

Lee Green Community Garden News

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A site that has been derelict for some years has recently been offered to the community of Lee Green by Lewisham Council to be used as a community garden.

The proposed garden site is currently managed by Lewisham Homes for the Council and they have undertaken to repair the fence and clear the garden of rubbish. The Lee Green community is being offered a 3 year lease of the site for use as a community garden.

In May the first meeting of a community garden group took place followed later in the month by a site visit. The proposed garden plot is approximately 25m x 6m (74' x 18' 6"). Due to the fact that there used to be garages on the site, the base of the garden is concrete. If it is decided to leave the concrete base in place then this points to building raised beds for the garden. Grants seem to be available for this type of work.

The general feeling is that the site will make a great community garden.!

See below some photos of the community garden site
(a little imagination is needed to see the beautiful Lee Green community garden!).



Would you like to be a Community Gardener?

We'd like help—now with planning the project and garden design and later with planting / watering—and always having fun!

If you or a local group is interested in being involved in the Lee Green Community Garden Project to please leave your name and contact details on the stall's contact sheet.

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