

Dallas Youth Garden News

May 2018

The season has started at the garden! We continue as a 4H Club providing summer internships to Dallas High School students. This summer our interns will each plan, develop and maintain their own 25'x50' market garden using sustainable gardening methods. All produce grown is donated to feed the hungry in our community.

The weather has been great for planting and plant starts provided by volunteers and the Master Gardeners are beautiful. Intern garden plans are done and interns are just finishing up planting each of their gardens. Some of our early spring activities included:

- Late March – Partners got plant starts going
- April 2 – Job announcements were posted at schools & 4H
- April 13 – Job applications were due
- April 17-19 – Potential interns interviewed for internships
- April 21-26 – Dean made job offers to interns
- May 3-10 – Lifted tarps, rototilled and staked out gardens
- May 12 – Interns helped clean up after the Master Gardeners plant sale
- May 15-31 – Interns did lots of planting!



First Day



Interns Ready To Plant



Helping with Plant Sale Cleanup

A special thanks to everyone who has helped make this season a success. Without your help the garden would not exist. As always, we appreciate any donations. If you are interested in supporting the garden please send donations to:

Dallas Youth Garden
PO Box 554
Dallas, OR 97338

The Dallas Youth Garden is now a 501(c)3 Nonprofit Corporation and your donations are tax deductible.

If you have any questions about the garden please e-mail anderson.dean@dallasyouthgarden.org or visit our web page at www.dallasyouthgarden.org.



Plant Starts