities

nybg.org/compost | 718.817.8543 | compost@nybg.org | #compostproject @nybg

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A tour group approaching the Digestor Eggs at Newtown Creek.

Compost Field Trips

Tour of Digestor Eggs at Newtown Creek: New York City's Water Story

Friday, August 18 • 1–3 p.m. Visitor Center at Newtown Creek • 329 Greenpoint Avenue Brooklyn, NY 11222

Located at the Newtown Creek Wastewater Resource Recovery Facility in Greenpoint, Brooklyn, the Visitor Center at Newtown Creek is the only facility within the five boroughs where you can experience New York City's water infrastructure. Participants will learn how organic waste is turned into biofuel through the digestor technology, as well as how composting and water infrastructure work hand and hand to improve the city's climate resiliency.

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Compost educational display and information.

Compost Workshops

Composting Systems and Tools

Tuesday, August 8 • 1–3:30 p.m. Watson Education Building • New York Botanical Garden To register, click here

Composting 101

Saturday, August 19 • 11:00 a.m.–1:30 p.m. Watson Education Building • New York Botanical Garden To register, click here

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Tuesday, August 22 • 6 p.m.–8:30 p.m. Virtual Event To register, click <u>here</u>

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