

Mulberry Landscape & Horticulture Limited

Planting Plan

Edible forest

The edible forest garden is still under development. Edible forests are designed to mimic the structure of a natural forest to grow food very efficiently. That structure is composed of a set of layers, each with its own unique role in the forest system. Food forest layers allow you to fully utilize all potential growing space in a similar way that a natural forest does.

Edible forests are composed of up to nine layers:

- Canopy layer (Large trees such as Walnut, Sweet Chestnut)
- Sub canopy layer (Smaller trees, fruit trees on dwarfing rootstock)
- Shrub layer (Chinese pepper, blackberry, gooseberry)
- Herbaceous layer
- Groundcover layer
- Root crops
- Climbers
- Mycorrhizal layer
- Aquatic layer

The edible forest section of the garden is very important with regards to it being a peaceful area where staff can sit or walk, away from the stresses of their jobs.

The planting for the Oasis edible forest will also include some herbaceous plants that are not necessarily edible but allow us to develop the health and well being aspects of the garden.

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Each bed has been numbered to show position within the forest garden with the plants in each bed listed below. Trees are shown on a separate plan.

Ornamental borders lawn area	
Both borders are planted with a mixture of perennial plants, shrubs and bulbs.	
Bulbs	Crocus sativus Allium mixed species
Shrubs	Arbutus unedo Lavenda various species Helichrysum italicum Perovskia atriplicifolia (sub shrub) Cytisus scoparius

	Santolina chamaecyparissus
Perrenial	Rudbekia Goldsturm Echinacia purpurea Miscanthus sinensis Coreopsis "Moonlight" Tulbaghia violacea Kniphofia spp. Napita Euphorbia characias
Annual	Valerian officinalis Papaver

Bed 1	
Bulbs	Allium ursinum Allium mixed species
Shrubs	Arbutus unedo Lavenda various species Helichrysum italicum Salvia rosemarinus spp. Thymus spp. Sambucus nigrens Acca sellowiana Myrtus communis Artemisia arborescens "Powis Castle" Phlomis spp. Gaura Cistus Teucrium fruiticans Buddlia globosa Hippophae rhamnoides Eleagnus multiflora
Perennial	Achillia spp. Salvia officinalis Napita Geranium spp. Rhubarb Miscanthus sinensis Fragaria spp. Mentha spp. Allium schoenoprasum Cynara scolymus
Biennial	
Annual	Valerian officinalis Silybum marianum

Bed2	
Shrubs	Sambucus nigra Cornus kousa chinensis Amalanchier Zanthoxylum simulans Helichrysum italicum Lavenda various species Salvia rosemarinus spp. Ribes nigrum Ribes spp.
Perennial	Mentha spp. Fragaria spp. Hemerocallis spp. Miscanthus sinensis Althaea officinalis Sedum spp. Echinacea purpurea Rhubarb

Bed 3 Under development	
Shrubs	Zanthoxylum piperitum Ribes spp.
Perennial	Symphytum officinale Athyrium filix-femina
Annual	Valerian officinalis

Bed 4	
	Sambucus nigra Myrtus communis Acca sellowiana Hydrangia pan. "Silver Dollar"
Perennial	Crocasmia Dryopteris affinis Dryopteris affinis "Pinderi" Dryopteris erythrosora Epimedium warleyense Eupatorium rugosum "Chocolate" Gunnera manicata Houttuynia cordata "Chameleon" Leycesteria "Golden Lanterns" Lysimachia ephemerum Lysimachia punctata Lythrum "Dropmore Purple" Lythrum "Robin" Matteuccia struthiopteris Monarda melua

	Osmunda regalis Persicaria "Darjeeling Red" Polystichum spp. Rogersia pinnata Rogersia tabularis Salvia uglinosa Monarda "Scarlet" Phlox pan. "Bright Eyes"
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