



Prince's Lakes Garden Rules and Conditions

-I understand that I do not own a plot. I understand that I am given an opportunity to garden a small garden plot owned by the Town Prince's Lakes ("Town"), under the control and subject to the rules of the Town. Use of the plot is a privilege, not a right.

-I agree to pay an annual, nonrefundable fee of \$30 to help cover the garden expenses. I am renting plot # _____ for my personal use. I will provide reliable contact information to the garden leadership. Under no circumstances will the annual fee be refunded.

-I will have planted approved plants in my assigned plot by June 1 and will maintain them all summer. Unplanted plots at that time may be forfeited and reassigned to the next person on the waitlist.

-I will grow only approved, annual vegetables, herbs and flowers. No plants will be carried over to the next year.

-I will not grow anything that is illegal in Indiana.

-I will not take or pick anything from another plot without the expressed permission of the gardener renting that plot. Taking or picking from another garden will result in permanent revocation of gardening privileges.

-I will stay out of other people's plots unless specifically invited.

-I will promptly remove diseased infested plants.

-If I must abandon my plot for any reason, I will notify the garden leader.

-I will control weeds, trash and litter in and around my plot and in the common areas around the garden as a whole.

-If my plot becomes unkempt, I understand I will be given a two week notice to clean it up. If the issue has not been addressed by the end of that time, I will be deemed to have forfeited the plot.



-I will conserve water as much as possible and water my plot and only when necessary. I understand the water will be available 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily and will be locked all other times. I understand there are no restroom facilities at the garden.

-I understand that I must dispose of trash and debris in the designated trash receptacles. I understand the recycle bins are only for vegetation coming from the garden.

-I will actively assist with the fall clean-up of the entire garden.

-I will plant tall crops only where they will not shade neighboring plots. I will not allow my crops to encroach into or on another's garden or in the walkway.

-I will not use fertilizer, pesticides, or weed repellent that will adversely affect other plots. I will not kill, poison or trap any animals.

-I will keep the paths bordering my plot clear.

-Children are welcome at the garden but must be accompanied and supervised by an adult.

-I will not bring pets to the garden.

-I will clean my plot of all plant debris, cages, trash, etc. by December 1st.

-Only I or members of my household will tend my plot. If I am unable for a short time, I may contact another gardener for assistance and notify the garden leadership. If I am unable to continue gardening, I will notify garden leadership.

-I will not come to the garden intoxicated or under the influence of drugs, nor will I use alcohol or drugs while at the garden.

-I agree not to have gatherings or parties on the garden property or on the land owned by the town of Prince's Lake.

-I understand that the Prince's Lake Garden is not staffed or supervised by any agent or employee of the town of Prince's Lake.

-Participation in the Prince's Lake Garden is at my own risk. By using the garden property, I understand that I assume all responsibility and liability for the risks of participating in the Prince's Lake Garden. These risks include but are not limited to



1. Loss, theft, and/or damage to person, plants and/or personal property.
2. Mosquitos, ticks, chiggers, fleas, bees, wasps, hornets, spiders or other insects that may be present;
3. Wild animals in the garden such as deer, rabbits, geese, birds, skunks, raccoons, opossums, reptiles, snakes, rodents or stray dogs, all of which may cause damage, personal injury or infection;
4. Any personal property brought into or onto the premises, including personal vehicles, is at your own risk.
5. Any type of personal injury or illness related to the garden.

-GARDENERS AND INDIVIDUALS ACCOMPANYING GARDENERS USE THIS FACILITY ENTIRELY AT THEIR OWN RISK. GARDENERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN PROPERTY AND SAFETY WHILE USING THIS FACILITY. I AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS THE TOWN OF PRINCE'S LAKE, its boards, departments, boards, committees, agents, and representative, their successors and assigns from all claims, liability, damages, losses and costs, related in any manner to my use of or participation in the community garden.

-I attest that I am at least 18 years of age and that I have read and agree to abide by the above garden rules and guidelines. I understand that failure to abide by these rules and guidelines may result in forfeiture of my gardening privileges.

Name (Please Print)

Signature

Date



Contact information including address, telephone and email.

Please keep a copy of this agreement for future reference.