### how you can



## get involved...

#### bag a growing space

Contact us if you would like one of our plots to grow your own vegetables and fruit. The SCGP is making available new growing spaces in the Shettleston/Tollcross area and you could soon be planting spuds or picking strawberries.

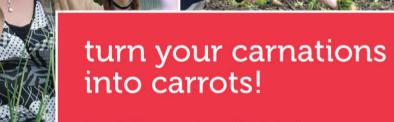




#### share your garden

If your garden is too big for you to handle, why not share it with someone else? The SCGP can match you up with an eager food grower and you should get to share the produce as well.





The SCGP can assist anybody in the Shettleston/Tollcross area who wishes to start growing food in their own garden - either their own private garden or a communal tenement garden. For small gardens, we can provide free "start-up packs" for growing vegetables in containers and, where space is not an issue, we can advise on how best to set up larger gardens for vegetable growing.





The project site at Eckford Street includes a large area that the group is turning into a community garden - the flowers and shrubs will attract pollinating insects, vital for the fruit and vegetables next door. Join our gardening club and help turn this disused ground into a blooming marvel. The club meets on Sunday afternoons from 2pm onwards. No experience is necessary and children are welcome as long as they are accompanied by an adult.



The Shettleston Community
Growing Project (SCGP) is a
community garden site at 60
Eckford Street, Shettleston,
established with funding
from the Scottish
Government's Climate
Challenge Fund and
Glasgow City Council, and
with assistance from
Shettleston Housing
Association.

The 2071 square metre site consists of over 50 raised beds for individual and group use. The beds are ideal for food growing in urban areas where ground contamination prevents direct digging into the soil and are perfect for people new to gardening. The project also has 'follow on' plots, outwith the main site, for gardeners who have gained sufficient experience and enthusiasm to tackle vegetable growing on a larger scale.





## donate redundant gardening tools

The SCGP runs a Tool Re-use Scheme that aims to find good homes for unwanted but usable gardening tools and materials. You can hand in unwanted tools at the Upkeep office at 24 Fenella Street during normal office hours.

# shettleston community growing project







For enquiries about any SCGP matter, contact the project co-ordinator, **Marion Bate**, at the Shettleston Housing Association office on **0141 763 0511** or **07530 985483**.









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