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FCFCC cannot be held responsible for any errors. While care has been taken to ensure the accuracy of this information, planning a group visit. Many city farms are closed on Mondays. Entry to projects is free unless otherwise stated, but donations are very welcome. Most sites have limited staff/volunteers so please call if

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### Contact FCFCC London Office

For details visit [www.farmgarden.org.uk/cycle-route.html](http://www.farmgarden.org.uk/cycle-route.html)

Cyclists can try a circular route taking in eight of London's city farms.

September: [www.farmgarden.org.uk/city-harvest-festival.html](http://www.farmgarden.org.uk/city-harvest-festival.html)  
London's community farms and gardens hold a City Harvest Festival each

places run training courses with recognised qualifications.

by helping less able people to enjoy these community projects. Some

taking part in activities such as gardening, composting, animal care or

You can pop in as a visitor or get more involved as a volunteer by

local city farm or community garden.

Look no further! The map will help you find your

- To find local teaching resources
- To meet the neighbours
- To learn new skills, for example growing food
- Ways to improve the local environment and encourage wildlife
- A break from the urban grind
- Fresh air and exercise

City dwellers seeking:

# London City Farms and Community Gardens Map and Information



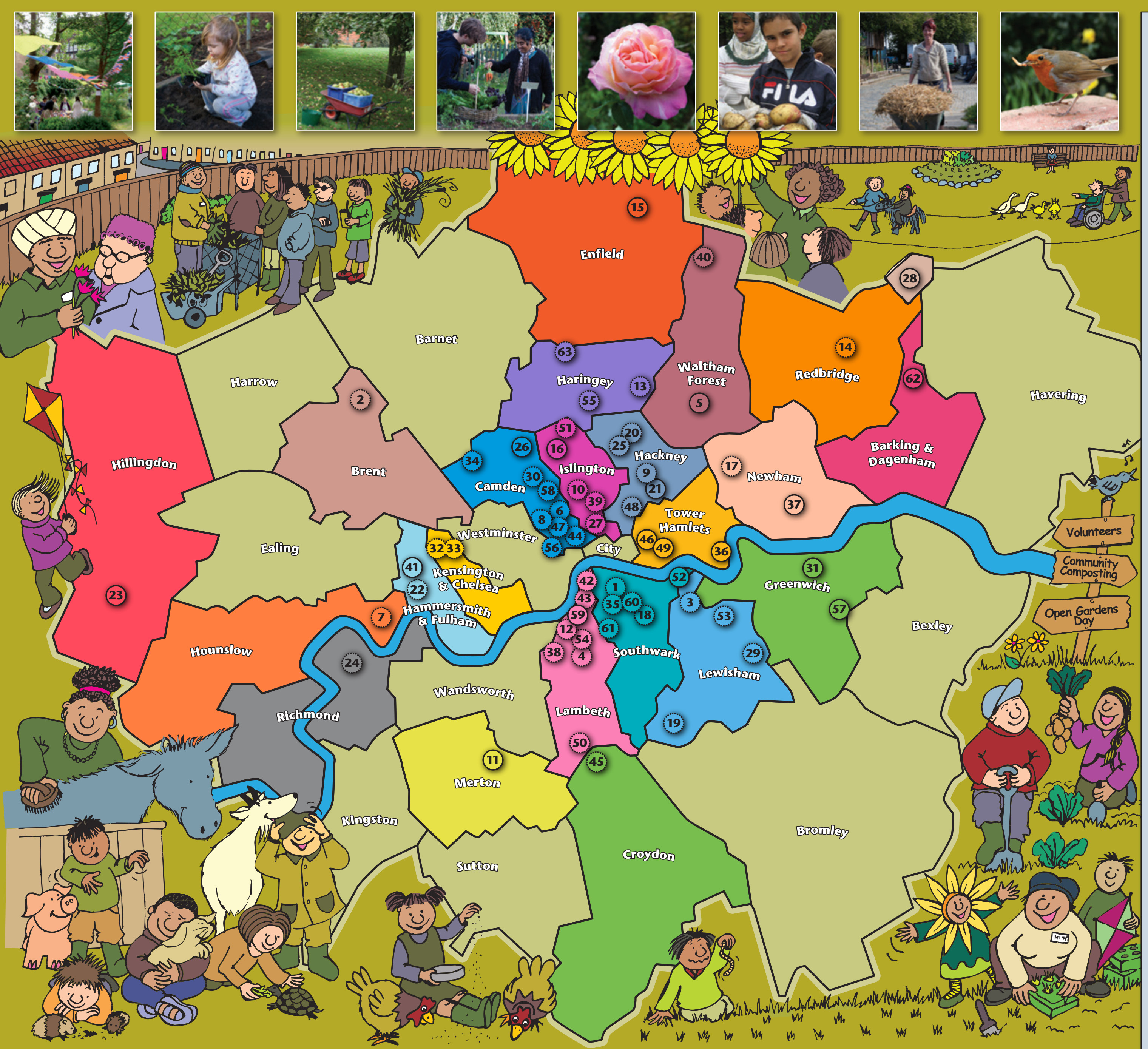
Federation of City Farms & Community Gardens



