

## PEACE GARDEN GUIDELINES ST. PETER'S SCHOOL

The PEACE GARDEN is a symbol of the school's commitment to peace. Follow these GUIDELINES to make the garden thrive.

MAY: Rake beds & pathways

Trim winterkill from trees, shrubs & cedar bushes

Whipper-snip around trees, shrubs & the edges of the beds

Secure funding (e.g. plant sale, CPTA or other donations, grants)

Plan projects for the current year

Remind students to be careful of new growth

JUNE: Fertilize & plant vegetable bed

Fertilize, divide, tidy up perennials

Plant new trees, shrubs or replace old ones

Plant flowers

Mulch trees & under stones around the big rock

Mulch & weed around gazebo Set up hoses (after school is out)

JULY & AUGUST: Keep garden well-watered & weeded

END OF AUGUST: Weed & tidy up beds & especially around gazebo

Whipper-snip pathways, around shrubs

Edge garden beds Paint black bench

Paint Peace Garden sign (every 3 or 4 years)

SEPTEMBER: Bring in hoses

Plant daffodils, mums Harvest vegetables

OCTOBER: Cut back perennials

Rake & tidy-up beds

NOVEMBER: Receipts & financial summary to Principal & CPTA

DONE!

NOTE: Average yearly expenses for the Peace Garden: \$200.00