## **#GARDENFESTABERDEEN**

# COMMUNITY GARDEN FESTIVAL

Aberdeen 22

8- 14 AUGUST 2022

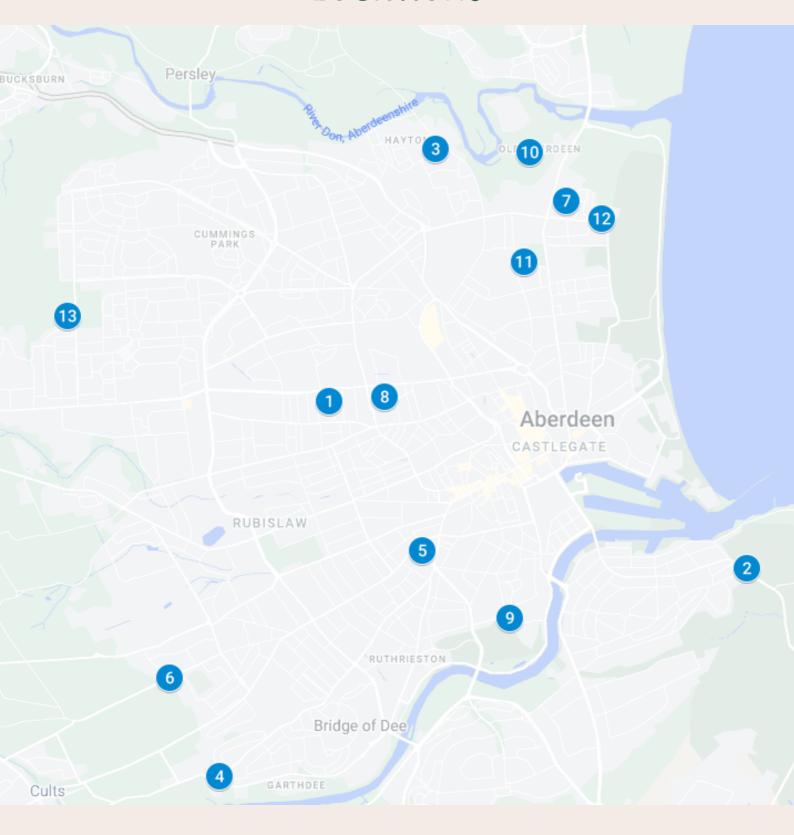
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# **LOCATIONS**



WITH THANKS TO ALL PARTNERS WHO HAVE ORGANISED ACTIVITIES

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1	Bonnymuir Green Community Trust
	Bonnymuir Green Community Trust, the Old Bowling Green, Off Bonnymuir Place,
	Aberdeen, AB15 5NQ

- Cultivate Aberdeen
  St Fitticks Edible Garden, St. Fitticks Road, Aberdeen, AB11 9QT
- Earth and Worms

  Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN
- Gwen's Garden
  Auchinyell Road (Near Garthdee Road), Aberdeen, AB10 7FU
- Nellfield 2 Allotments
  Plot 3, Nellfield 2 Allotments, Nellfield Place, Aberdeen, AB10 6DJ
- Slopefield Allotment Association
  Slopefield Allotments, Craigton Road, Aberdeen, AB15 7UB
- STAR Community Flat
  14 Seaton Drive, Aberdeen, AB24 1UX
- The Allotment Market Stall
  Duthie Park, Polmuir Road, Aberdeen, AB11 7TH
  Seaton Park, Don Street, Aberdeen, AB24 1XS
  Victoria Park, Watson Street, Aberdeen, AB25 2QP
- The Secret Garden Society
  Off University Road (Near Butchart Centre), Aberdeen, AB24 3UT
- The SNUG, Seaton
  Bayview Court, Aberdeen, AB24 1WF
- Springhill Community Garden
  Parking at Sheddocksley Sports Centre, Aberdeen, AB16 6QJ

# A NOTE ON BOOKING

Unless otherwise stated, all events are free and do not require booking. Where booking or a recommended donation is advised, this is linked below the event itself.

