

June 2026

Backyard Garden Newsletter



Welcome!

Welcome to the June 2026 issue of the City of Brampton's Backyard Garden Club e-newsletter!

Preparing for the Season

June has arrived and it's time to get your hands dirty with some warm-weather planting. Whether you're growing tasty vegetables or colourful blooms, there is plenty to do this month to keep your garden thriving.

This is the perfect time to direct sow warm season crops like beans, corn, cucumbers, sweet potatoes and tomatoes. You can also continue planting annuals, perennials and vegetable plants.

Key June Gardening Tasks

- **Planting:** Direct sow beans, corn, cucumbers, gourds, squash, pumpkins, southern peas and okra. Transplant sweet potatoes and finish planting tomatoes and peppers.
- **Transplanting:** Plant seedlings of warm-season vegetables and flowers.
- **Maintaining:** Weed regularly and apply mulch to new plantings to retain moisture and keep roots cool.
- **Watering:** Ensure newly planted seedlings and transplants receive ample water, especially during hot or dry spells.
- **Controlling Pests:** Monitor for pests and diseases, taking appropriate action if needed.

June is also a great time to feed your plants with compost or an all-purpose fertilizer. Give them the boost they need to grow strong and productive!

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Spring Garden Planning Guide



If you have any questions, email us
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If you're eager to escape the house, put on your gardening gloves and get out in the yard, there's no better moment than the sunny days of early spring. Start with this checklist as soon as weather permits in spring, and you'll have more time later on for tending to your garden.

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Support those in need in our community

If you are able, please consider donating a portion of your vegetable harvest to our local foodbanks. When dropping off your produce mention you are apart of the City of Brampton's Backyard Garden Program.

Regeneration Marketplace

253 Queen Street East

Hours of operation: Tuesday to Friday, 9 am to 3:30pm (Closed 11:30 am to 1pm)

Knights Table

287 Glidden Road, Unit 4 (use back door)

Hours of operation: Monday to Friday, 10 am to 6 pm

Lifting the Fallen Church/Iglesia Pentecostal Levantando Al Caído

171 Advance Boulevard, Unit 14-15

Hours of operation: Friday, 10 am to 4 pm | Saturday, 5 to 8 pm | Sunday, 3 to 7 pm | Monday to Thursday by appointment only, call 905-499-0777

Heart Lake United Church's Community Cupboard

85 Sandalwood Parkway East

Hours of operation: Wednesday, 6:30 to 7:30 pm by appointment only, call 905.846.4519

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