



COMMUNITY GARDEN

COMING TO BOARDMAN
HISTORIC
SOUTHERN STABLES



Come Grow with Us!

Boardman Township Park & 4H Mahoning County are excited to announce a Community Garden at the Historic Southern Stables

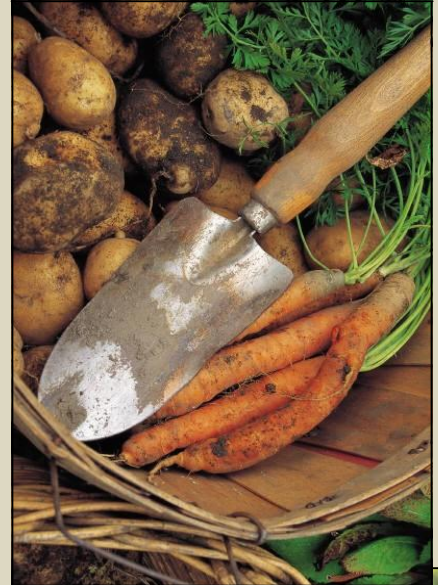
Whether you grow food for your family or for local charities, you get the opportunity to work the soil and experience the joys of gardening while working side-by-side and fellowshiping with others in our community.

Community Gardener Receives:

- Garden Plot - 10' x 20', 1-Plot/Gardener
- Water
- Periodic Classes/Instructions on gardening and other related topics
- Garden Season: May 1 - Nov. 15

You are responsible for the following:

- Your seeds and/or plants
- Your own tools
- Your own fertilizer & mulch
- Annual Registration Fee \$25



LOCATION

Southern Stables is located on Washington Blvd., between Market St. & Southern Blvd., approximately 1-mile South of US Route 224

Community gardens provide an opportunity for people to grow their own food with greater control over the environment & inputs used in the growing process.

Registration begins April 13
Register at Boardman Park Office
375 Boardman-Poland Road
Call: 330.726.8105 for more information

PLEASE TURN OVER FOR MORE INFORMATION



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SOME QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

WHO CAN GARDEN AND HOW DO I GET A PLOT?

Registration for garden plots is through Boardman Park. Due to the limited number of plots available, registration is limited to Boardman residents only and one plot per gardener or gardening family. Only registered gardeners may use the garden plots.

WHAT DOES BEING A "COMMUNITY GARDENER" MEAN?

Each gardener is part of a community of gardeners & needs to work with others in relative harmony in order to make a positive gardening experience for everyone. The gardeners are responsible not just for their plot, but also for the pathways surrounding their plot and for helping the gardening area as a whole.

WHAT IS THE DEFINITION OF A "WORKING GARDEN"?

A garden plot must be maintained, planted & mulched & stay within its boundaries. Plots may not be consistently weedy, untended, or filled with debris. Gardeners are expected to spend at least 3-hours per week on average during the growing season tending the plot.



WHAT IS APPROPRIATE TO GROW?

Vegetables, herbs, flowers and small fruit plants for home consumption & donation are appropriate. No large structures, trees, or large collection or non-plant items are allowed. Crops must be legal and for personal use or donation. Plants need to be maintained such that they do not shade an adjoining garden or encroach on the pathway.



Plots are Limited
Register Today!!!