

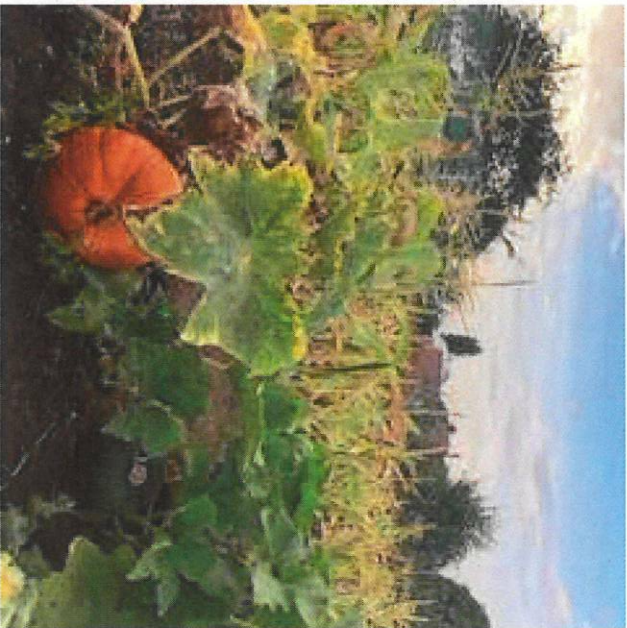


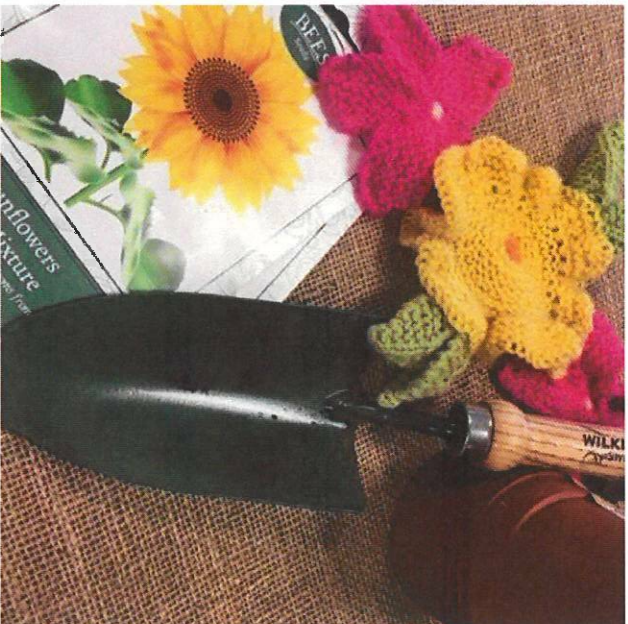
THE GROW TOGETHER ALLOTMENT



TGTA CORE VALUES

- To provide an inclusive facility for local people and groups to grow
- To offer a safe environment for people of all ages and gardening abilities to work together
- To promote a positive space in which mental, emotional & physical health and wellbeing can be improved
- To operate an environmentally sound plot





AIMS & OBJECTIVES

- To encourage people to 'have a go' and achieve their own aims
- To share skills, best practice and be environmentally aware
- To partner with other community organisations for the benefit of all
- To develop volunteer & partnership working opportunities



OUR PLOT & WHAT WE'VE GOT

- 15 Pole plot (375m²)
- Potting Shed
- Greenhouse
- Shed
- Tools/Hand Tools
- Petrol Mower
- Seating Area
- Raised Beds
- Compost Bays

WHAT & WHO DO WE GROW

A variety of vegetables, fruit & herbs

Wild & cut flowers

Habitats for birds, insects and small animals



Volunteers

Schools & Nurseries

Youth Groups & Organisations

Young Adults Support Groups

Affinity Day Care

Better Lives

UoN Students

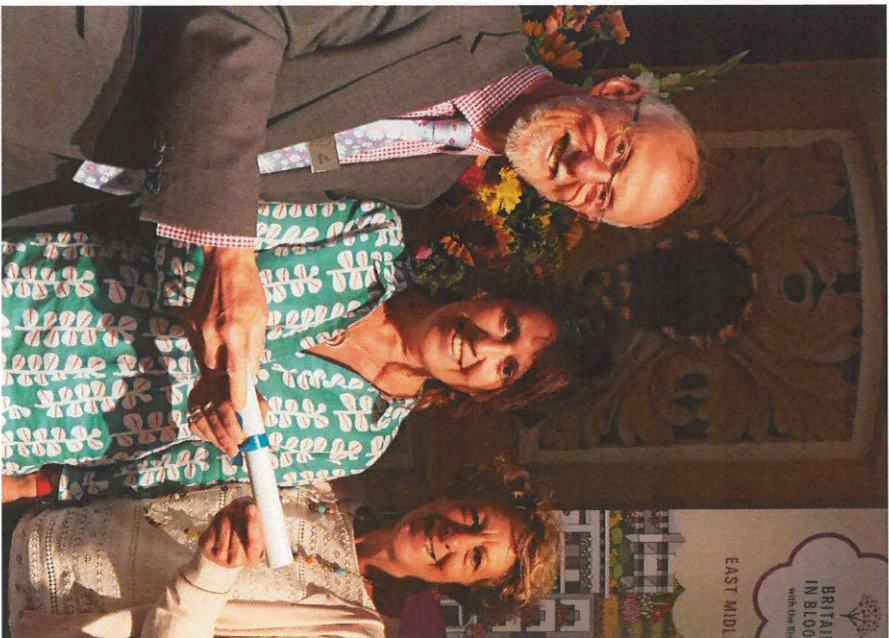
Corporate Team Building



BENEFITS

- Volunteering opportunity
- Improved health & wellbeing
- Make friends & share skills
- A sense of community involvement
- Opportunity to learn about the growth cycle
- Supports National Curriculum
- Raised awareness of where our food comes from
- Volunteers & Groups can take spare produce home
- Grow | Cook | Eat Promoting Fork to Table concept
- 'Soup-er Bag' connects with the community





S U C C E S S E S

Northampton in Bloom Gold medal winner
East Midlands in Bloom Silver medal winner

 Invaluable resource during lockdown

 Volunteers have gone on to run their own plots

 Young adults can take responsibility in a safe space

 Volunteers have extended their knowledge and

 gained confidence

 TGTA has supported other plot holders to get set
 up

 The success is in growing the people; the produce
 is a bonus

OUR VISION

To increase the volunteer base

To attract new groups & individuals to the plot

To develop regular groups to establish a sense of ownership

To improve accessibility to attract more groups

To continue to visit other schemes for inspiration and growth

To expand our Sowing | Growing | Harvest plans

To increase the number of no-dig beds

To expand the timetable of events at the plot

To make TGTA a sustainable project to ensure longevity

To continue to raise awareness of the facility

