

**HALCOTT COMMUNITY GARDEN
GARDEN RULES
SEASON 2017 , APRIL - OCTOBER**

This document outlines the rules that pertain to anyone who has access to the garden as well as those assigned a plot in the Garden. Failure to abide by the rules may result in termination of rights for access to the garden. Please review these rules carefully and signify that you have done so and are in agreement to comply by signing at the bottom.

Patron / Friend / Member Rules

- I will make sure that the garden gate is properly secured upon entry and exit.
- I will not disturb assigned plots in any way either by sampling or tasting from beds
- I will pick from the communal plot as prearranged with other gardeners.
- I will not leave any trash/litter in the garden and will leave any picnic area clean.
- I will ensure that any tools/equipment/furniture I use are cleaned and stored properly
- I will supervise my pets into the garden
- I will supervise my children in the garden

Member with plot Rules

- I will refrain from using any synthetic pesticides (including but not limited to herbicides, insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides and miticides) unless first reviewed and approved by garden leadership prior to use.
- I will plot tall plants where they will not shade any neighboring plots
- I will pick only my own crops unless given permission by other plot user and will harvest from the communal plots only as agreed to by leadership.
- I agree to attend a minimum of (2) work meetings for the season and to maintain common areas and participate in fall cleanup at end of season.
- If my plot becomes unkempt, I understand I will be given notice to clean it up and unless I do so, my plot will be reassigned or turned over.
- If I must abandon my plot for any reason, I will notify the garden leadership.

I have read and understand the guidelines and rules above and agree to abide by them. Furthermore, I understand that neither the garden group nor the owners of the land are responsible for my actions. I THEREFORE AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS THE HALCOTT COMMUNITY GARDEN ,THE TOWN OF HALCOTT, IT'S MEMBERS, AND THE OWNER OF THE LAND FOR ANY LIABILITY, DAMAGE, OR LOSS OR CLAIM THAT OCCURS IN CONNECTION WITH USE OF THE HALCOTT COMMUNITY GARDEN BY ME OR ANY OF MY GUESTS.

PRINTED NAME

DATE

SIGNATURE