

BARAGA

Burnaby and Region Allotment Gardens



Why do we do what we do?

BARAGA's Mission is to:

- ❖ Provide opportunities for non-profit, recreational fruit and vegetable gardening for residents of Burnaby and region
- ❖ Provide horticultural advice and shared experience for members, including first-time gardeners
- ❖ Promote awareness of the natural processes of food growing

Where are we located?

South Bend area of southeast Burnaby



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Path		Path		Path		Path		Path	
372	287	Park	212	161	127	99	68	34	p d
371	288		211	160	126	98	67	33	a l
370	289		210A	159	125	97	66	32	t t
369	290	286	213	158	124	96	65	31	h c
368	291	285	214	157			64E/W	30	h
367	292	284	215	156		95	63	29	
366	293	283	216	155			62	28	
365	294	282	217	154	Park	94	61	27	
364	295	281	218	153			60	26	
363	296	280	219	152		93	59	25	
362	297	279	220	151	123	92	58	24	
361	298	278	221	150	122	91	57	23	
360	299	277	222	149N/S	121	90E/W	56	22	p
359	300	276	223N/S	148	120	89	55	21	a
358	301	275	224	147	119	88	54	20	t
357	302	274	225	146	118	87	53	19	h
356	303	273	226	145	117	86	52	18	
355	304	272	196	144	116	85	51	17	
354	305	271	195	143	115	84	50	16	
353	306	##	194	142	114	83	49	15	
352	307	Park	193	141	113	82	48	14	
351	308	##	192	140	112	81	47	13	
350	309	##	191	139	111	80	46	12	p
349	310		190	138	110	79	45	11	a
348	311	268	189	137	109	78	44N/S	10	t
347	312	267	188	136	108	77	43	9	h
346	313	266	187	135	107	76	42	8	
345	314	265	186	134N/S	106	75	41	7	
344	315	264	185	133	105	74	40	6	
343	316	263	184	132	104	73	39	5	
342	317	262	183	131	103	72	38	4E/W	p
341	318	261	182	130	102	71	37	3	a d
340	319	260	181	129	101	70	36	2E/W	t l
339	320	259	180N/S	128	100	69	35E/W	1N/S	h t
338	321	258	179	162					e
338A	322	257	178	163					h
337A	323	256	177	164	Shed				
337	324	255	176	165					
336	325	254	175	166					
335	326	253	174	167	Office				
334	327	252	173	168					
333	328	251	172	169					
332	329	250	171						
331	330	249	170		Park				

Education plot 256
1/2 plots

What do we do?

- ❖ We are Western Canada's largest allotment garden and North America's second largest allotment garden.
- ❖ There are 372 garden plots on 14 acres.
- ❖ There are 415 members (some are associate members).
- ❖ There are several parks with flower beds, trees for shade and picnic tables.
- ❖ We hire a summer student and some casual labour to help with maintenance and the rest is covered by volunteer hours (6/year) required by our members.
- ❖ We hold monthly work parties and plot inspections and an annual picnic gathering and AGM.

March Work Party



Who are We?



- ❖ A diverse group of nationalities: Italian, Portuguese, Chinese, Russian, Ukrainian, South African, Ethiopian, Serbian, South American and many more...
- ❖ A community that helps fellow garden neighbors and members share knowledge and experience with growing food and plants.
- ❖ A community that reaches out to the Burnaby community by providing valuable fresh produce for those in need.

Volunteers and Rewards



Our Community

- ❖ We have a weekly pick-up with Ryan's Rainbow Emergency Food Outreach Program (Burnaby) which helps provide food to over 150 families in north Burnaby. <https://ryansrainbowemergencyfoodoutreach.business.site>
- ❖ We grow food in our orchard area to donate to Ryan's Rainbow. Seeds are provided by 'Grow a Row' as well as West Coast Seeds.
- ❖ We have several plots rented to local community groups such as Burnaby Neighbourhood House and Fraserview Community Society supporting adults with developmental disabilities.
- ❖ We have been involved with the Burnaby Food Systems Strategy in developing a plan for food security in Burnaby. <https://burnaby.civilspace.io/en/projects/burnaby-food-systems-strategy>

This is our ~~little~~ BIG piece of Paradise!

