

Nyack Community Garden 2022 Committees

As members of a community garden, we are all obligated to contribute to its maintenance and beauty.

All gardeners are required to participate in at least one committee (possibly 2 depending on time commitment) and provide at least six hours of service. List your top three choices for committee assignment. Some committees require availability at specific times.

Committees

- **Staking** – Saturday morning, April 2. Prepare the garden by laying out the plots. Bring work gloves and a hammer.
- **Bag Maintenance** – Communicate with committee members and ensure there is a steady supply of brown (compost) bags from Nyack DPW and black trash bags.
- **Path Maintenance** – Keep garden path and area by the shed free of weeds and litter. Each committee member will be assigned a specific section to maintain. (All gardeners are responsible for maintaining the path in front of their own plots.)
- **Shed Maintenance** – Keep shed swept clean and organized with tools off the ground. Remove items that do not belong. Check tools and email garden if anything needs to be replaced.
- **Outside Fence Maintenance** – Make sure the outside fence is free of litter and all climbing plants/weeds, and cleared of growth by end of season clean-up. Each committee member will be assigned a specific section to maintain. (All gardeners are responsible for maintaining the area of the fence adjacent to their plot.)
- **Fix-It Person and Hose Maintenance** – Repair items in the garden such as hoses, fencing, signs, etc. Must have appropriate skills and tools.
- **Franklin Street Garden** – Plant and maintain flower bed.
- **Pollinator Pathway** (Depew Avenue gate) – Water and maintain flowerbed.
- **Monarch Way Station / Hudson Ave. Garden** – Weed, mulch and maintain butterfly garden.
- **Plant a Row for the Hungry** – Collect and sort donated produce on Monday mornings. Drive donations to People to People in West Nyack. Tasks are divided among several committee members each morning.
- **Newsletter** – Write and lay out two to three newsletters, highlighting garden events, tips, photos, etc. Writing and computer skills required.
- **Garden Contest** – Date TBD. Organize contest, contact judges and provide materials for judging. Purchase ribbons and prizes to be distributed at the Pot Luck dinner.
- **Pot Luck Dinner** – October 20. Publicize, set-up and clean-up the dinner. Purchase beverages. Coordinate expenses with NCG treasurer.
- **End of Season Clean-up** – November 20. Remove materials left by members. Organize shed. Bring work gloves.
- **Rosebush Care** – Prune and maintain the two rosebushes outside of the garden in coordination with Committee Chairperson