



# Community Garden Plots Guidelines & Application

Return to Recreation Office 5109-54 St. Rimbey, AB 403-843-3151

The primary goal of the Community Garden Program is to provide a safe, enjoyable gardening experience. The following guidelines are to help the garden run smoothly.

1. This is a herbicide and pesticide free garden. If you need ideas or help with an issue in the garden, we have a local library with reference books available.
2. Garden plots are approximately 12 ft. by 3 ft. One plot may be reserved per person. Please plant taller plants in the centre of your plot or in a location that will not shade other gardens.
3. All pets in the garden must be on a leash.
4. Children are encouraged to help in the garden, but must remember not to disturb other plots.
5. Gardens must be weeded regularly. If for some reason you are not able to weed your garden, please arrange to have someone take care of it for you. Gardeners who cannot maintain their garden plot may risk having their garden tilled under or have their plot revoked.
6. The garden will be worked up in the spring and in the fall; therefore we ask that there are no permanent structures or the planting of trees, shrubs or perennials in the garden.
7. There will be at least two Work Bees that Gardeners are expected to attend. They will be held as needed but expect two: one in the spring and one in the fall.
8. Please dispose of weeds and plant materials in the compost provided. Diseased plants must not be included in the compost: They should be bagged and disposed of in the garbage.
9. We ask that you visit your garden at least once a week, preferably more, to monitor garden growth.
10. Be respectful and please report any comments or complaints to the Recreation Office.

Thank you for reading and complying with the Community Garden Guidelines.

Please fill out the following information and submit to the Recreation Office

I, the undersigned, have read and understand the garden rules and guidelines.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Full address and contact information is required:

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work/Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_