## SUNDAY 7TH AUGUST- FESTIVAL PREVIEW

## **CFINE- Community Garden Bike Tour**

10am - 12pm

Meeting at The Secret Garden, Off University Road (Near Butchart Centre), Aberdeen, AB24 3UT

CFINE invites you to come along on a led bike tour of some of the locations taking part in the community garden festival. A cycle leader will allow you to see some of the participating spaces in a unique way. Bring your own bike, helmet, snacks and hydration!

No need to book but if you have any questions please email info@cfine.org.

## **MONDAY 8 AUGUST**

## Bonnymuir Green Community Trust-Community Gardening Drop in

9.30am-7pm

the Old Bowling Green, Off Bonnymuir Place, Aberdeen, AB15 5NQ

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10-2pm (Full lunch menu available Friday 12 and Saturday 13 August) the Old Bowling Green, Off Bonnymuir Place, Aberdeen, AB15 5NQ

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#### Earth and Worms-Herb Harvesting

11.30-4pm

Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN

Come and join us in the garden, we will be harvesting herbs, talking about their uses, and using our brand-new dehydrator to preserve them, as well as infusing olive oil.

Tickets here

#### Nellfield 2 Allotments - Medicinal Herbs Drop in

1-4pm

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#### Earth and Worms-Childrens Games and Lunch

1-4pm

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Bring some food and enjoy a day in the garden, we have shelter and will provide food too! Games and activities for kids (0-15)

Tickets here

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## Earth and Worms- Glass Workshop with Claire Gaunt

10-11.30am

Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN

Claire Gaunt is a local artist who has been working with glass in her studio to create beautiful ornamental pieces. This workshop will demonstrate how you can make your very own colourful piece to hang in a bright space. Age 16+ with limited spaces. Tickets here

# FRESH Community Wellness, STAR Community Flat, Keep Growing Aberdeen- Celebration Day 10.15-4pm

14 Seaton Drive, Aberdeen, AB24 1UX Bayview Court, Aberdeen, AB24 1WF

FRESH Community Wellness, Seaton Star Flat, and Keep Growing Aberdeen invite you to a celebration of all things Keep Growing Aberdeen! Join for an open day, hear about local community gardens, and find out more about the amazing things going on in the Seaton area.

You can join for the whole day or pick one of the activities that interest you most: 10:15 - 12 at the STAR Flat take part in a workshop on propagating plants

12pm - 3pm at the SNUG for games and lunch

2pm- Cllr Mclellan is leading a walkabout and chat so if you'd like to share your thoughts with the Cllr then you can join here.

## **WEDNESDAY 10 AUGUST (CONTINUED)**

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#### Cultivate Aberdeen- Open Day

11-1pm

St Fitticks Edible Garden,, Saint Fitticks Road, Aberdeen, AB11 9QT

Come and see what we were up to in the garden this year, take part in:

- a yoga session in the garden
- browse the plant and seed swap stall (and bring your own plants to swap!)
- a 'Bug Hunt' learning how to identify what bugs are in the garden.

## THURSDAY 11 AUGUST

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9.30-7pm daily

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#### The Secret Garden Society- Meet and Greet

11-1pm and 2-4pm

Off University Road (Near Butchart Centre), Aberdeen, AB24 3UT

The University of Aberdeen's Secret Garden Society invites you to a meet-and-greet, to meet the student-led project and participate in various activities. Enter a photo competition, winner announced Sunday, grab a refreshments, and test your herbal knowledge with the taste and smell challenge!

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## Earth and Worms-Pictures in the Byre

5.30-8pm

Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN

Come along to enjoy a family film using our cinema equipment. Snacks provided, feel free to bring your own too!

Tickets here

## **Slopefield Allotment Association- Gates Open Evening**

6-8pm

Slopefield Allotments, Craigton Road, Aberdeen, AB15 7UB

Slopefield Allotment Association invites you to visit our beautiful allotment site. Come in and wonder round at your leisure, viewing the different styles of allotments with the opportunity to chat to the plotters to find out what flowers, fruit and veg we grow on site, taking away some tips to make your own adventures in grow your own successful allotment. Dogs welcome but must be kept on a lead.