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BOST brings people together to create inspiring green spaces. Projects include food growing, youth activities and transforming housing land. The Redcross Garden, laid out by Octavia Hill, one of the founders of the National Trust, has been restored by BOST. Regular events and opportunities for volunteers to get involved.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open access.

**Location:** The Redcross Garden, Redcross Way, between Union St and Marshalsea Rd. **Bus:** 21, 35, 40, 133, 343, 344, C10. **Tube:** London Bridge, Borough. **Postcode:** SE1 1HA

**Contact:** 020 7403 3393; info@bost.org.uk; www.bost.org.uk



Formed in 1984 to help to conserve Fryent Country Park (over 100 hectares of meadows, woods, hedgerows, ponds and a variety of wildlife). The group have restored a Victorian walled garden (Roe Green) within the park. The garden has formal rose gardens, a herbaceous border, vegetable plot, tree nursery, fruit trees, ponds, children's area and a workshop.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Tues, Thurs & Sat: 10am–2.30pm.

**Location:** Roe Green Park, NW9. **Bus:** 183 and 204 stop outside. **Tube:** Kingsbury Station (Jubilee line) is a few minutes walk. **Car:** Enter park opposite Valley Drive, on Kingsbury Rd, and bear left at fork. **Postcode:** NW9 9HA

**Contact:** 020 8206 0492; john.barrington2@btinternet.com; www.bhcg.btck.co.uk



Community garden running a gardening club, food and harvest activities, pest maintenance, volunteer days, events and training courses. Demonstration garden of multicultural plants, many rare in the UK, succulents that will cope with drought and plants that will cope with traffic pollution. Small building with classroom.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** By arrangement & open days.

**Location:** Contact project for directions. **Rail:** New Cross Gate or Peckham Queens Rd. **Postcode:** SE14 5AE

**Contact:** 020 7639 7605; www.ngttrust.org.uk



Volunteer run community garden project on a historic site in Brockwell Park. Several distinct gardens, two big greenhouses, demonstration vegetable plots and wildlife areas.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Tues, Thurs, Sun: 1pm–5pm. Educational visits by arrangement. Plant and seasonal produce sales every Sunday pm.

**Location:** Brockwell Park, SE24. **Rail:** Herne Hill and Tulse Hill. **Bus:** 2, 3, 37, 196, 432. **Postcode:** SE24 9BJ

**Contact:** 07427 685 714; education@brockwellgreenhouses.org.uk; www.brockwellgreenhouses.org.uk



Waltham Forest's only city farm nestles in a housing estate by a train line. Primarily for education and school visits but also open to the public. Events during the holidays. Outreach and animal therapy services.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Winter: 9.30am–4pm. Summer: 10.30am–5pm. Entrance fee for out of Borough group visits £1 per head.

**Location:** Skeltons Lane Park (entry via Skeltons Lane). **E10. Bus:** 257, 69, 97 down Leyton High Rd. **Tube:** Leyton (Central Line). Walthamstow Central (Victoria Line). **Rail:** Leyton Midland. **Postcode:** E10 5HS

**Contact:** 020 8539 4278; brooks.farm@walthamforest.gov.uk; www.walthamforest.gov.uk/brooks-farm-leyton



A 1.2 acre garden with a waterfall, mosaic path and Bangali women's plots, family allotments, wild garden and greenhouse. The main building is a Walter Segal design with a green roof. Varied programme of activities for children and adults, including under 5s drop-in.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Winter: Mon–Fri 9am–5pm, Sat–Sun 11am–5pm. Summer: Mon–Fri 10am–6pm (8.30pm school holidays), Sat–Sun 10am–6pm

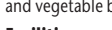
**Location:** Corner of Grays Inn Rd and Ampton St, WC1. **Tube:** Russell Square, Kings Cross, Chancery Lane. **Bus:** 17/45, 46. **Postcode:** WC1X 8LH

**Contact:** 020 7837 8019; info@calthorpeproject.org.uk; www.calthorpeproject.org.uk



Until recently the once grand kitchen garden at Chiswick Garden House lay neglected. Revived through a successful community volunteer initiative, the garden has been managed by Chiswick House and Gardens Trust since 2010. Volunteers continue to restore this wonderful secluded garden with historically accurate fruit and vegetable beds, propagation and planting.

