



Bishop's Waltham Gardening Club



BWGC

Registered Charity No.
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Code of Conduct for Young Allotment Holders

Name of Allotment Holder:..... Allotment Plot No.

So that young people develop appropriate attitudes towards the tenancy of an allotment, the Trustees of Bishop's Waltham Gardening Club request that the following Code of Conduct is closely followed. The primary responsibility for a young allotment holder, what they do and how they do it will be that of the parent or guardian who has parental responsibility for the young person. The Trustees of Bishop's Waltham Gardening Club cannot take responsibility for the welfare and conduct of any young people whilst they are at the Albany Road site.

Code of Conduct

The young allotment holder undertakes to abide by the following:

1. To maintain their allotment in a clean and good state of cultivation; this prevents weed contamination of other plots;
2. Never to cause any nuisance, annoyance or personal abuse to other allotment holders;
3. Not to obstruct any path or driveway around any allotment;
4. Not to bring ANY animals onto the allotments; the allotments are for growing food.
5. Not to sub-let any part of your plot;
6. Regularly to cut the grass along the timber edges of the raised plot; this helps keep the allotments in a tidy condition;
7. Not to erect anything like a fence on the plot;
8. Never to use hosepipes to water allotments;
9. Never to light a bonfire;
10. Allotments can be dangerous, so young people must try always to act responsibly and ensure that **care, caution and consideration** are key watchwords when working on their plots
11. Not to use any machinery unsupervised;
12. Glass must not be used on the children's plots (use acrylic if necessary);
13. Sharp items, such as broken tools must be removed from the allotments immediately;
14. No tools or equipment to be left on the children's plots;
15. Always to use the compost bins provided for garden waste, not the ditch

I have read, understood and agree to abide by this Code of Conduct.

Signed by parent.....Name(please print).....

Parent's email address.....Phone.....

Address.....

Signed on behalf of BWGCDate.....

Anthea Mabey (Allotments Organiser)