



# Garden & Allotment Competition 2023



**Take Pride in Your City** is a community campaign which aims to encourage Dundee's residents to help make a difference in their neighbourhoods, parks and open spaces.



# Citywide Garden and Allotment Competition 2023

*Annual Competition run by Dundee City Council*

## Why Get Involved

- To encourage the community, including schools, citizens and businesses to take pride and interest in the City.
- To promote the involvement of allotment gardening and the benefits of growing vegetables, fruit and flowering plants.
- To make attractive use of floral displays and create imaginative landscapes.
- To sustain the diversity of plants and wildlife.

## Who Can Enter

- Open to all within the Dundee City boundary.

## How to Enter

Fill in and return the application form by **Monday 24 July 2023**.

Please send your completed application form to:

**[environment.mgt@dundeecity.gov.uk](mailto:environment.mgt@dundeecity.gov.uk)**

If you are unable to return the form by email, please call **01382 433141**.

## What Happens Next

### **Garden Competition:**

Judging will take place **between Wednesday 26 July and Friday 4 August 2023**.

If access to the garden is restricted, please note details of how to arrange access on the application form. Entrants do not need to be available when judging takes place.

### **Allotment Competition:**

Judging will take place **between Wednesday 26 July and Friday 4 August 2023**.

Access to the allotment site and plot will be required for judging, please include details to arrange access on the application form. Entrants do not need to be available when judging takes place.



***Please Note:***

Photographs will be taken during judging. These may be used for reference by the judge, and may also be used in other publicity relating to the Council's Take Pride in Your City campaign, including the Take Pride Community Awards. Photographs will not feature people or identifying features for residential properties such as location or house numbers.

*\*Judging dates are subject to change, we aim to notify you of these changes where possible. If we do not receive a sufficient number of entries the competition may be cancelled. Entrants will be notified if this is the case.*

## Judging Criteria

The competition judge will mark against a set of standards. Further details can be viewed on the Council website.

## Prizes

Entrants to all competitions will receive a certificate and category winners will be invited to the Take Pride Community Awards.

We will contact you to let you know whether you have won one of the prizes.

### **Allotment Section Winners**

Winners in each category will receive a Garden Voucher (or similar) as follows:  
1st - £20, 2nd - £15, 3rd - £10.

### **Garden Section Winners**

Winners in each category will receive a £20 Garden Voucher (or similar).

*All entries to the Garden and Allotment Competitions will receive either a Gold, Silver Gilt, Silver or Bronze Certificate depending on the judges scoring.*



# ENTRY FORM *(please print in block capitals)*

Name .....

Address .....

Postcode .....

Email .....

Telephone .....

Access Information (e.g. Allotment & Plot No. or restricted access to garden) .....

SIGNATURE .....

Would you like to receive future information about this Competition? Yes ☐ No ☐

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ALLOTMENT

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GARDEN

## COMPETITION CATEGORIES

*(Please tick to indicate which competition(s) you are entering. Entrants may only enter one category in each Competition, with the exception of the Allotment Competition).*

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|----|--|--------------------------|-----|--|--------------------------|
| 1. | Corporation Trophy for Allotments over 7 poles   | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6.  | Community Living Spaces (including council tenants, housing associations, care homes or sheltered housing) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. | Phin Cup for Allotments 7 poles and under  | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7.  | Display of Window Boxes and/or Patio Planters (For applicants who do not have a garden)                    | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. | W. Robertson Trophy for Senior Citizen Allotment Holders only                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | 8.  | Business or Retail Premises (including Public House, Hotel, or Guest House)                                | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. | Residential Front Garden or Entrance   | <input type="checkbox"/> | 9.  | Place of Worship   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. | Residential Garden for Council House Tenants (including housing associations and Scottish Homes) | <input type="checkbox"/> | 10. | Community Garden   | <input type="checkbox"/> |

*By submitting this form you are opting in to the terms of this Competition, you may opt out at any time. The information you submit on this form will be processed by Dundee City Council. We will use your details to provide the service this form relates to, namely to judge your entry, contact you regarding your results and invite successful entrants to our Take Pride Community Awards. Your details will be accessed by Council staff who need to do so in order to provide this service. The Council will not share your data for other purposes and will not name you/your entry in any publicity without your consent.*

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