



barringtoncommunitygarden

A Volunteer-Run Organic Community Garden for Barrington Residents

Barrington Community Garden Community Work Commitment

As part of the Lease and Use Agreement, all lessees agree to participate in two (2) hours of community work to assist in the care and maintenance of common areas and outer pathways of the garden.^[1]

Community work days will be scheduled throughout the gardening season and will be listed on the BCG website (www.barringtoncommunitygarden.org) and posted on the garden bulletin board at the entrance.

If the scheduled times posted do not work for you, work may be performed individually and logged in at the work center in the shed. Further guidance on self-logging of individual time work will be forthcoming.

In lieu of the above 2 hours of community work, lessees may pay a seasonal community maintenance fee of \$50 to cover community work requirements.^[1] This option may be selected by sending a check for the fee, payable to the Town of Barrington and with your BCG Plot# in the memo section, to Barrington Community Garden, c/o Barrington Town Hall, 283 County Road, Barrington, RI 02806, **prior to Friday, June 4, 2021**. Selection of this option is not available after June 4, although extenuating circumstances will be considered after this date.

VERY IMPORTANT: All lessees are required to keep the pathways on the north and east sides of their plot (5 feet out or to the next plot) relatively weed-free and well-covered with wood chips. This requirement is in addition to your 2 hours of community work or payment in lieu of. Path maintenance can be done at any time convenient to your schedule. However, the initial weeding and placement of wood chips on the pathways, as needed to cover bare soil, must be completed by **Sunday, June 6, 2021**. This keeps the weeds at bay and makes your maintenance of these paths throughout the season much easier.

^[1] Two hours or \$50 per plot leased.