

PROGRAMS



EVENTS

FALL 2020

OCTOBER • NOVEMBER

CALENDAR


COVID-19 UPDATE

Although we have had to temporarily close our Outdoor Learning Center in response to COVID-19, we are able to continue some of our programs, even if virtually. We've also implemented some exciting new programs in our mission to serve the Newark community.

OCTOBER

- 10 Second Saturday • 10:30am – 12pm
- 13 Last day to register to vote!
- 15 City Bloom Virtual Celebration 6:00 – 7pm
- 17 OctoberFest • 10:00am – 2:00pm
- 17 Family Fun In the Kitchen • 12:00am – 1:00pm
- 23 Hawthorne Ave Farm Pumpkin Patch
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- 31 Halloween

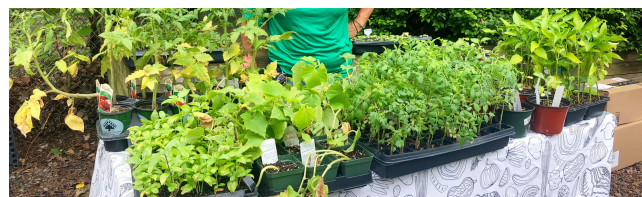
NOVEMBER

- 3 Election Day 
- 11 Veterans Day
- 14 Second Saturday • 9:00am – 12:00pm
- 26 Thanksgiving

FARM STAND

- T Hawthorne Ave Farm Stand • 3:30pm – 5:30pm
- TH City Hall Farm Stand • 10am – 1pm
10/8, 10/22, 11/5, 11/19
- TH 13th Ave Farm Stand • 10am – 1pm
10/1, 10/15, 10/29, 11/12, 11/26
- F OLC Farm Stand • 3:00pm – 6:30pm
- S OLC Farm Stand • 10am – 1pm • 10/17, 11/21

- To sign up or for more details on our programs, please visit www.citybloom.org.
- REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR SOME WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS. VOLUNTEER POLICIES HAVE CHANGED DUE TO COVID-19.
- Please note: For marketing and promotional use, we often take photos at our events. If you do not want to be included, please inform the photographer.



EDUCATION & FAMILY PROGRAMS

SECOND SATURDAYS

Saturdays • 10/10, 11/14 • 10:30am–12pm • Facebook Live • FREE

Our Second Saturday Family Adventures have gone virtual! Join us on Facebook live to learn about different topics taught by our knowledgeable staff. We offer environmental education and service learning programs for students of all ages to foster critical thinking, problem solving and student collaboration.

VIRTUAL FAMILY FUN IN THE KITCHEN

Saturday • 10/17, 11/21 • 11am–12:30pm • Facebook Live • Ages 3+ • FREE

In this hands-on, interactive series, families experience farm-to-table cooking from the comfort of their own home. Everyone is given an ingredients list to learn to make a simple, affordable recipe over Facebook Live. Learn to make ratatouille, salsa, and more!

SCHOOL GARDEN WORKSHOPS

The Newark Network of School Gardens is a collaborative of educators, parents, administrators and others interested in opening the world of the garden to young people. This series of professional development workshops will help you start and develop a school or youth garden.

KNOW IT AND GROW IT ON FACEBOOK LIVE

Tuesdays • 7–8pm • Facebook Live • FREE

Join four knowledgeable and engaging Newark gardeners as they share their real-world wisdom. This online series focuses on edible gardening and the mechanics of growing (mostly) edible plants at home. Even if you are an inexperienced home gardener, this workshop will help you plan and grow a productive, organic, bountiful garden.

VIRTUAL LEAD PROGRAM

Virtual • FREE

The Lead Safe Early Care Program, generously funded by the Healthcare Foundation of NJ, continues to operate virtually and offer interactive education about preventing lead exposure in pregnant women and children under the age of six. The program includes video instruction and Professional Development Workshops.

Missed a session? Don't worry! Visit our Youtube Channel: [Greater Newark Conservancy](#)

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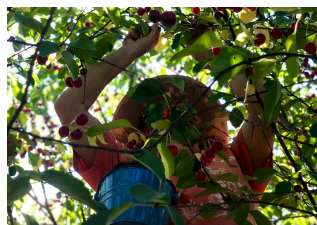
COMMUNITY EVENTS

COVID-19 EMERGENCY FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Thursdays • 9am–2pm

Each week during the COVID-19 crisis, Greater Newark Conservancy and partner organizations including CareSparc Consulting, Table to Table, and Lincoln Park Coast Cultural District, distribute fresh produce to over 2,000 Newark seniors and families weekly. So far we have distributed over 500,000 pounds of essential food items.

Visit www.citybloom.org for more information and to volunteer.



VOLUNTEER AT HAWTHORNE AVE FARM AND OUR OUTDOOR LEARNING CENTER

Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday • 9am–2pm

Volunteers are a vital part of Greater Newark Conservancy's mission and operations. Our volunteer policies have changed as a result of COVID-19 but we are able to host individuals and small groups at our outdoor sites. Visit our site to learn more about our new volunteer procedures and to sign up.

Registration is required at least 72 hours in advance.

YOU'RE INVITED!



MAKING OUR CITY BLOOM VIRTUAL CELEBRATION

Thursday, October 15 • 6–7pm

Celebrate 33 years of *Making Our City Bloom* on Thursday, October 15 at our virtual City Bloom Celebration. Join us for a night of great company and unforgettable fun!

We have a spectacular event lined up with special guests including internationally renowned chef, Marcus Samuelsson, hip-hop violinist, Bri Blvck, and Mistress of Ceremonies, ABC-TV news anchor, Tony Yates.

The Link to the event will be emailed to all who RSVP. Visit gala.citybloom.org for more information and to RSVP, become a sponsor or to buy an advertisement.

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OCTOBERFEST

OCTOBERFEST POP-UP MARKET

Saturday, October 17 • 10am–2pm

Start your holiday shopping early! Since it looks unlikely that we will be able to have our annual holiday market, you're invited to join us on October 17th for a special Octoberfest Pop-up Market!

Enjoy the fall season in the Conservancy's outdoor Urban Learning Center, while shopping local small businesses.

You'll learn to cook a delicious fall meal and get your ingredients right at our Farm Stand, with a live Family Fun in the Kitchen demo.

Covid protocols must be followed.

COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

#EVERYONEGETSAGARDEN

This program provides free home gardening resources to Fairmount Heights Community members.

Visit www.citybloom.org to learn more.

NEWARK YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROJECT

Work-study eligible college interns are empowered to try new things, experience outdoor activities, and lead a healthier lifestyle.

Visit www.citybloom.org to apply.

