

# GreenThumb 40th Annual Harvest Fair

**Saturday, Sept. 21 / Noon – 4:00 p.m.**

Registration for Harvest Fair Contest is from 11:00 a.m. – noon

**Brooklyn Bears Pacific St. Garden**

590 Pacific St., between Flatbush Ave. and 4th Ave., Brooklyn

- Harvest Fair Contest
- Workshops
- Pumpkin Ring Toss
- Bike Smoothies
- Fresh Chef Contest
- Make a Scarecrow
- Exercise activities
- Live entertainment and much more!



## Do you think you've harvested an award winner?

Enter the Harvest Contest in any of the following categories: vegetables, flowers, art from nature, and culinary.

## Harvest Fair Competition Rules and Categories

- All entries must be from members of a registered GreenThumb community garden in New York City.
- All entries must be grown by the garden member entering the contest
- One entry per category per person. Entries should be clean and neatly trimmed for exhibition.
- All entries should be brought to the registration area between 11:00 a.m. and noon. No late entries will be accepted.

And, don't forget to bring your fruit and vegetable oddities for our exhibition table!

**I. Vegetables:** All entries must be free of soil, spots, cracks, splits, sores, insects, and disease. Entries should be fresh, firm, and mature or ripe. Extra credit will be given for entries specifying variety. Entries will be judged on condition and quality. All entries must be from your garden.

- A. Beans (bush or pole): 2 pods
- B. Bitter Melon: 1 fruit, 1" stem
- C. Cucumbers: 1 fruit, 6-8" long
- D. Eggplant: 1 fruit, 1" stems
- E. Greens (collards, kale, callaloo, chard, etc.): whole stalk or bunch
- F. Okra: 3 pods
- G. Garlic: 2 bulbs, 2" stems
- H. Peppers (sweet bell): 2 fruits, 1" stems
- I. Peppers (hot): 2 fruits, 1" stems
- J. Squash (summer): 1 fruit, 1" stem

K. Squash (largest by weight): 1 fruit, 2" stem

L. Squash (largest by length): 1 fruit

M. Tomato (slicing): 2 fruits, no stems

N. Tomato (largest by weight): 1 fruit, no stem

O. Tomato (best tasting): 1 fruit, no stem

2. Flowers: All entries must be free of soil, insects, and disease damage. Foliage should be left on display table and will be considered by judges. Containers will not be judged. All entries must be from your garden.

P. Dahlia: single bloom or cluster

Q. Marigold: Single bloom or cluster

R. Zinnia: Single bloom or cluster

S. Sunflower: 1 flower

T. Poppy: Single bloom or cluster

3. Art from Nature: All entries must be free of soil and disease damage. Entries will be judged on creativity and imaginative use of vegetables, herbs, or flowers to achieve overall artistic effect.

T. Bountiful basket: At least 5 varieties of garden-grown veggies

U. Garden bouquet: At least 5 varieties of garden-grown flowers

V. Herb bouquet: At least 5 varieties of garden-grown herbs

4. Culinary: All entries must be made with ingredients from your garden.

AA. Pie: Any savory or sweet pie prepared with ingredients from your garden

BB. Pickles: Savory or sweet pickled fruit or vegetable

CC. Jam: Best sweet jam

DD. Honey: Honey from a hive in your garden