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School Garden Spotlight

Lincoln School in the West Ward has been making great strides in their farm to school activities. Not only does Lincoln an outdoor garden growing fruits and veggies like tomatoes. peppers, basil, blueberries. green onions. sweet potatoes, and more! But also turned an outdoor trailer into hydroponic classroom for



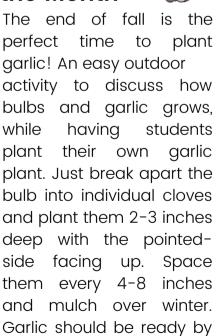


students and staff to learn about hydroponics and have the opportunity to taste these vegetables in the cafeteria and during taste tests.

Hydroponics is the process of growing plants in just water and nutrients; absolutely no soil involved! This trailer is a few months away from being in action for 1 year and students have enjoyed the various salads and basil pesto recipes they have tasted in this trailer! They hope to provide a fresh salad bar for students to have during lunch time in the near future.



Lesson of the Month







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Newark Heroes

Around Newark, we have many leaders and unsung heroes doing amazina work in their community. of these unsung heroes is Sue Rexford, the heart and soul of the Thirteenth Avenue School Garden! This garden was established in April 2021, and continues to grow to this day. From what used to be an old courtyard, is now filled with color and beautiful plants. With the

addition of even more raised beds and greenhouse to expand growing, Sue Rexford is continuing to bring life to the courtyard. With heroes like Sue Rexford in our Newark Public Schools know we Thirteenth Avenue will be sustained for years to come!





What's Happening Around Newark

On Saturday October 29th, Hawthorne Avenue Farm hosted their 2nd Annual Harvest Festival! There is always a fun activity for anyone in the family to enjoy including pumpkin painting, scavenger hunts, farmers market, petting zoo, costume giveaway, local vendors. live music.

and more! Huge thank you to all the community partners that made this event possible. We will see everyone again next year!



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<u>Upcoming</u> <u>Events</u>

11/5- NDD Fall Community
Plant Donation @ 9am

11/12- <u>Second Saturday @</u> 10:30am

11/19- <u>Family Fun in the</u> <u>Kitchen @ 11am</u>

To register, visit our website at https://www.citybloom.org





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Garden Resources

The temperatures are getting cooler slowly, but surely. But this does not mean that we have growing to stop altogether. Cold hardy vegetables that can withstand cold weather include collards, carrots, cabbage, kale, radishes, brussels sprouts and more! A great way to extend the season on top of growing hardy vegetables is by utilizing



Agribon row covers.
These covers allow for the inner tunnel to be warmer than the temperatures outside of the row cover.

Grants

Check out these opportunities to help kick start your garden program!

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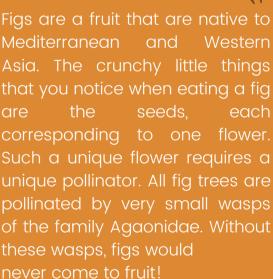


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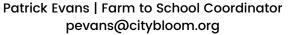




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