

Hospice Open Gardens Trail 2017

*A wonderful way to spend
a summer's afternoon.*

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Treat yourself and a friend and visit some stunning gardens that very few people have seen.

Thanks to the wonderful generosity of our garden owners it's the perfect opportunity to explore some hidden garden gems. There's something for everyone to enjoy – breathtaking landscapes, secret pathways, a myriad of plants, shrubs and exotic trees – plus tips from the gardeners.

Thank you so much! Your visit will help us continue to provide specialist palliative care and reassurance to patients and families in their homes and in our Hospices.

Please note: Gardens that share a colour band are open on the same day!



Planning Your Trail

Please take note of the times, dates and parking before you visit. You can choose one garden or look out for gardens that share a colour band at the bottom of their image to see what other gardens you can visit on the same day. Some have an admission fee and others ask for a donation on the day. **All proceeds go to support our vital services. More information at: olh.ie/gardens**

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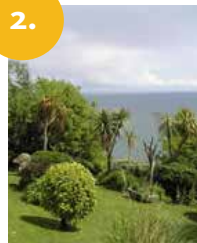


**Hospice Gardens
Harold's Cross, D6W
Open: Sat 13th & Sun 14th May 10.30am – 4pm
Gardener: Eileen Nolan**

Our timeless Rose Garden and Award Winning 'Bloom' Garden offer a variety of planting and sensory experiences. Come to smell the roses, but bring the children too. There will be plants for sale, tips from our gardeners, face painters and ice cream to keep the whole family happy!

Wheelchair accessible.

2.



**Gorse Hill
Cliff Road, Windgates, Bray, Co Wicklow
Open: Sun 11th June 11am – 5pm
Owner: Joan Davis (01 287 6986)**

Magnificent sea views and terraced gardens. Willow tunnel, garden tours, music, tea & coffee, bring a picnic.

Partially Wheelchair accessible – children accompanied by adults – Parking 1km from site.

3.



**Deepwell Garden
Rock Hill, Blackrock, Co Dublin
Open: Sat 17th June 12:00 – 4:00pm Adm €5.00
Contact: Claire Nicholl, Head Gardener (087 6125963)**

Overlooking Dublin Bay the Italianate gardens feature a formal parterre with a classical temple, cut flower garden, fruit trees, mature woodland planting and terrace herb garden. **Access (via back gate only) beside Blackrock Dart station.**

Partially Wheelchair accessible. No Dogs.

4.



**Peafield Cliff and Lios an Uisce
Peafield, 1 Rock Road Blackrock, Co Dublin
Open: Sat 17th June 12.00 – 4.00pm Adm €5.00
Owner: Niall and Amanda Higgins (amandahiggins29@eircom.net)**

A rare opportunity to visit these 2 garden gems. Stunning sea views, mature perennial planting, shrubs and trees with secluded patio areas.

Partially Wheelchair accessible. No Dogs.

5.



**Mornington Garden
Mornington, Saval Park Road,
Dalkey, Co Dublin
Open: Sat 17th June 2pm – 5pm
Owner: Annmarie Bowring (087 225 6365)**

Large family friendly garden with mature planting and a mix of flowers and vegetables. A garden for all seasons.

Partially Wheelchair accessible.

6.



**Orchardstown Park Garden
10 Orchardstown Park, Rathfarnham, Dublin 14
Open: Sat 17th June 2pm – 5pm
Owner: Mairead Harkin (087 204 4368)**

A delightful and inspirational small suburban garden with climbing roses and plenty of perennial flowers.

Not Wheelchair accessible.

No Dogs. Not Suitable for Children.

7.



**Glenfield, Thornhill Road,
Old Connaught, Bray, Co Wicklow
Open: Sat 24th June 11am – 5pm (Refreshments)
Owners: Frank & Noreen Keane (087 259 2766)**

An old-fashioned garden, just under 3 acres, in a semi-rural setting with wonderful views. Tucked away with areas to surprise, down winding paths or behind big hedges. Large herbaceous borders, lawns, roses, vegetables, fruit trees, a greenhouse and sunny potting shed.

Partially wheelchair accessible. No dogs. No toilets.

8.



