

Village Community Garden Will Hold Spring Planting Day April 14

The Village Community Garden will hold its second annual Spring Planting Day Saturday April 14th at 11AM. Individual garden plots will be available for adoption, and volunteers are needed to help plant the community garden bed, where Villagers grow food to feed Oklahoma's hungry.

“A vibrant community garden can be a focal point in the community,” said Andria Hedrick, a member of the Village Community Garden Planning Committee. She added, “And it’s such a great way to get involved at the local level. We see younger kids who want to learn about growing food, older kids who want to earn community service credits by volunteering their time, and adults who want to get some exercise, get more control over where their food comes from, and give back to the community. There is something for everyone in the garden.”

“Due to a federal holiday in Washington DC, taxes this year are not due until Tuesday April 17 – which leaves plenty of time this weekend to take a break and come check out the garden!,” joked Denise Brien, a garden volunteer.



Andria harvests spinach and broccoli from the garden.

More information about the Spring Planting Day and community gardening is available by emailing us at villagecommunitygarden@yahoo.com or by calling 205-6048. Or check us out on the web at <http://www.geocities.com/villagecommunitygarden>.

The Village Garden is located on the south side of the Village Library at 10307 N. Penn Ave.

In the Village Garden – March 2007



At left: Dave and Chelsea dig in to plant late winter veggies including broccoli, radishes, kale, and lettuce. Cold frames (mini greenhouses) constructed by garden volunteers last November protect the early spring garden from cold nighttime temperatures.



At right: Dave and Patrick prepare a new bed for planting.

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