

New news for 2019

Every year BBC Gardeners' World Live develops new features and gardening content to ensure a great variety for visitors, magic moments, and inspiration in abundance.

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- The **NEW** designer for the Young Landscapers Award, **Professor David Stevens**, has designed two Show Gardens that are to be built by the teams at BBC Gardeners' World Live. The two duos tasked to build the front gardens are made up of the top four Young Landscapers from the 2018 **WorldSkills UK Final**.
- With a **NEW** theme for 2019, the **five APL Avenue Show Gardens** take inspiration from international globetrotting, illustrating how experience and memories of trips to foreign climes can be worked into a domestic garden design and build.
- **NEW**, the all new **Tree Surgery** features experts from the Woodland Trust with a schedule of regular talks and one-to-one advice. Plus, the **RSPB** return with an indoor garden and experts on hand to help visitors welcome nature into their gardens.
- 2019 sees great names in Garden Design including **Alexandra Froggatt, Catherine MacDonald, Martyn Wilson, Chris Myers, Lucy Bravington** and **Jane Scott Moncrieff** all displaying their impeccable talent in the Show Gardens and Beautiful Borders.
- The **Plant Pyramid** has grown in stature to now include a further four satellite pyramids each displaying 1000s of plants from a variety of different breeders. Breeders will present their plants along with top growing tips with regular talks on the **NEW Pyramid Stage** alongside experts from stage sponsors Westland.
- We invite you to travel the world courtesy of our **NEW School Wheelbarrows** competition theme. Pupils will plant up their barrows with plants and props to illustrate their country of choice in the **Travel Barrows**.
- Brand **NEW** faces join the **BBC Gardeners' World Live Theatre** line up courtesy of sponsors Inspired Villages, including **Gloria Hunniford**. Gloria will share her love of gardening in Inspired Living sessions on the theatre.
- The **NEW Teapot Plantpot competition** launched in January for Early Years settings to take part in a container plant challenge.
- At the weekend, family visitors can take part in the **NEW Kids Trail** including Lee Connelly's '100+ Garden Makes for the Family' and 'The Biggest Gardening Entertainment Show'.
- We welcome **NEW Floral Marquee** and **Plant Village** exhibitors – see enclosed Floral Marquee document.
- An unprecedented number of high-quality application sees more Beautiful Borders than ever before, with more than 25 designers bringing their ideas for 'Our Space' to life.

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