



## Community Greenhouse 2016 - Application Information

### We Want You to Grow with Us!

All Banff residents are welcome to apply for a Gardening Plot in the Rec Grounds or Cascade Plaza Community Greenhouse or the outdoor plots at the plaza. **Please complete the application form and drop it off at the Banff Public Library on or before Friday, March 11th, 2016 in order to be considered.**

The greenhouses are home to 54 plots with an extra five covered plots outside. Approximately **20 Gardening Plots** are available to *new* gardeners who apply for the 2016 growing season and they are allotted through the application and lottery process.

Gardening Plots are approximately 15-16sq ft with three hanging baskets and are intended for growing a variety of organic plants [ie. produce/flowers] only (*seeds are provided*).

Depending on the number of applications we receive, selection for plots may be made via a weighted lottery based on the scoring system below. All applicants have a chance to win a plot. Groups, long term residents, and volunteers have better chances.

For your application to be considered, please include payment of a \$5 Banff Greenhouse Gardening Society [BGGs] annual membership fee. The membership fee covers administrative costs as well as includes you on the BGGs mailing list so you can receive email updates on news and events related to the greenhouse and BGGs community.

If you are successful in your application, a Greenhouse Plot Fee of \$40 plus a refundable \$20 Cleanup Deposit is due to secure your Gardening Plot (*which you can use for 2 growing seasons*) and covers the costs of soil, seeds, water and some shared tools. Membership & Plot Fees are **payable by cash/cheque**.

*Please join us on this  
growing adventure!*

- Banff Greenhouse Gardening Society

P.S.

If you have any questions, or ideas  
please email us at:

**banffgreenhouse@gmail.com**

#### SCORING SYSTEM

All Applicants	= 1 lottery entry
Banff Residency	1 to 2 years: +1 entry 2+ years: +2 entries
Involvement in Greenhouse Project	+1 or +2 entries
Group Application	+1 entry

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, March 11th, 2016**  
**APPLICATION DROP OFF: Banff Public Library (during regular library hours)**

**Application Deadline: Mar 11, 2016****Drop Off: Drop box inside the Library**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
P.O. Box: \_\_\_\_\_ Town: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you resided in Banff? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been involved in the Community Greenhouse Project? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If YES, check all that apply:

- ☐ Assisted with construction ☐ Participated in greenhouse meetings  
☐ Other (please describe) \_\_\_\_\_

Which greenhouse(s) are you interested in applying for?

Put a 1 in your first choice, and a 2 or 3 in your second or third choice (if applicable):

- ☐ Rec Grounds ☐ Cascade Plaza ☐ Cascade Plaza Outdoor Beds

Are you applying to share a plot as part of a group/family (3+ people)? ☐ YES ☐ NO

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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Whether or not you are successful in getting a plot this year, would you like to be part of our email list for events and learning opportunities? ☐ YES ☐ NO

MEMBERSHIP FEE: \$5 ☐ Cash ☐ Cheque

Included: ☐ YES

Please make cheques payable to: **Banff Greenhouse Gardening Society or BGGS**

This fee is non-refundable and covers administrative costs as well as gives you a one year membership in the Banff Greenhouse Gardening Society. Members receive updates, news, and information throughout the year.

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Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Approved: ☐

Admin Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Not Approved: ☐

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