



Norfolk Federation of WIs  
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# Public Affairs Campaign Cup Competition

Supporting



**CORONATION  
GARDENS**  
For food & nature

The aim is to encourage you to **grow your own food**  
in **wildlife-friendly gardens**

**The competition is to produce an album that will record  
your gardening experiences over the first year**

Entry Fee £2.00

Closing date for entry forms 18<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Submit your album to Evelyn Suffield House  
by 18<sup>th</sup> February 2025  
for judging by the PA committee,  
supported by eminent botanist, Richard Hobbs

The new PA Campaign Cup will be awarded at FAM 2025

**Competition Terms and Entry Form overleaf**

“Coronation Gardens for food & nature” is organised by The Wildlife Trusts in partnership with the  
National Federation of WIs

The aim of the competition is to encourage you to grow your own food in wildlife-friendly gardens or other spaces and produce an A4 album that records your experiences over the first year in no more than 12 pages plus a cover.

In taking part in the competition your WI will aim to achieve at least 4 out of the 5 criteria listed below, in one or more gardens, local spaces either at home or in a community space. These should be new initiatives. A window box is not too small!

Any number of venues within your WI may be included and any number of your members may be involved.

The album will consist of:

- An introduction
  - Who is taking part and why you have decided to take part
- The beginning
  - At least one photograph with a brief description of what your garden(s)/spaces looked like at the start
- The middle
  - Halfway progress with photographs and a description to show progress.
- The end
  - Your final photographs and description to show what difference you have made to your space
- Conclusion
  - What worked, what didn't and what you feel you have achieved and the impact on wildlife

The five features of the national initiative to create a garden that is great for you and for wildlife are:

1. Grow healthy food to eat. This could range from herbs and salads, through to fruit and vegetables.
2. Plant pollinator-friendly blooms. Butterflies, moths, bees and hoverflies all need sources of pollen to thrive.
3. Create a water feature. It could be as simple as a submerged dish or as involved as digging a pond, lining it and oxygenating it with local plants such as hornwort.
4. Leave a patch of long grass or piles of logs. This is the perfect way to create shelter for wildlife such as hedgehogs, frogs and insects.
5. Go chemical and peat free. Avoid using pesticides, weedkillers and peat.

**There will be a Zoom meeting with Richard Hobbs on Tuesday, 9<sup>th</sup> April at 10.30am with ideas on what WIs can do**  
Contact Helen ([admin@norfolkwi.org.uk](mailto:admin@norfolkwi.org.uk)) to book a place

More information can be found at <https://mycoronationgarden.org>

Entry form

Allocation from 18<sup>th</sup> May 2024

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Tel No \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

E mail \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose £ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ places @ £2

By cheque payable to NFWI, on the reverse write "Campaign Cup" and the name of your WI

By BACS: To NFWI Sort Code 08-92-99 Account No. 65431449

Payments should be referenced with your Surname, WI and "Campaign Cup"

Please return to Evelyn Suffield House, 45 All Saints Green, Norwich NR1 3LY. Applicants will receive an email confirmation only **if you require a posted ticket please send application with a SAE.**

**Please bring ticket or email confirmation with you**

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY **Please do not staple cheques to this form**

Date received \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_ P  I  BACS  Cash

Date tickets sent \_\_\_\_\_ Post  Email  By Hand