**Barton Road West Garden
Address: 9 Barton Road West
(Off Grange Road, Rathfarnham, D16)
Open: Saturday 24th June 1pm to 4pm Adm €5.00
Owner: Alan Perry (alantperry@gmail.com)**

A great example of a medium sized garden, featuring Japanese maples, bamboos, herbaceous perennials, fish pond, water cascade, alpine rockery and container gardening.

Not Wheelchair accessible. No Dogs.

9.



Oakdown Garden
16A Oakdown Road, Churchtown, Dublin 14
Open: Saturday 24th June, 12 – 4pm
Owner: Jackie Horan (01 298 4537)

Informal wall to wall planting and meandering gravel paths that lead to mixed herbaceous borders, rockeries and scree beds.
Partially Wheelchair accessible.

11.



Springhill Garden
Springhill Park, Killiney, Co Dublin
Open: Sat 1st July 2pm – 5pm Adm €5.00
Owners: Brian & Patty Maher (01 2853184)
(President of Foxrock & District Garden Club)

A delightful suburban garden with a range of mixed borders front and back.
Not Wheelchair accessible.

10.



Carysfort Lodge
49 Carysfort Avenue, Blackrock, Co Dublin
Open: Sat 1st July 2pm – 5pm Adm €5.00
Owners: David & Siobhan Dillon (01 2889273)

Considered a gem of its kind, this small town garden, created over 50 years, is well-structured and surprisingly private. Rewarding and interesting for all who visit.
Not Wheelchair accessible. No Dogs.

12.



Birch Cottage
Birch Cottage, Kilgarron Hill, Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow. A98 NV00
Open: Sat 1st, July 2.00pm - 5.30pm Adm €5.00
Owners Clare & Gordon Gill (087-9520085)

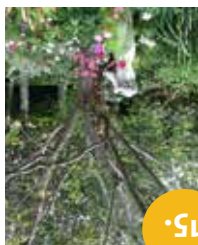
An informal, family friendly cottage style garden on 3/4acre, highly scented with herbs and roses, contains mixed shrubberies, colourful herbaceous borders, meandering paths and lawns.
Partially Wheelchair accessible. No Dogs.

Corke Lodge
Corke Lodge, Woodbrook, Bray, Co. Wicklow
Open Sat 29th July 12 – 5pm Adm €5.00
Owner: Alfred Cochrane (087 2447 006)
A secret garden in a woodland setting outside Shankill originally planted in the 1800s featuring specimen trees - extended in the 1980s with formal vistas through romantic gothic follies and tropical planting. Included in Jane Powers book 'The Irish Garden' **Partially Wheelchair accessible.**



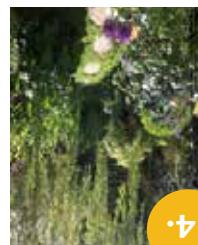
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Pynecot Garden
Pynecot, Taney Park, Dundrum, Dublin 14.
Open: Sun 16th July 2pm - 5pm Adm €5.00
Owner: Ann Brady (087 9219098)
A lovely example of a medium to large mature garden (20years) with areas remodelled - contains weaving borders, perennials, trees and shrubs. **Partially Wheelchair accessible. No dogs.**



15.

Weston Park Garden
22 Weston Park, Churchtown, Dublin 14
Open: July - Date TBC visit olh.ie for date info
Owner: Olive Fitzpatrick (087 285 3834)
Informal style, heavily planted with a mix of trees, shrubs, bamboo, tree ferns, herbaceous perennials and a greenhouse. **Not Wheelchair accessible.**



14.

Blackrock Hospice
Sweetman's Avenue, Blackrock, Co Dublin.
Open: Sun 2nd July 12noon – 4pm
Gardener: Eileen Nolan
Come and join us in our beautiful private garden for this special summer event. Chors, Ice cream, Face painters. Plants for Sale, Tips from our gardeners. Visitors can sponsor a flower for €5 in memory of a loved one or by calling 1850 66 06 06, online at olh.ie. **Wheelchair accessible.**



13.

Our Lady's Hospice & Care Services

Harold's Cross & Blackrock
Respite Rehabilitation Reassurance

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This summer visit some of Ireland's most beautiful private gardens. Discover unknown gems and help raise vital funds for a wonderful cause – the Hospice.

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