

North Hull Community Rainbow Gardens



Newsletter Oct 2022



Autumn Approaches

Summer sunshine continues in late summer.

- ▶ The temperature drop is welcome for most, but it continues to be warmer than normal with little rainfall.
- ▶ We employ a new Operations Manager.
- ▶ The Summer holiday craft activities have been a great success.
- ▶ We received a Silver Gilt award from Yorkshire in Bloom.
- ▶ Our new pop up gazebo arrived
- ▶ Maintenance in full swing
- ▶ Harvest time for some of our crops

Autumn Sunshine

August continued to be unseasonably warm with very little rain.

Our volunteers and plot holders have been keeping on top of the watering and keeping cool under the willow arch

Dahlia's and Canna Lillies have been showing us their blooms





Our New Operations Manager

The Rainbow Garden would like to welcome, and introduce to you our new member of staff, Alan Dalgairns who is our Operations Manager. We all look forward to working with Alan and sharing our vision for the future of the Garden.

Craft Sessions a hit!

Junk Day, Picasso Faces, Dream Catchers & Swords, Shields and Crowns

Just some of the crafting sessions we did with so many kids, mums, dads and grandparents during the summer.

We love to see the gardens bustling with the community having fun and taking advantage of the space in so many creative ways!



Yorkshire Bloom

Rainbow Garden are pleased and proud to announce that we received a Silver Gilt award from Yorkshire in Bloom.

This award is testament to all the hard work that is done by the Volunteers, service users, our Trustees, Families and everyone that makes use of our space.

Thank you all



Take Cover!

Our new gazebo arrived last week, Emma, Ken, Val and John had a practice at putting it up, it looks great with our logo brightening up the canopy!

Trustees, staff and volunteers would like to send a massive thanks to University Ward members and Hull City Council who awarded us the grant for purchase.



Autumn Maintenance



- ▶ As the season changes and the cooler weather approaches, it's a good time to get stuck into these jobs ready for winter.
- ▶ Weeding, sanding, painting, and sweeping just some of the maintenance on the garden that our volunteers and staff do to keep the garden looking great.



Harvest Time

- ▶ Harvesting some of our crops from the garden to share with our volunteers.
- ▶ We had some apples from Pickering Orchard which we handed out to the community





Do you have any comments or ideas about things you would like to see us do?
Would you like to volunteer yourself, or discuss making a referral from your org?

We'd love to hear from you!

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