#### Facilities:



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A green haven in central London for children's play. Lots of play equipment, paddling pool and pets corner with goats, sheep, ducks etc. Adults must be accompanied by a child.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Winter: 9am–dusk. Summer: 9am–8pm. **Location:** Off Guilford St, WC1. **Tube:** Russell Square (Piccadilly). King's Cross St Pancras and Holborn or Chancery Lane. **Bus:** 17, 45 & 46 (Gray's Inn Rd) or 7, 59, 68, 68, 91, 168 & 188 (Russell Square). **Postcode:** WC1N 2AP

**Contact:** 020 7837 6138; info@coramsfields.org.uk; www.coramsfields.org



Created on derelict land owned by the London College of Fashion. Includes raised beds used by local people and students at the college, wildlife area and a dye bed to grow natural dyes. The group are experimenting with growing flax and have even made their own string! The garden is maintained and run by volunteers whose ages range from 20–70.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Contact project for details. **Location:** 182 Mare St, E8. **Rail:** London Fields or Hackney Central. **Bus:** 55, 48, 254, 106, D6, 277, 38, 30. **Postcode:** E8 3RE

**Contact:** 07714 288 286; cordwalnersgarden@gmail.com



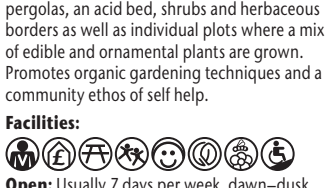
Multi prize-winning garden run and maintained by garden workers and volunteers for the benefit of the community. Ponds, two pergolas, an acid bed, shrubs and herbaceous borders as well as individual plots where a mix of edible and ornamental plants are grown. Promotes organic gardening techniques and a community ethos of self help.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** See website for details. **Location:** Forty Hill, EN4. **Postcode:** EN2 9HA

**Contact:** 07713 488 501; fortyhillfarm@capel.ac.uk; www.fortyhillfarm.org.uk



Bringing the countryside to Islington. A working farm with vegetable gardens, rare breed animals and poultry providing opportunities for individuals and groups to learn through animal care, horticulture and sustainable practices. Buildings on site include an oak and straw bale café. Bee-keeping, crafts, after school club, under 5s and school visits.



An educational resource and community project based on National Trust land. Working farm and a British Horse Society approved riding school. Volunteer and work experience programmes. The project teaches animal care and respect for the environment through school visits, holiday play schemes and workshops.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Tues–Sun: 10 am–4.30 pm. Open Bank Holiday Mondays. All groups wanting farm tours must pre-book.

**Location:** Morden Hall Park, off Windsor Avenue, SW19. **Tube:** Colliers Wood, Wimbledon. **Rail:** Wimbledon. **Bus:** 200, 118, 127, 219, 270. **Tram:** Phipps Bridge/Morden Rd. **Postcode:** SW19 2RR

**Contact:** 020 8543 5300; manager@deencityfarm.co.uk; www.deencityfarm.co.uk



A quiet green space benefiting the whole neighbourhood. A sustainable habitat for wildlife that promotes biodiversity. Children's gardening club and volunteer days.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open access.

**Location:** Rectory Grove, SW4. **Tube:** Peckham Common. **Bus:** 77, 87, 88, 322, 417, 452. **Postcode:** SW4 0DX

**Contact:** 020 7622 2128; eden@stpaulssw4.org



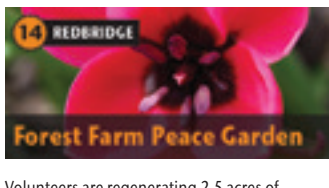
Food growing for Ferry Lane Estate residents in five 3x2m raised planters, including one with disabled access. Wildflowers are grown to encourage pollinators. Tottenham Marshes and Walthamstow Reservoirs are 10 minutes away.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Contact project for details. **Location:** Jarrow Rd, N17. **Tube:** Tottenham Hale. **Bus:** W4, 123, 230. **Postcode:** N17 9PP

**Contact:** 020 8376 8088; jeannette.ton217@gmail.com



Volunteers are regenerating 2.5 acres of derelict allotments, creating a peaceful and therapeutic space. Programmes for refugees, asylum seekers and mental health service users. Organic communal vegetable plots, fruit forest garden, herbs, beehives, polytunnel and wildlife areas. Monthly sustainable living workshops, arts events and outdoor cooking.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Wed: 11–4pm, Fri: 11–4pm. Events throughout the year. See website for more.

