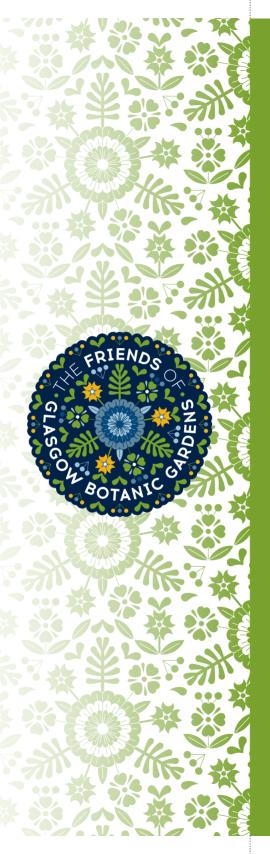
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If you wish to make payment by standing order, please complete the following and return with your application form to The Gardens Office address overleaf.

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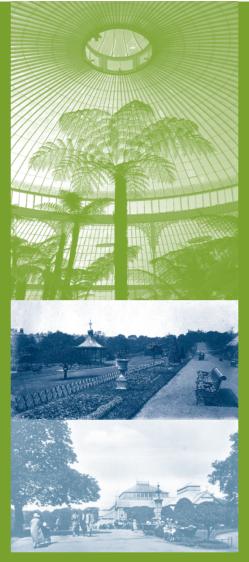


For 200 years, Glaswegians have enjoyed the displays, collections and open spaces that the Gardens offer throughout the year. Today we can enjoy and learn from, the Main Range glasshouses and the world famous Kibble Palace. The specialist gardens of roses, herbs, vegetables and the herbaceous borders give us inspiration for our own gardens. An extensive arboretum and a tree trail give us valuable information relating

But there is much more. Like all botanic gardens, Glasgow Botanic Gardens is firstly a documented collection of plants for the purposes of conservation, education and research and Glasgow is home to several national plant collections including Dendrobium orchids, tree ferns and Begonias.

This diversity makes the Gardens a major educational resource for Scotland, providing teaching materials and research opportunities for students at all levels from early years to university. Through collaboration with botanic gardens throughout the world, it contributes to recording and conserving the world's plant heritage.

The Friends of the Glasgow Botanic Gardens was established in 1990 and is a registered charity, providing independent support to develop and sustain the work of the Gardens.



THE GARDENS THROUGH THE AGES

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### ...AND SUPPORT THE **WORK OF GLASGOW BOTANIC GARDENS BY:**



- helping to **conserve** our national collections of tree ferns. Dendrobium orchids and Begonias.
- helping to **support** the international educational value of botanic gardens, world-wide
- helping to interpret the environmental and sustainable information on your doorstep, in the Gardens

You may not be able to join in all our activities but your membership will help to demonstrate the support the Gardens attracts both locally and internationally.

Friends groups play a vital role in safeguarding our greenspaces and particularly the Botanic Gardens, ensuring that they remain freely accessible to all by shaping the future management and funding of these valuable community assets.

**AS FRIENDS WE** SUPPORT THE **BOTANIC GARDENS** FOR MANY REASONS **BUT NONE ARE MORE** IMPORTANT THAN OUR **PERSONAL MEMORIES** 

JUST IMAGINE **GLASGOW WITHOUT** THE GARDENS

NO PLACE TO SIT AND **REST NO CHANGING SEASONS TO ENJOY** NO PLACE TO THINK AND DREAM NO JOYFUL CHILDREN'S **PLAY NO PLANTS TO LOVE NO BIRDS TO SING NO BEES TO BUZZ NO LOVERS** HAND IN HAND AND MANY OF YOUR OWN TO ADD

## WHY SHOULD I JOIN THE FRIENDS?

# **HOW HAVE THE** FRIENDS HELPED THE **GLASGOW BOTANIC GARDENS?**

By joining the Friends you will support this valuable work and enjou benefits of membership including:

- The Drumlin magazine three times a year which contains a wide range of articles on horticulture, gardens and conservation and links with other environmental initiatives
- Social events
- · Organised, guided visits to other gardens
- A series of winter talks about gardens, gardening and plants
- Walking tours of the Gardens
- Afternoon talks in the Gardens
- · And the chance to meet like-minded people with the same interests as yourself!

Glasgow City Council continues to fund the management and maintenance of the Botanic Gardens with the Friend's fundraising making the Gardens work just so much more valuable, including:

- The educational programme e.g. by the purchase of cameras, projectors and microscopes
- The development and provision of educational packs for learners
- · A new outdoor classroom
- Purchase of plants for special collections
- Software and equipment to produce state of the art plant labels
- Purchase of bulbs, herbaceous plants, seeds for the wildflower aarden
- Development of tree trail
- · Course for the Certificate of Practical Horticulture in collaboration with the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh
- · Finance to enable Gardens staff to attend international conservation congresses and join plant research expeditions
- · Upgrading of the glasshouses

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