2024 Berkeley Garden Member Rules

**Membership**

1. All gardeners must live in the City of Boston. This is necessary for Berkeley Gardens to receive City services.
2. Gardeners can be members of only one Boston community garden.
3. Only one Berkeley Garden plot per gardener. The person registered for the plot should be the one tending to the garden.
4. Gardeners are not allowed to take over gardens when there is a death or departure of a gardener.  When a gardener leaves or is asked to leave, plots are added to the Lottery.
5. 5.     Full plot payment is due by Renewal deadline of March 2  Unpaid plots will be added to the Lottery.
6. Required community work time is 12 hours per season. If 12 hours of community work time are not logged, gardener will be charged $150.  (See attached document **Berkeley Community Time Opportunities** for more information.)

**Growing Season**

1. No dogs are allowed in garden. Pet waste transmits disease.
2. No smoking allowed in the garden.
3. Plot conditions - Throughout the season, inspections will be held to assess garden plot conditions by BCG Leadership. Gardeners will be informed if there are any infractions in their plot.
4. Plots must be planted by June 1, tended throughout the season, and have ripe vegetables picked in a timely fashion.  If any of these are not adhered to, gardener will be informed. If they do not correct the situation, gardener will be asked to give up their plot.  In addition, gardener will not be allowed back for the following year.  You may reapply after sitting out a year through the Lottery.
5. Plots should be kept open and airy for air flow through the garden plots.
6. Vines should not be planted next to neighboring fences.  Vines should be concentrated in the middle of plots providing sunlight and good air circulation for all surrounding plots.
7. Plot fences cannot be covered by plastic, wood, or any other opaque material.
8. Plots are only to be used for growing produce and flowers.  Plots cannot be used for storage.  Any supplies in plots must be used throughout the season.  Buckets and wood not being used during the season can no longer be stored in plots. If leadership determines so, any items in the plot that encourage rodent infestation must be cleaned out. Gardener will be notified by leadership.
9. Flowers and herbs only, **NO vegetables, can be grown outside the front of the plot.**
10. No fencing or structure can be added to the outside of plots.  Fencing already added to the outside of plots must be removed as required by our landlords, The Trustees. Our insurance company requires that they be removed due to the possible injury to visitors to the garden.  This includes all areas along the Main Path, B Row planters, and paths between Main Path and C Row.
11. **NO plot structure can exceed 6’ tall (1.83 meters**).  Anything built by a garden member including, but not limited to, new gates, posts, permanent trellises, canopies, or wire mesh fencing, must be approved by garden leadership prior to construction to ensure it conforms with Trustee guidelines.  Failure to secure prior approval will result in removal of structure or loss of garden plot.
12. Plot conditions **-** Throughout the season, inspections will be posted to assess garden plot conditions by BCG Leadership. Gardeners will be informed if there are any infractions in their plot.

**End of season**

1. All gardens must remove vines and structures during the winter.  Leaving rotted produce to overwinter is not allowed. Weeds or vines extending out of plot fencing (into alley, into walkways) must be removed.
2. Winter cold frames are allowed.

**2024 伯克利菜园会员规则**

**会员资格**

1. 所有园丁必须是波士顿居民。 这是伯克利菜园获得城市服务所必需的。

2. 每个居民只能一个城市菜园拥有园地。

3. 每个园丁只能拥有一块伯克利菜园地块。 登记该地块的人应该是照料菜园的人。

4. 当园丁死亡或离开时，朋友和家人不得接管菜园。 当园丁离开或被要求离开时，地块就会更新被添加到彩票中。 全部园地付款须在 **3 月 2** 日续订截止日期之前支付，未付款的园地将被添加到彩票中。

5. 要求的社区工作时间为每季 12 小时。 如果未记录 12 小时的社区工作时间，园丁将被收取 150 美元的费用。

 （有关更多信息，请参阅随附的文件《伯克利社区时间机会》。）

**生长季节**

6. 花园内禁止携带狗。 以宠物粪便传播疾病。

7. 花园内禁止吸烟。

8. 菜园 状况- 在整个季节，BCG 领导层将进行检查以评估花园地块状况。 如果他们的菜园有任何违规行为，园丁将被告知。

9、地块必须在6月1日之前播种，进行全季照料，并及时采摘成熟的蔬菜。如果不遵守其中任何一项，将通知 园丁。如果园丁不纠正这种情况，园丁将被要求放弃他们的土地。此外，园丁第二年将不再被允许回来。您可以在抽签一年后重新申请。

10. 地块应保持开放和通风，以便空气流通。

 o 葡萄藤不应种植在邻近的栅栏旁边。 葡萄藤应集中在地块的中间，为周围的地块提供阳光和良好的空气流通。

 o 地块围栏不能用塑料、木材或任何其他不透明材料覆盖。

11. 菜园只能用于种植农产品和花卉。 菜园不能用于存储。 菜园内的任何物资都必须在整个季节使用。 当季未使用的水桶和木材不能再存放在地块中。 如果领导层决定这样做，则必须清除场地中任何助长啮齿动物侵扰的物品。 领导将通知园丁。

12.在菜园前面只能种植花卉和香草，不能种植蔬菜。

13. 地块外部不得添加围栏或结构。 地块外部已添加的围栏必须按照我们的房东受托人的要求拆除。 由于花园游客可能受伤，我们的保险公司要求将其移除。 这包括主路径沿线的所有区域、B 行花盆以及主路径和 C 行之间的路径。

14. 菜园结构的高度不得超过 6 英尺（1.83 米）。 菜园成员建造的任何东西，包括但不限于新大门、柱子、永久性棚架、檐篷或铁丝网围栏，必须在施工前得到花园领导的批准，以确保其符合受托人指南。 未能获得事先批准将导致建筑物拆除或花园地块损失。

15. 地块条件 - 在整个季节，BCG 领导层将进行检查以评估花园地块条件。如果他们的地块有任何违规行为，园丁将被告知。

**赛季结束**

16. 所有花园必须在冬季清除藤蔓和建筑物。 不允许将腐烂的农产品留置越冬。 延伸出地块围栏（进入小巷、人行道）的杂草或藤蔓必须清除。

17.冬季允许搭建冷架。