

# Channels Community Wildlife Garden Newsletter June 2021

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Welcome all to our June newsletter.

The garden is looking amazing!



A big thank you to all of those that have sent in donations, keep them coming. The pots were used to start off the seedlings before planting in the garden. A bird table has been given a makeover and is ready to go in.

The water-butt helps with watering during dry spells and odd bits of wood have been used to make a sign, so everyone can now see that it is a community garden. The plywood that has been donated will be used in the making of bug hotels, details on this to come soon!

June is such a lovely time of year in the garden, poppies make a really good splash of colour and everything is green and fresh looking.



The seed bed is also looking good now, and has been flowering for a few weeks, so if you are walking that way, do take a look. It is nice to see people taking an interest. The flowers in both beds are attracting bees, butterflies, and dragonflies.



A couple of weeks ago we had a small group sow sunflower seeds, they have already started to grow, and when they are big enough, they can be planted into the community garden. We have one that was sown earlier in the year which is in and growing well.

The project has been such a success, that I am now looking for a location to put in another community garden. I have some ideas, so hopefully this can be progressed for the autumn.

We now have a small group of volunteers who will be looking after the garden so if you would like to help, please do get in contact. To get involved please email:

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