

Broomhill, Glasgow an Urban Farm Idea

**This is a survey to gather community views about having a small urban farm in Broomhill, which will grow vegetables and fruit organically, rear small farm animals such as chickens and rabbits, and provide community education on cooking, nutrition, and preservation of food products.**

**The exact location has yet to be determined, but will be in the Broomhill area of Glasgow and will enhance the area for all who use it. The farm will utilize small-scale, organic methods, minimizing environmental impact and avoiding nuisances such as noise and odour. The farm will be an aesthetically pleasing addition to the area and a fun and educational place for all ages to visit.**

**We would really appreciate 5 minutes of your time to hear your views about having an urban farm or community garden project, and to know if you and people you know might be interested in using the farm.**

**Broomhill Community Church of Nazarene are grateful for your views. We will not share any identifying information about you or people you may describe. We will only keep any information you provide until 6 months after our application for land is completed with Glasgow City Council. You would be welcome to a copy of the survey report which will be available from our website later this year on [www.broomhillchurch.org](http://www.broomhillchurch.org)**

1. Please tell us if you think there needs to be support and opportunities to assist the following groups. Please select as many as you agree with)

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| <input type="radio"/> Older people who are socially isolated            | <input type="radio"/> People needing therapeutic time in green spaces, like a farm or garden                               |
| <input type="radio"/> People and families who are in financial hardship | <input type="radio"/> Young people needing educational activities such as gardening, animal husbandry, and cooking classes |
| <input type="radio"/> People needing a sense of community               |  |

Other (please specify)

2. Which of the following opportunities might be helpful to the above groups and to people generally in Broomhill?

- A space to grow fruit and vegetables
- A space for small farm animals such as chickens, rabbits, and ducks
- A space for classes in healthy cooking, and cooking on a budget
- Exploring traditional cooking and farming methods which avoid unnecessary chemicals and artificial preservatives to tackle obesity and diet-related illnesses
- A space for classes on preserving food, such as canning, dehydration, freezing, freeze-drying, and the benefits of fermentation
- Training and access to the equipment needed for dehydrating, canning, and freeze-drying foods
- School visits to spend time with farm animals, gardening activities and cooking classes
- Visits to the urban farm to support children, young people and adults going through emotional challenges for the therapeutic benefits of green space.
- A space to learn about the importance of biodiversity and environmental conservation
- Classes for expectant and new parents on making healthy homemade baby foods

Other (please specify)

3. Please tell us if you or people you know would be interested in participating in any of the following activities.

	Taking part in creating the urban farm	Growing fruit and vegetables	Attending classes in healthy cooking on a budget	Attending classes on preserving produce and fermentation	Facilitating or teaching one or two cooking classes on e.g. making jam or other dishes traditionally	Offering DIY skills to build raised garden beds and/or to refurbish buildings	Caring for small farm animals
Strongly agree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Neither agree nor disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

4. In addition to an urban farm, how strongly do you feel the following services are needed in Broomhill. Please note we would not necessarily be offering these services but could make space available for these activities if there is a need.

	Nursery provision	After school care provision
Strongly agree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Agree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Neither agree nor disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

5. 1. How many meals per week do you prepare at home (even if you eat them somewhere else)?

- 0  6-9  
 1-2  10-15  
 3-5  16 or more

6. Of the meals that you prepare at home, how many contain at least one serving of fresh fruit & vegetables?

- 0  6-8  
 1-2  9-15  
 3-5  16 or more

7. 1. On average, how much do you spend on a homemade dinner (per person)?

- £0, don't do this  £5-£9  
 less than £1  £10 or more  
 £2-£4

8. 1. Please select the box that represents your agreement or disagreement with the following statement:  
*'I think eating fresh, local, organic produce is important to having a healthy family.'*

- Agree
- Disagree
- Neither agree nor disagree

Other (please specify)

9. During the past 7 days, on how many days did you eat food from a fast food restaurant or take-away, such as a chip shop, McDonalds, Greggs, Burger King, Pizza Hut, Kentucky Fried Chicken, or Subway?

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> 0 | <input type="radio"/> 4 |
| <input type="radio"/> 1 | <input type="radio"/> 5 |
| <input type="radio"/> 2 | <input type="radio"/> 6 |
| <input type="radio"/> 3 | <input type="radio"/> 7 |

10. What, if anything, makes it hard for you to eat fresh fruit and vegetables?

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="radio"/> Access to fresh fruit and vegetables                              | <input type="radio"/> My family does not like to eat fruit and vegetables |
| <input type="radio"/> The way I prepare my meals  | <input type="radio"/> I do not have enough time                           |
| <input type="radio"/> I have limited or no storage space for fresh fruit and vegetables | <input type="radio"/> Fruit and vegetables are expensive                  |
| <input type="radio"/> I do not like to eat fruit and vegetables                         |   |
| <input type="radio"/> Other (please specify)  |   |

11. How TRUE or FALSE are each of the following statements for you?

	Definitely True	Mostly True	Not sure	Mostly False	Definitely False
I seem to get ill more often than other people.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am as healthy as anybody else I know.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I expect my health to get worse.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My health is excellent.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

12. Are there any aspects of our plans for an urban farm which you think need to be adjusted or which could cause a problem for anyone? Please describe.

13. Are there any other areas of need or ideas which you think would be helpful in Broomhill related to our suggestion? Please describe.

14. Demographic Information– to ensure our survey is representative of the Broomhill community and those who use services and amenities in this area we would be grateful if you would answer the following personal questions. These questions can be answered privately (without support) if preferred.

Please provide the first 4 digits of your postcode:

15. Please select which groups you are part of, if any (you can select multiple groups if required):

- Broomhill Community Church
- Filipino Church
- Other group within Broomhill Community Centre/Church, e.g. Slimming World
- Another Church
- Other faith based group
- Other community group(s)

Other (please specify)

16. Please select which age range best describes you.

- Under 12
- 35-44
- 12-18
- 45-54
- 18-24
- 55-64
- 25-34
- 65+

17. Please select the group which best describes your ethnicity:

- White (e.g. Scottish, other British, Irish, Gypsy Travellers, Polish, European)
- African (e.g. African, African Scottish, African British)
- Asian (e.g. Asian, Asian Scottish, Asian British)
- Caribbean or Black (e.g. Caribbean, Caribbean Scottish, Caribbean British, Black Scottish, Black British)
- Mixed or Multiple Ethnic Groups
- Other Ethnic Groups (e.g. Arabian, Arab Scottish, Arab British)
- Prefer not to answer

18. Please describe your gender.

- Male
- Female
- Transgender
- Other
- Prefer not to answer

19. Please select which sexual orientation best describes you.

- Straight
- Bisexual
- Gay
- Lesbian
- Other
- Prefer not to answer

Other (please specify)

20. How many dependent children live in your home?

- 0
- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4 or more
- Prefer not to answer

21. If you or someone you know would be interested in becoming a volunteer or hearing our views please provide your contact details below:

<b>Name</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Address</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Address 2</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>City/Town</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Postal Code</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Country</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Email Address</b>	<input type="text"/>
<b>Phone Number</b>	<input type="text"/>

22. Please provide the type of engagement and information you would like

- Interest in hearing our news
- Interest in being a volunteer
- Interest in someone you know being a volunteer

23. Thank you for your time in completing this survey.

We hope you will be involved in our future work.

If you have any final comments we would be happy to hear these.