**Location:** Hazelbroock Gardens, Hainault, IG6. Pass through the 2 sets of gates. **Tube:** Hainault. **Bus:** 150 and 247. **Postcode:** IG6 2XL

**Contact:** 0791 308 9979; natalie@forestfarmpeacegarden.org; www.forestfarmpeacegarden.org



An organic, mixed farm on the outskirts of London run by Capel Manor College, London's only land-based college. Range of volunteer and community activities, as well as events and educational visits. Orchard, vineyard, forest garden, market garden and veg bag scheme.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** See website for details. **Location:** Forty Hill, EN4. **Postcode:** EN2 9HA

**Contact:** 07713 488 501; fortyhillfarm@capel.ac.uk; www.fortyhillfarm.org.uk



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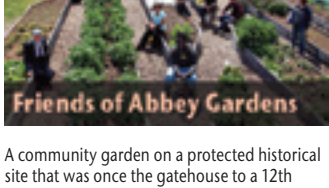
#### Facilities:



**Open:** Tues–Sun: 10am–1pm and 2–4.45pm. Closes 4pm in winter. Café open Thurs–Sun.

**Location:** Next to Paradise Park, Sheringham Rd, N7. **Tube:** Highbury and Islington, Caledonian Rd and Holloway Rd. **Bus:** 4, 17, 19, 30, 43, 91, 153, 259, 271, 274, 277. **Postcode:** N7 8PF

**Contact:** 020 7609 0467; lia@freightlinersfarm.org.uk; www.freightlinersfarm.org.uk



A community garden on a protected historical site that was once the gatehouse to a 12th century abbey. The Friends of Abbey Gardens have transformed a neglected piece of land into an inspirational, artist-designed harvest garden.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open access

**Location:** Bakers Row, E15. **Rail:** Abbey Rd (DLR). **Postcode:** E15 3NF

**Contact:** 07985 038 212; mail@abbeygardens.org; www.abbeygardens.org



The group have reclaimed a derelict park site and old wharf which they are developing into a social and practical hub for sustainable food growing, healthy food, permaculture and other related activities. A Permaculture Association Land Learner site.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Contact project for details.

**Location:** At the Peckham end of Burgess Park, Glengall Rd, SE15. **Bus:** 63, 363. Waite St stop is 2 mins walk. Old Kent Rd a 5 min walk. **Postcode:** SE15 6NF

**Contact:** 07900 288 323



A food and plant growing community garden project aiming to encourage more food growing in London.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Contact project for details.

**Location:** Mayow Park (rear of pavilion), Mayow Rd SE26. **Rail:** Sydenham, Forest Hill. **Bus:** 75. **Postcode:** SE26 4JA

**Contact:** http://growmayow.blogspot.com



A social enterprise run by local people in Hackney, East London. Through their organic box scheme, organic farmers' market and urban market gardens, the group aim to provide good food in a way that benefits both environment and community. Visitors welcome. Allens Gardens has an eco building which is available for hire.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Mon–Fri: 9.30am–5.30pm.

**Location:** Hoxton St, N1. **Tube:** Old St, Liverpool St, then 243 bus. **Bus:** 149, 243 north on Shoreditch High St. Alight at Giffrey Museum. 5 minute walk. **Postcode:** N1 6SH

**Contact:** 020 7729 1480; admin@hoxtontrust.org



A range of farm animals and a beautiful organic garden. An award winning café opens every day except Monday. Volunteer programmes and regular evening and weekend activities, including upholstery, cycle maintenance, pottery and eco-living courses.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Daily: 9am–5pm.

**Location:** Cressfield Close, off Grafton Rd, NW5. **Tube:** Kentish Town (Northern Line) then walk via Kentish Town Rd/Holmes Rd/Grafton Rd. Chalk Farm then walk via Prince of Wales Rd/Malden Rd/Queens Crescent/Grafton Rd. **Postcode:** E2 8QA

**Contact:** 020 7729 6381; farm@hackneycityfarm.co.uk; www.hackneycityfarm.co.uk



Manages Loris Rd Community Garden and Godolphin Garden and a food growing project at Ravenscourt Park Greenhouses. Works with local schools and undertakes community arts and history projects. Check website for events and workshops.

