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About Community In Bloom Programme Community In Bloom (CIB) is a progl

launched 2005. It among Singaporeans by encouraging facilitating community gardening efforts. It is an opportunity to build community bonds strengthen social resilience. aims ty in Bioom (CIB) is a programme by National Parks Board (NParks) in to nurture a gardening culture also and



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Bukit Gombak-Hong Kah North Community Gardens

- community garden. Help keep the plants healthy for all to enjoy by not

- to grow the crops. Return their kindness by offering them seed packs or volunteering to help
- damaging them. Gardeners have put in







Best Visiting Time: Early morning (before 9 am) or evening (after 5 pm) when the community gardeners are usually present. Special arrangements for garden visits can be made with the respective Residents' Committee-in-charge.



- Ask the gardeners for assistance if you would like some plant cuttings such as Butterfly Pea and Roselle, which are grown on the perimeter of the













(Leea rubra) Red Leea

Passionfruit

(Syzygium zeylanicum)

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Tomato (Solanum

ergot

Singapore Rhododendron (Melastoma malabathricum)

Community gardeners in the Bukit Gombak Division and Hong Kah North SMC benefit

Development to over 250 community gardens located across housing estates, schools and organizations. The CDC supports community gardening through its 1,000,000 Native Plants @ South West seed funding programme that helps to set up new gardens in the district.



Bukit Gombak – Hong Kah North Community Garden Trail

A Between Bik 348 and 349 Bukit Batok Street 34 Hong Kah North Zone 5&6 RC

The garden is an interesting mix of vegetables and butterfly attracting flowering ornamentals. Its fruiting vegetables are especially productive, in no small part owed to the pollinators attracted. One can expect to healthy looking varieties of bitter gourds and legumes growing in the garden.



Gardeners of this large green space practice mixed planting with edibles and biodiversity-attracting plants such as passion fruits, tomatoes and different types of leafy greens. This results in a regular bountiful harvest that is shared among the community.



Teachers and students from St. Anthony's Primary School work with residents to cultivate the plots. They are often visited by native birds such as the Yellow-vented Bulbul and Olive-backed Sunbird while tending to their long beans and leafy greens.





Tucked away in a corner of the estate is this soothing patch of greenery next to the Bukit Batok Hillside Park. Gardeners often enjoy the songs of the native birds around as they harvest the bananas and jambu found in the garden.

Blk 310 Bukit Batok Street 31 Hong Kah North Zone 3 RC



This community garden welcomes its visitors with a tastefully planted front dominated by ornamentals such as Dwarf Mexican Petunia (*Ruellia simplex*). Upon entering it, one is surprised by the sight of an enclave filled with leafy and fruiting vegetables.



You will find both an allotment edible garden and a bonsai garden here. Passion fruit grows among green leafy vegetables while pots of colourful flowering plants play hosts to pollinators like Plain Tiger and Common Grass Yellow.



This is a peaceful garden set within a buzzing neighbourhood. Meet residents who enjoy gathering here to catch up on the latest news amidst the Yellow Cosmos (*Cosmos sulphureus*) and Red Button Ginger (*Costus woodsonii*).



Preschool students love visiting this garden to learn about our native flora and fauna. The garden attracts a variety of butterflies and birds thanks to its mix of well-selected nectar and host plants such as Ranong (*Asystasia nemorum*) and Giant Milkweed (*Calotropis gigantea*).

G Along Bukit Batok Street 52 Tengah Nature Way



Tengah Nature Way links Bukit Timah and Central Catchment Nature Reserves with the Western Catchment with more than 80 species of trees and shrubs. It is a nature trail, where hikers can learn more about our native flora and fauna, while enjoying the greenery and fresh air.