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| BUSHES AND BEANS  Garden of the Year | JUDGING CRITERIA |

**VEGETABLE, HERB OR FOOD FOREST GARDEN**

Competitors name(s): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Garden: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**JUDGING CRITERIA**

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| **CRITERIA**  Does the garden demonstrate… | **POINTS** | **COMMENTS** |
| A tidy lay out? | /10 |  |
| A variety and range of crops? | /15 |  |
| A weed free space? | /10 |  |
| Crops in their prime (unless it is made clear the crop is being left for seed production)? | /10 |  |
| Crops in good health? | /15 |  |
| Plant maintenance (and appropriate to their type)? | /10 |  |
| Sustainability through composting and/or recycling green waste from the garden? | /10 |  |
| Water conservation through the use of mulch? | /10 |  |
| Pest control through the use of organic mediums? | /10 |  |
| **TOTAL POINTS AWARDED** | **/100** |  |

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| **MOST IMPRESSED WITH** | **AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT** |
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