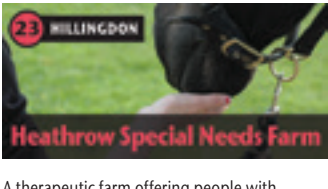
#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open access

**Location:** Next to 3 Loris Rd W6 and 59 Godolphin Rd W12. **Tube:** Hammersmith, Goldhawk Rd, Shepherds Bush. **Bus:** 220. **Postcode:** W12 8JF

**Contact:** 07890 514 050; info@hcgpa.org.uk; www.hcgpa.org.uk



A therapeutic farm offering people with varying special needs the chance to engage within a working farm environment. Livestock include rabbits, sheep, goats and cows. Horsingoring for the disabled. Regular visitors help to grow produce and go pond dipping. Range of informal education/training on offer, with a unique blend of adventure, farm and environmental activities.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open by appointment. Call before visiting. No entrance fee, donation requested.

**Location:** Corner of Stanwell Moor Rd & Bath Rd, T7: Hatton Cross. **Bus:** 81 or any bus to BA Waterside then 10 minute walk down Rd. **Car:** 5 minutes from Junction 14 M25 and 5 minutes from Junction 4 M4. **Postcode:** UB7 0EF

**Contact:** 01753 680 330; info@heathrowspcialneedsfarm.co.uk; www.heathrowspcialneedsfarm.co.uk



Small community garden leased from Lewisham Council. Community development through food growing.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** See website for details. **Location:** Rear of 94 Burnt Ash Rd. Parking and entrance from the east end of Micheldever Rd SE12 8LX. **Rail:** Leamington (Stapleford line) is about a 5 minute walk away. **Bus:** 202, 261 calling at Dorville Rd (southbound) or Micheldever Rd (northbound). **Postcode:** SE12 8PY

**Contact:** 0773 6519415; leamancorg@gmail.com; www.leamancorsociety.org

**Location:** Richmond Park, nearest gate is Richmond Gate. 10–15 mins walk to the centre. See website for more.

**Rail:** Richmond (District Line & Southwest trains). **Bus:** 371 from station to Richmond Gate. **Postcode:** TW10 5HS

**Contact:** 020 8940 8730; hclinfo@thehollylodgecentre.org.uk; www.thehollylodgecentre.org.uk



Three small gardens, mini orchard, under 5's play area and a communal garden. Local volunteers are reclaiming a derelict space for fun and activities. A new initiative is the roof garden as part of a Grow Green Healthy Living project.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Access can be booked by contacting the community centre.

**Location:** Behind the community centre at 156 Malden Lane, N1. **Bus:** 274, 29 or 253, 390 via Kings Cross Station. **Rail:** Camden Rd. **Tube:** Camden Town. **Postcode:** NW1 9XZ

**Contact:** 020 7267 9586; davehmc@yahoo.co.uk; www.maldenlanecommunitycentre.org



The animal park promotes good practice in the care and understanding of animals. Free guided tours and hands-on educational sessions for the public and school groups who can enter the enclosures and meet animals close up.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open 7 days a week. Tours Wed 1.30pm (term time) and Mon/Wed/Fri 1.30pm (school holidays).

**Location:** Flamstead Rd, SE7. **Postcode:** SE7 8HT

**Contact:** 0784 207 3583; mwanimalpark@hotmail.com

Reclaimed from wasteland in 1977 by sculptor Jamie McCullough and a group of local people, the site has been transformed into lush gardens

with a pond, festival lawn, wildlife garden, Moroccan garden and sculptural drinking fountain. Facilities include a skate park and a drop-in centre for children under 6.

#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open access.

**Location:** 154 & 156–8 Kensal Rd, W10. **Tube:** Westbourne Park. **Bus:** 18, 23, 52. **Postcode:** W10 5BN

**Contact:** 020 8960 6414; info@meanwhile-gardens.org.uk; http://meanwhile-gardens.org.uk



Base for Mind's vocational training course in horticulture and conservation for adults who have experienced mental ill health. Meadow, bee and butterfly garden, ponds and bog, herb garden and woodlands. A permaculture garden is being developed. Plant sales at Portobello Rd Market, Thurs 9.30 am–4.30pm.

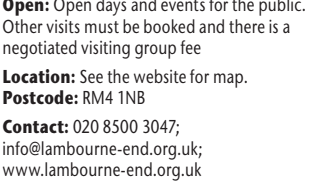
#### Facilities:



**Open:** Open access.

**Location:** 154 Kensal Rd **Tube:** Westbourne Park. **Bus:** 18, 23, 52. **Postcode:** W10 5BN

**Contact:** 020 8960 6336; garden@kcmind.org.uk; www.kcmind.org.uk



Outdoor centre and working farm with livestock, including rare breeds. Learn about animal husbandry and crop management, the natural environment, conservation and horticulture. Young children can meet the animals, hunt for mini bugs or go pond dipping. Range of informal education/training on offer, with a unique blend of adventure, farm and environmental activities.