

Seedy Saturday

Saturday 1st February 2020
Lewes Town Hall
10am-3pm

Programme of Talks and Workshops

10.30am to 11.30am Make your Garden a Wildlife Haven

Kate Bradbury is an award-winning garden writer specialising in wildlife gardening. She will be sharing tips for successfully attracting wildlife to your garden, whatever the size. The transformation of her urban Portslade garden into a wildlife haven featured on BBC Springwatch and Autumnwatch. She makes guest appearances on BBC's Gardeners' World and her most recent book "The Wildlife Garden for everyone and everything" will be available for sale.

11.45am - 12.45pm No-dig Gardening and Hugelkultur

Local gardener **Sarah Nelson** will be talking about her 10 years experience of No-Dig gardening and **Penny Jones** of Foxwood Forestry will describe Hugel mounds built to grow vegetables and soft fruit using wood, branches and other organic matter. The benefits of both these techniques include holding moisture when it is dry and draining well after heavy rain, while retaining nutrients in the soil and reducing weed growth

1.30pm to 2.30pm Grow Trees from Seeds

Cherry Buckwell of SeedActs in Laughton will be bringing some of the many thousands of local acorns that they have collected and sprouted, ready for everyone to help plant up and distribute. **Stewart Boyle** of Vert Woods Community Woodland will join Cherry to share their top tips for growing trees from seeds and to talk about the 20 year old tree planting project Special Branch at Stanmer Park.

Also in the main hall

Bring your secateurs and learn how to sharpen them with **Peter May**
Make a plant support structure with willow (book in advance)
For more information visit www.commoncause.org.uk/seedysaturday

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Adults £1.00 Kids free

Seed swap Talks Children's activities
Community growing projects
Tool sharpening Café
Usual and unusual seeds and plants

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