

Lone Elm Community Garden 2019 Rules

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I agree to the following:

1. Complete an application form. A rental fee of \$40 is due at the time of submitting the application due by June 1, 2019. This fee covers garden expenses. (Special needs may be accommodated upon request)
2. Communication for gardeners will be via email sent biweekly during the garden season. It is my responsibility to make sure a valid email address is on file. Emails may include education, volunteer needs and garden work time.
3. To only plant and add items in my paid plot(s). Keep your plot and the adjoining pathways tended.
4. To commit to caring for my garden plot(s) for an entire season. Failure to do so will result in a warning from Lone Elm Community Garden managers. If my assigned plot becomes unkempt, I understand that I will be given a one week's notice to clean it up either via email or phone. The garden plot may be taken over by the Lone Elm Community Garden.
5. To begin preparing my garden plot in the spring. If work in my plot has not begun by June 1, the plot and fees will be forfeited for the season, unless prior approval has been granted by the garden managers.
6. If I must abandon my plot for any reason, I will notify the Garden manager immediately.
7. At the end of the gardening season, all dead plants and non-plant materials (string, wire, wood metal, plastic, etc.) must be removed and disposed of properly and all gardens left neat and tidy. If your garden is not cleaned up by Nov 15, you could lose your gardening privileges for the next season.
8. Pick up litter when you see it.
9. Please put weeds and dead plants into the yard waste bin provided. Do not leave them in a pathway. No soil or non-plant material is allowed in compost bin.
10. Do not apply anything to or pick anything from another person's plot without their approval.
11. Please do not leave the water on unattended. When finished gardening for the day, please pull up the hose at the hydrant area and return tools to the tool shed. If using tools out of the green garden shed, please make sure it is locked when leaving.
12. Smoking and tobacco is not allowed. Tobacco can transmit a lethal virus to tomatoes.
13. Drugs (including alcohol) are not allowed. Pets must be leashed and supervised at all time and any messes must be cleaned up immediately. Please supervise children in the garden.
14. For your safety, only garden during daylight hours.
15. Report theft, vandalism, and unusual activities to the Garden manager (via website or phone) or police as needed.

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I, _____ hereby agree to the follow the above garden agreements.

Applicant Signature

Date

Garden Officer Signature

Date

Lone Elm Community Garden 2019 Application

Name _____ Date: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (s) _____

Email _____ (for notices and newsletters only)

\$40 Rental Fee Cash or check # _____ Please make checks payable to Christ Community Church, include "garden" in the memo section

Choose One: _____ 4 x 12 Raised Bed

_____ 10 x 20 In-Ground Plot

Assigned Plot#: _____ Date Received: _____

Please check any of the following committees that you would be interested in joining

Orchard _____ Produce Distribution _____ Education _____ Photography _____

Social Events _____ Lawn Care _____

By signing below, I agree and I have read and understand the "Lone Elm Community Garden Rules". I understand that neither the Lone Elm Community Garden nor owners of the land are responsible for my actions. I therefore agree to hold harmless the Lone Elm Community Garden and owners of the land for any liability, damage, loss or claim that occurs in connection with the use of the garden by me or my guests.

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Please mail the application, signed rules and your plot fee to Lone Elm Community Garden
Christ Community Church
21385 College Blvd.
Olathe KS 66061

Keep the 3rd page for your records

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