

Triangle Community Garden

Activities, Workshops & Courses: What's On July - Dec 2010

Volunteer Activities

Held on the last Sunday of the month, these sessions help to make the Triangle Garden a better resource for our Growing Ability project, which provides social and therapeutic horticulture for adults with learning difficulties. They are also a good way to introduce children to gardening, nature and constructive outdoor activities.

There is always a good variety of tasks to help with, as well as the main tasks described below. Tools, drinks and snacks are provided. Bring your own gloves if you have them.

Sunday 1 August, 10am-2pm

Sunday 29 August, 10am-2pm

Sunday 26 Sept, 10am-2pm

Sunday 31 Oct, 10am-1pm

Sunday 28 Nov, 10am-1pm

Volunteer activities do not need to be pre-booked – just turn up! Wear suitable clothing. Accompanied children are very welcome.

Craft Workshops

Learn a new skill with expert tuition in a friendly atmosphere. Drinks and snacks provided.

Natural Christmas decorations

Learn how to make delightful tree decorations and Christmas wreaths out of natural hedgerow materials such as willow.

Sunday 5 December

Tutor: Hazel Godfrey. Cost £40* or £45

10am-4pm, bring a packed lunch. Ransom's Pavilion, Alexandra Road, SG5. Course Ref: CD

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All workshops must be pre-booked. Please download a booking form from our website or ring Margaret Byrne on 01462 459144

*early-bird discount rate if booked 28 days in advance of the workshop date.

Evening Bat Walk

Discover the nocturnal secrets of these fascinating creatures with bat expert Roger Havard and his sonic bat detectors.

Friday 1 October

Cost: adults - £5, young people (12-18) - £2, **KIDS GO FREE** (two under 12s per paying adult).

6.15pm – 7.15pm outdoors in Ransom's Rec.

Meet at Ransom's Pavilion, Alexandra Rd SG5

Tree Dressing

Come and help us dress the trees with home-made bird feeders for the winter.

Make your own home-made bird feeders and bring them along on the night – download our 'Winter Birdfeeder' instruction sheet from the website. Alternatively buy one of our bird feeders at the Garden on the night, on sale along with mulled wine and mince pies.

Saturday 11 December

6-7.30pm at the Triangle Garden, Ransom's Rec. Bring a lantern and join the carol singing.

Food Growing Workshops

Want to grow your own food but need some advice and access to expertise? Want to make the most of limited growing space?

Planning your veg garden or allotment

 Ref: G3

Saturday 25 September

Tutor: Ashley Walker

10am-1pm Ransom's Pavilion and outdoors at Ransom's allotments. Cost £20* or £25

Fruit Growing in Small Spaces

Ref: G4

Covering: what to grow in the space you have, rootstocks, pollinations groups, pruning, care, etc

Saturday 13 November

Tutor: Rachel Cottey

10am-1pm Ransom's Pavilion and outdoors at the Triangle Garden Cost. £20* or £25

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