

Highlights of BBC Gardeners' World Autumn Fair 2023

Autumn garden and planting inspiration will be in abundance in the Beautiful Borders and Showcase Gardens at the BBC Gardeners' World Autumn Fair. Applications are still open but here's a taste of what's to come...

'An Edible Garden through time', by Lucy Chamberlain, Gemma Sturges & Kelly Fowler

See the transition of the grow your own movement from the Victorian era through to the present day. The garden showcases a 19th century kitchen garden, a family vegetable garden from 1968 (the year Gardeners' World was first broadcast on television) and a modern-day plot embracing organic and wildlife-friendly practices.



NEW! The Association of Professional Landscapers Skills – The Professionals

Three landscaping groups will be invited to compete in this year's Association of Professional Landscapers competition at the Fair. The landscapers will be provided with a 'kit list' and will be required to produce a design that they will build at the Fair. Their project will need to include elements complying to World Skills requirements. Designs and competitors to be announced!

More than **25 Floral Nurseries** will be present retailing seasonal flora and offering expert advice on what to do in your garden in the Autumn, including:

Bean Place Jurassic Plants Parigo Alstromeria Pheasant Acre **Daisy Roots K** Partington Hampshire Carnivorous Kitchen Garden Plant Centre **Potash Nursery Hedgehog Plants** LV Bespoke Redman Hardy Heucheraholics **Mandy Plants Tynings Climbers Hoyland Plant Centre** Middleton Nurseries **Woodland Nurseries HW Hyde & Sons** Netherfold Nurseries WS Warmenhoven

New Forest Hostas

Visitors will be able to explore English Heritage's Audley End House and Gardens, as part of their day out, including the chance to book onto Plant Expert Tours of the organic Kitchen Gardens. They'll also glean top 'what to do now' tips from the BBC Gardeners' World Magazine Stage, and much more. Tickets will go on sale in March.

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