

## Garden Report 27 March 2013

1. Funding – We need £38 Plus £5 delivery for grit bulk bag – maybe some potato seeds onion sets??  
Generator for £40 would allow us to chip bark / wood and more if someone could pick it up? £10 delivery account attached see LEGUP Elder Farm Account Oct 12 – Mar 13
2. David Rosa Danya & MB have planted 1st carrots onions potatoes - *see jimdo blog*
3. Tasks to do :
  - ② Finish strim front garden / orchard / scatter wild seed / sow some seed have asked LED for grit /chippings – smashed bricks??
  - ② Finish making pergola boxes and fill
  - ② Clear burnt polycarbonate from the top of the frame as best we can / else cut top off / replace with new beams – in spirit of recycling should try to see if the first is possible
4. Communications :
  - ② BAE Union – nak bar and general support
  - ② John Adams (regarding containers)
  - ② Salvation Army – interested in supporting community free food
  - ② FOEP
    - ② FOEP braved elements for Lady Elder Celebrations unfortunately I missed the part and did not meet some members – another time / meeting to be set up?
    - ② Planting in the park – excess flowering plants to park – need to negotiate areas free from weedkiller – wood chipped spaces ?
    - ② Lock Park Gate cut off – police incident – kids set a fire beside the container, we just caught it
    - ② Get Flood Light Elder Park lit
    - ② Waiting call back Ken Oowler City Properties and Raymond Sutton LES
5. Common Good advertising Ideas
  - ② Are YOU a Common Good Asset ? Badges, t shirts, iron on transfer?
  - ② Shortened COSLA version – print out example cases for flyers - different story different flyer – using pictures large print and clear wording – the shorter the more likely people with read it
6. Encouraging Community to Grow Their Own –
  - ② Getting more manure next week + some for Bee Garden end April beginning May – to be discussed with Shearers / schools / payback
  - ② School projects update
    - ② Govan Campus now have seed + instructions / photographs (see PDF) – they may return a design end of April – plant up garden May – parents may help or ask help payback team
    - ② Possible co-project with Galgael – Worm bin / Bee box workshops? Family Events
    - ② Considering a website to cover project – families could use password to access pupil gallery
    - ② Need clearer picture of cost to discuss with Shearer
    - ② St Constantine's are having problems with their bottle greenhouse, we have offered sheets of polycarbonate
7. Common Good Forum & Elder Farm Jimdo Website are being updated but could use some help
8. Dinner nights talk / film nights – urban roots have loads of DVD's to borrow

