



Eastmont Community Garden

A cooperative effort between the Columbia Valley Community Health and WSU Chelan/Douglas County Master Gardener Program
e-mail: eastmontcommunitygarden@gmail.com

2021 Garden Plot Application

Our Mission is to create an affordable garden space where people of the Wenatchee community can grow food, improve fitness, and strengthen families and community as they learn about nutrition, gardening, and develop relationships with other community members in an attitude of fun.

The garden is located adjacent to the Columbia Valley Community Health Center on 9th Street & Eastmont Avenue in East Wenatchee. Each garden plot is available for a fee for \$30. This fee is to offset garden costs such as tilling or weed controls. Garden plots are limited and will be filled on a first come, first serve basis with priority preference going to CVCH clients. Each plot roughly measures 20 x 30 feet. Depending on participants, some plots may be divided into 2. Please fill out the information below and we will contact you prior to planting time.

NAME : (First & Last) _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: (Days) _____ **(Evenings)** _____

E-MAIL: _____

☐ I am a client of Columbia Valley Community Health

☐ I was a plot owner in 2020. My plot number was _____.

☐ I would like to share my plot with _____
(First & Last Name)

(Phone Number & E-mail Address)

I have read and understand the Garden Responsibilities are for the safety and protection of myself and my fellow gardeners. I will follow the rules and understand that any violation of the above guidelines is grounds for losing my plot. I understand that neither the Garden Leadership nor owners of the land are responsible for my actions. I agree to hold harmless the WSU Chelan/Douglas Master Gardener Program, Eastmont Community Garden Leadership, and Columbia Valley Community Health Centers for any liability, damage, loss, or claim that occurs in connection with the use of the garden by myself or any of my guests.

Date: _____ **Signature:** _____

Please make checks payable to: Master Gardener Foundation of Chelan County (MEMO: CVCH-ECG)

Please send to:

WSU Chelan/Douglas Master Gardeners
400 Washington Street
Wenatchee, WA 98801





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Garden Responsibilities

As a garden member, I agree to the following:

- Pay a fee of \$30 per garden season for each plot. (One plot per person, additional plots may be available based upon approval of garden Leadership based on demand for plots.)
- Have the plot planted by June 1st and maintain the plot for the entire garden season. Weeds over knee high are not allowed within or bordering each plot.
- **If the plot is not used or weeds reach knee high, the plot may be forfeited.** Garden Leadership reserves the right to take appropriate action to maintain the plot including, but not limited to plot reassignment.
- No power equipment permitted for users of the garden. Leave garden tools at the garden site at your own risk.
- The assigned plot and surrounding areas need to be kept clean and free of weeds.
- Pack It In – Pack It Out! Trash receptacles are not provided. Trash and litter need to be removed from the plot, as well as from adjacent pathways and fences.
- Corn, sunflowers, and other tall crops should be planted in a manner not to shade neighboring plots and must be chopped up at the end of the season.
- Gardeners will pick only their own crops unless given written permission by another plot user. Produce must be harvested regularly to avoid over-ripened fruits/veggies, which attract unwanted pests.
- Theft or damage to any part of the garden or garden equipment will not be tolerated.
- Fertilizers and amendments are allowed. Pesticides are to be used only according to label directions and limited to your own plot. Be mindful that wind and high temperatures can affect chemical drifting onto unintended areas.
- For best soil nutrient conservation, consider mulching or planting a cover crop through the winter months.
- Please closely supervise your children. Pets are not allowed within the garden.
- Smoking and consumption of alcohol on garden property are not allowed. Abusive and profane language will not be tolerated.
- No fires or fireworks are to be used on the garden site.
- All gardening activity (digging, weeding, etc.) and plant growth must be limited to your assigned garden plot.
- Invasive plants, large structures, illegal plants, tall bushes or trees are not allowed.
- Unwanted plant material from the plot needs to be composted. *No invasive plants or weed seeds should be placed in the compost pile.* Unacceptable material from the plot must be removed and disposed of by the gardener.
- I will respect the neighbors of the Eastmont Community Garden and their properties.
- Any grievances should be reported to the Garden Leadership for resolution.
- Amendments to these Policies and Rules can be made by the Garden Leadership Committee at any time.

(Please keep this copy of Garden Responsibilities for your records)