

Spring into Action

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Corporate Background, RHS Level 2

10 years + in community gardening

What is Let's Grow Preston



- Let's Grow Preston is a community based charity established with the aim of supporting and developing a network of community environmental groups, activities and projects in Preston.
- How we do this can range from providing training and workshops, to offering networking opportunities or direct support to community projects such as Park Friends Groups, Food Growing and Allotments sites, Community Gardens, wildflower projects and anything else you can think of connected to the environment and community work.
- Let's Grow Preston has a vision for a sustainable community which is vibrant, healthy and safe, which respects the local and global environment and where individuals and enterprises prosper.
- Set up in 2011 we recognised that we have a thriving community of supporters of open spaces, community gardeners and individuals who are all working to make the City of Preston look good and we recognised that together, we could support each other.
- We were granted NCLF funding in 2018 and were able to take on staff for the first time. We are currently seeking continuation funding.



Who is involved?

1. Friends of Avenham & Miller Park
2. Friends of Euston Street Park
3. Friends of Fishwick and St Matthews
4. Friends of Grimsargh Green
5. Friends of Haslam Park
6. Friends of Highgate Wood
7. Friends of Longsands Millennium Green
8. Friends of Mill Lane Park
9. Friends of Moor Park
10. Friends of Whittingham and Goosnargh Green
11. Friends of Winkley Square
12. Galloways Gardening club
13. Grow to Share, clayton brook
14. Intact
15. Moor Nook Community Allotment
16. Oaktree Court Garden
17. Andys bee meadow
18. Friends of Ribbleton Library
19. Sharoe Green Community Association
20. Sharoe Green Lane Allotment
21. Walton Parade Community Garden
22. Ashton Weed and Feed
23. Avenham Court Community Garden
24. Dig In North West
25. Friends of Ashton Park
26. Friends of Conway Park
27. Smiths Rec
28. Integrate on Haslam Park
29. Waverley Park community garden with Menheer
30. Penwortham in Bloom
31. Chorley in Bloom
32. South Ribble in Bloom
33. Charnley Fold Dementia Centre and NHS offices carers and staff community garden and the dementia community gardens
34. Britain in Bloom its your neighbourhood
35. Longridge Environmental Group

Princes Trust

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The Challenge Network

LUSH

Blog Preston

Peter H Smith Florists & Sundries

Newgate Nurseries

Holland House Nursery

Bannister Hall Nursery

Brighter Blooms

Link workers

GP referrals

Social workers and key workers

Self referrals

Preston City Council

Lancashire County Council –
including day centres and schools

Lancashire Wildlife Trust

United Utilities

Community Gateway Association

Preston Food Hubs

SRBC

Chorley Borough Council

Good to Grow, Sustain.

Climate Action Preston

Preston Citizens

Future Parks



- 35 Community Environmental Projects
- 200+ Local People
- Representatives from organisations/businesses









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