

# 2019 CHILDREN'S GARDEN AT FAIROAKS

**An Opportunity for Families to Learn Gardening Together**

The children's garden invites parents & their children to learn about gardening through planting, maintaining, & harvesting vegetables & herbs. Our children's garden is unique since we share the garden with Fair Oaks, a senior independent living community. We will be planting in the vegetable garden at the back of Fair Oaks with the residents--a wonderful opportunity for children and seniors to experience a growing garden together.

## WHERE

Fairoaks  
1950 Lattimore St., Denton

## WHEN

Thursday mornings from 10:00-11:00 starting March 21st until the Veggie Show on Saturday, June 15th

## WHO

Dana Bays  
Bill White

## DATE



## ACTIVITY

## DEMO/TOPIC

| DATE               | ACTIVITY  |
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| Thursday, March 21 | Planting  |
| Thursday, March 28 | Planting  |
| Thursday, April 4  | Planting  |
| Thursday, April 11 | Planting  |
| Thursday, April 18 | Planting with the Residents   |
| Thursday, April 25 | Planting  |
| Thursday, May 2    | Check on the Residents' Plants  |
| Thursday, May 9    | Planting  |
| Thursday, May 16   | Vermicomposting   |
| Thursday, May 23   | Trees   |
| Thursday, May 30   | Planting  |
| Thursday, June 6   | Field Trip to Shiloh Gardens (Weather Permitting)   |
| Thursday, June 13  | Harvesting  |
| Saturday, June 15  | Final harvest for Veggie, Flower, Herb, Fruit Show<br>9 am - 12 pm<br>Denton County Historical Park, West Mulberry Street, Denton.<br>See website for additional information:<br><a href="http://www.dcmga.com">www.dcmga.com</a> |

The weather determines what we are able to plant each week, but our planting includes radishes, carrots, potatoes, spinach, lettuce, chard, squash, peas, beans, tomatoes, peppers, cucumbers, onions, herbs, watermelon, and cantaloupe. We will also be harvesting throughout the season.



- How to Plant 
- Tops and Bottoms
- Lady Bug Life 
- How to Compost
- How to Grow Microgreens
- How to Grow in a Greenhouse

- Butterflies in the Garden
- How to Compost with Worms 
- How to Maintain Trees
- Suck-a-Bug 

**PLEASE PARK ON LATTIMORE STREET. IN THE EVENT OF RAIN, THE CHILDREN'S GARDEN WILL NOT MEET.**

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