

NYBG BRONX GREEN-UP

May 2026

Bronx Food and Farm Tour

*Saturday, May 16 / 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Registration required*

How are community gardeners in the South Bronx building spaces for healing and education while leading the fight against toxic industries?

Learn more about environmental justice organizing in Mott Haven and Port Morris as we visit community gardens and industrial sites during a 4-mile bus-and-bike tour. If you're joining by bike, please remember to bring your helmet!



Can't make it to the tour, but want to join the community gathering afterward? Listen to speakers and enjoy lunch by B-Blossom Catering at Brook Park (494 East 141st Street) from 2 to 3 p.m.

To register: www.nybg.org/event/bronx-food-farm-tours-environmental-justice-in-mott-haven-port-morris-2026/

Mushroom Log Cultivation Workshop

*Saturday, May 23 / 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
Karol's Urban Community Farm | Entrance across the street from
2238 Lacombe Avenue, Bronx*

Join us for all things fungi and learn more about mushroom inoculation with NYC Mushroom Network hosted by Bronx Green-UP. This workshop teaches how to maximize your harvest by using dead wood from your farm or garden to grow mushrooms. You'll learn simple, practical methods to turn logs into productive growing spaces, and there may be a chance to taste and see some cool mushrooms!

Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mushnet-mushroom-log-cultivation-workshop-karols-urban-community-farm-tickets-1984244730403?aff=ebsdoporgprofile>



Volunteer Opportunities in May



We have volunteer opportunities in May. Join us for hands-on gardening and composting at community gardens. **To register for any of these volunteer opportunities, email bronxgreenup@nybg.org.**

Workday at Ujamaa Garden

Saturday, May 2 | 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Ujamaa Community Garden | 3601 Marolla Place

Compost Workday at Padre Plaza Community Garden

Wednesday, May 13 | 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Padre Plaza Community Garden | 541 E. 139th Street, Bronx

Home Gardening Center Compost Maintenance

Wednesday, May 20 | 10 to 12 p.m.
New York Botanical Garden | 2950 Southern Boulevard, Bronx
To register, email compost@nybg.org

Workday at Karol's Urban Community Farm

Fridays, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Karol's Community Farm | Entrance across the street from 2238 Lacombe Avenue, Bronx

We ask that you register so we can communicate with you if we need to cancel an event due to inclement weather. However, you can just show up! But, please do check in with us if there is a weather event.

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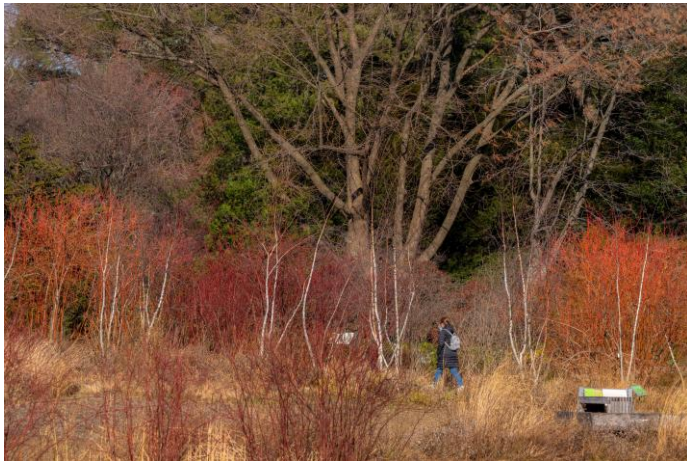
Follow us on Instagram!



We're excited to announce our brand-new Instagram account, **@bronxgreenup!** Follow us to stay informed about upcoming events, volunteer opportunities, certificate programs, and more. Have an event at your community garden? Send it our way, and we'll share it! You'll also find volunteer and gardener spotlights and get to know our dedicated team. Don't miss out—hit that follow button to stay connected!



Events, Grants, and Resources



For more information about other local gardening events, volunteer opportunities, employment opportunities and community trainings, please visit our Events and Resources Page at <https://www.nybg.org/gardens/bronx-green-up/events/>

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