

Rules for garden this year:

- 1. **Keep a distance between yourself** and anyone who is not in your household of at least 6 feet at all times.
- 2. Do not come to the garden if you or anyone you have close contact with has been exposed to COVID-19 or has a fever. You could make other people sick.
- 3. We must reduce the number of people at the garden at any one time.
 - a. Each garden plot has been given a color which is painted on your garden stake. You must only come to the garden on the day for your color.
 - i. If your color is red, you can only come days when the day of the month is 1, 3, 5, 7, 9., 11... that is, only odd number days of the month
 - ii. If your color is blue, you can only come on days when the day of the month is 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12....that is, only even number days
 - b. You will receive a call or email or text telling you your color. If you did not, please contact one of these people:
 - i. English speakers: the Garden Manager, Kaylin Lustig at 408-502-2409
 - ii. Africans: Fabian at 603-513-3277 or Kaylin Lustig
 - iii. Nepalese.: Kaylin Lustig
 - c. You can also visit our website to see which color you are. The website address is Sycamorecommunitygarden.org
 - d. If too many people are in the garden at one time, some gardeners will be asked to leave.
- 4. You must park in the lot across the street from the garden. Do not park on the side of the road. Do not drive down into the garden area.
- 5. Before you touch any tool, wheelbarrow, or pump handle, you must use hand sanitizer. There will be hand sanitizer at the gazebo and at both pumps. Once you are done using any tool, and before you touch another tool, use hand sanitizer again.
- 6. Children must not leave your garden area and run around the garden.
- 7. You may use the gazebo and picnic table but only if you are at least 6 feet from anyone else sitting at the table or in the gazebo.
- 8. The portable toilet will not be available this summer. It is too hard to keep free of virus germs.
- 9. Compost is at the garden in multiple piles. We will not be helping to distribute it this year. You are responsible for putting it on your plot. Do not take more than 3 wheelbarrows of it.
- 10. We will not have one day when we hand out all the plants at the garden. They will be at another location and you will be given a specific day/time when you can pick them up.
- 11. If you have your own bucket or garden tools, please bring these with you. The less we share tools, the safer we all will be.
- 12. Some NHTI buildings are ready to be used as hospital for COVID patients. Do not drive through campus or go to any of the buildings. Do not use the Boat Pavilion in the parking area. The Boat Launch is closed.

It is important you understand these rules and follow them for your own safety, for the safety of your family, and for the whole community.