



## 2017/2018 Community Garden Membership Benefits

**Individual Plot** - ~~\$125/year~~ **\$90/year** for all members (new & returning)

- Full access to garden
- Your own 4x10 ft. plot to build, plant and harvest as you choose (may be shared)
- Use of available building materials on site for building plot, as available
- Use of communal garden tools
- Use of harvested rainwater, well, and tap water
- Use of garden topsoil and compost
- Sharing of seeds and soil amendments purchased for group use
- Invitations and discount admission to workshops and special events held at the garden
- Participation in group harvesting events
- Participation in planting and maintaining ornamental/flowering areas (not required)
- Includes Communal Plot membership with harvesting rights (only if you contribute to the development and maintenance of the communal plots & food forest areas, See Note below)

**Communal Plots & Food Forest Area** - ~~\$50/year~~ **\$40/year** for all members (new & returning)

- Full access to garden
- Participation in working and harvesting communal garden plot
- Use of available building materials on site for building plot, as available
- Use of communal garden tools
- Use of harvested rainwater, well, and tap water
- Use of garden topsoil and compost
- Sharing of seeds and soil amendments purchased for group use
- Invitations and discount admission to workshops and special events held at the garden
- Participation in group harvesting events
- Participation in planting and maintaining ornamental/flowering areas (not required)

**Please Note:** “*Communal Plots / Areas*” and “*Common Areas*” are different. “*Communal Plots / Areas*” are for growing, while “*Common Areas*” refer to walkways, composting areas, perimeter fencing, etc.

All members are welcome to volunteer time to cultivate and maintain the food forest and or “Communal” area beds. Other than herbs and tree greens (chaya) harvesting of communal beds will be reserved for those members who actually volunteer time maintaining the food forest or serving on one of the communal bed committees.

Additionally, harvesting of large items in the communal beds or the food forest will be on work Saturdays only. This includes, but may not be limited to, bananas, pumpkins, papayas, dragon fruit, and pineapples. Harvesting of smaller items, tomatoes, peppers, greens, herbs, eggplants, etc. will continue to be on a daily basis with judicious consideration for other gardeners.