2012 TERMS AND CONDITIONS

This is to be an <u>organic</u> garden; please refrain from the use of inorganic pesticides or fertilizer (this includes Miracle Grow or seeds coated in fertilizer, among others). Try to purchase seeds and fertilizers labeled "organic" and experiment with alternative means of pest control. If you are unsure about something, please ask Jenn Bell, the garden manager (bellj@lafayette.edu).



- Garden plots are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. You will be notified via email when your plot is available and are responsible for cleaning it up in the winter when you are through. The registration fee provides you with a plot for one growing season (Spring to Fall).
 Please only submit a form if you are serious about obtaining a plot: they are in high demand. If you decide you no longer want your plot during the season, please contact Jenn the Garden Manager as soon as possible.
- The garden is intended to be self-sufficient, meaning you are fully responsible for maintaining your plot and the walkways directly adjacent to it. This includes all aspects of tending the garden, such as weeding, watering, and harvesting. As common courtesy to others, please weed often! Keep in mind that allowing weeds to go to seed on your plot will cause problems on everyone else's plots too. If your plot is not maintained adequately, you will be notified by the Garden Manager and asked to improve your maintenance practices.
- A shared water system is located at the site: a rainwater collection and gravity-fed distribution system designed by students in Professor Brandes' CE 351 class. The use of this water is a privilege, so please CONSERVE it! Use water sparingly and only during early morning or evening, especially during dry periods. Be sure that the taps are tightly closed when you are finished. There are **no hoses or any hook-ups to the taps allowed**. If you notice a leak, contact Prof Brandes (<u>brandesd@lafayette.edu</u>) as soon as possible.
- The College has graciously provided the land for the garden, as well as access to the garden from the maintenance entrance at Metzgar Fields. Please act responsibly when you are at the site. Close and latch the garden gate and the tool shed when you leave. Be sure to lock the parking area gate if you are leaving the site after normal working hours or on weekends.
- □ You are encouraged to bring your children, but they must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Pets are not permitted.
- Please notify the Garden Manager, Jenn Bell, ASAP if a problem arises such as a furry critter issue, broken community equipment, holes in gate, etc.

Violation of agreement terms may result in garden privileges being revoked. While not anticipated, the Garden Board and the College reserve the right to revoke privileges for unforeseen reasons.

LAFAYETTE COMMUNITY GARDEN

Campus Department:

Sign-Up Sheet & 2012 Contract

Mail Form to: Jenn Bell 4 South College Dr Van Wickle Hall 101-C, Easton, PA 18042

Primary Email:	Address:
Phone:	
Email(s) of other participants:	
Name on Garden Marker:	
• Yes, I want to be included in the Garden Roster: a list of participants that will include name, emails, phone, and plot number that will be sent out to all participants	
What size garden plot?	
• 10 x 40 ft plot- \$20	
• 20 x 40 ft plot- \$40	
• Multiple 20 x 40 ft plots #	
I would like the same space I had in 2011.	

I have included my \$20 or \$40 annual fee. Cash or check accepted. Make checks payable to Lafayette College with "Metzgar Garden" in the memo.

By signing here, I agree to the rules on the previous page:

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Name:

Additional questions, notes, or comments?