## **FRIDAY 12 AUGUST**

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## The Allotment Market Stall- Cooking Demonstration

11-12pm

Victoria Park, Watson Street, Aberdeen, AB25 2QP

Join the Allotment Market Stall for a cooking demonstration featuring some locally, allotment grown produce! See what can be done with allotment produce, and why not enjoy a taste? Why not also stock up on your produce whilst you visit?

## The Allotment Market Stall

11-1pm

Duthie Park, Polmuir Road, Aberdeen, AB11 7TH

The Allotment Market Stall will be selling local allotment produce at their market stalls- why not join them and see what you produce you can pick up?

#### The Allotment Market Stall

11-1pm

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## The Secret Garden Society-Flower Planting

11-1pm and 2-4pm

Off University Road (Near Butchart Centre), Aberdeen, AB24 3UT

The University of Aberdeen's Secret Garden Society invites you to a flower planting workshop. Come along, enter the photo competition, winner announced on Sunday, and get involved in flower planting and pot decorating!

## FRIDAY 12 AUGUST (CONTINUED)

## Earth and Worms-Wildflower Workshop

2-4pm

Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN

Local Wildflowers – a priceless resource that costs nothing. Join us to learn how to propagate wildflowers with local expert John Malster. The session will involve a walk along the Don and then a session of preparing and sowing our finds. Open to all ages, make sure to wear suitable shoes.

£5 donation requested to cover expenses, with free places available for upon request. If interested in booking free places or at a reduced fee, please contact by email: lucye.gardening@gmail.com Tickets here

#### Earth and Worms-Garden Tour

5.30-7pm

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#### Earth and Worms-Bonfire and Jam

7.30pm-late

Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN

A late evening session for those who wish to come and socialise. If you have a musical ear, bring an instrument to play along with others. Kids welcome but must be accompanied by a responsible adult and leave by 9pm at the latest.

Bring your own beverages and snacks.

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## The Secret Garden Society-Scavenger Hunt

11-1pm or 2-4pm

Off University Road (Near Butchart Centre), Aberdeen, AB24 3UT

The University of Aberdeen's Secret Garden Society invites you to a garden scavenger hunt and other fun family activities. Join the society to explore their community garden, enter the photo competition, winner announced on Sunday, and get involved in gardening activities!

#### Earth and Worms-Garden Tour

2-3.30pm

Near Tillydrone Pharmacy, Hayton Road, Aberdeen, AB24 2RN

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## The Secret Garden Society-Family Fun Session and Competition Winner Lunch

11-1pm and 2-4pm

Off University Road (Near Butchart Centre), Aberdeen, AB24 3UT

The University of Aberdeen's Secret Garden Society invites you along for a special session to learn about bugs, pollination, composting, ecosystem friendly gardening and foraging! The event host a special Secret Garden Lunch and the announcement of our photo competition winner!

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## Springhill Community Garden-Garden Tours, Planting, and Harvesting

1-4pm

Parking at Sheddocksley Sports Centre, Aberdeen, AB16 6QJ

Join Springhill Community Garden for a tour of their community garden, and to participate in planting and harvesting activities.

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2-3.30pm

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## Gwen's Garden Open Day

2-4pm

Auchinyell Road (Near Garthdee Road), Aberdeen, AB10 7FU

Drop by for biodiversity tours of the garden, find out more about wildflower meadows and seed sowing, peruse our herb garden; accompanied by a bit of live music in the garden by a local musician.

# **HIGHLIGHTS OF THE 2021 FESTIVAL**











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The Community Garden Festival is planned and organised by the Granite City Growing Implementation Group, as part of the Granite City Good Food, Aberdeen City's Sustainable Food Places Partnership.

The Festival is supported by Aberdeen City Council and organised by a wide variety of partners. Thanks to all involved!

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