

Reservation # \_\_\_\_\_

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**TUDEK PARK COMMUNITY  
GARDEN PLOT APPLICATION**  
Gardens will open Saturday, April 16, 2005

Please Print Clearly:

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Would you like an organic plot?** \_\_\_\_\_  
(A plot where no chemical fertilizers or pesticides have been or can be used. Please understand that since the gardens are new, they are not truly organic for a few years.)

**Special Requests (sharing / next to someone)** \_\_\_\_\_  
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In order that we may verify that only those who have received garden plots are in the garden area, please provide the following information about any cars that will be parked near the garden area. **Make / model of the car \* color \* license#:**

Car 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Car 2: \_\_\_\_\_

**I agree to abide by the garden rules and am aware that the \$25/\$15 rental fee is non-refundable. I will do my best to maintain my plot and am aware that I will forfeit my plot if I do not maintain it within the garden guidelines.**

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**Gardener's Signature**

**Make checks payable to : Tom Tudek Memorial Park Trust**

**Send completed application to: Joe Banks  
P.O. Box 544  
State College, PA 16804**

**For more information, call Joe Banks at 234-4266 (Mon-Fri mornings only)**

Office Use only: Paid by: Cash _____ Check _____
Signature of Recipient _____

**Location:** 1 block west of Giant market off North Atherton Street, State College. Enter gardens from Parkcrest Lane off Martin Street. Plots are adjacent to unpainted wooden barn. Watch for directional signs on Martin Street and Parkcrest Lane.

## Garden Rules and Regulations

1. The rental fee for the garden plots (20 feet by 30 feet) is \$25.00. This amount is non-refundable. Half plots (20 feet by 15 feet) are \$15.00.
2. You are responsible for the maintenance of your plot / plots and will forfeit your plot if you do not meet the following requirements:
  - Weeds within the plot must be kept under control and must not exceed 6 inches in height.
  - There is to be no trash or debris in your plot (plastic bags, empty planters, plastic jugs, etc.).
  - There is to be no illegal plants grown in your plot.
3. There will be garden maintenance checks every three weeks or “weed checks.” Gardeners will be notified via email (or phone) if there plot is in need of maintenance.
4. No pets allowed in gardens. Pets outside gardens MUST be on a leash.
5. Please be courteous to your fellow gardeners:
  - Park so that you do not block other cars. Avoid wet areas.
  - Do not let your weeds spread into your neighbors garden.
  - Do not pick food from any garden but your own.
  - Do not play loud music that may disrupt the peace of those gardening near you.
6. Raised beds: This method is fine, but please do not dig deep trenches and large mounds in your garden (for plowing purposes).
7. Rocks and large stones: Do NOT bring these into your plot. Do not use rocks to define the border of your plot.
8. Please drive slowly and carefully as there are many small children near the plots.
9. **DO NOT LEAVE YOUR TOOLS AT THE GARDEN.** We have experienced tool theft in the past and have no way of protecting your tools. Getting to know the gardeners near your plot and being aware of strangers and suspicious activities will help reduce garden pilferage. Please report any suspicious people and activities to Ferguson Township Police and any instance of theft.
10. Water and compost will be provided. Some stakes will be available. Some garden tools will also be available for those choosing to walk or bike to garden.
11. We are planning a picnic area in the shade of a 170 year old beautiful oak tree, next to the gardens!
12. Tudek Park Community Gardens is not liable for injuries that may occur at garden sites.
13. Have fun and enjoy the beauty of nature around you!