



NEWS RELEASE

30th March

GLOUCESTERSHIRE GARDENS

OPEN IN APRIL 2023

NUMBERS AGAINST GARDENS ARE THOSE IN THE 2022 COUNTY BOOKLET HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED

WHILE WE ANTICIPATE THAT THERE WILL BE FEWER CANCELLATIONS THIS YEAR, WE CONTINUE TO ADVISE ALL GARDEN VISITORS TO CHECK THE NATIONAL GARDEN SCHEME WEBSITE BEFORE SETTING OUT. <https://ngs.org.uk>

SATURDAY 1st

68: South Lodge: Church Road, Clearwell, Coleford, GL16 8LG
Andrew & Jane MacBean

SUNDAY 2nd

34: Highnam Court: Highnam, Gloucester, GL2 8DP
Mr R J Head, 01684 292875 (Mike Bennett)

36: Home Farm: Newent Lane, Huntley, GL19 3HQ
Mrs T Freeman

WEDNESDAY 5th

9: Brockworth Court: Court Road, Brockworth, GL3 4QU
Tim & Bridget Wiltshire

38: Kemble House: Kemble, Cirencester, GL7 6AD
Jill Kingston

SUNDAY 9th

72: Trench Hill: Sheepscombe, GL6 6TZ (1.5 miles east of Painswick)
Celia & Dave Hargrave

MONDAY 10th

39: Kiftstgate Court: Chipping Campden, GL55 6LN
Mr & Mrs J G Chambers

72: Trench Hill – as above

SUNDAY 16th

75: Upton Wold: Moreton-in-Marsh, GL56 9TR
Mr & Mrs I R S Bond

WEDNESDAY 19th

2: Barnsley House: Barnsley, Cirencester, GL7 5EE
Calcot Health & Leisure Ltd

22: Daylesford House: Daylesford, GL56 0YG
Lord & Lady Bamford – Note: no photography allowed

SATURDAY 22nd

29: The Gate: 80 North Street, Winchcombe, GL54 5PS
Vanessa Berridge & Chris Evans

SUNDAY 23rd

GROUP OPENING 6: Blockley Gardens, Blockley, Moreton in Marsh, GL56 9DB

Sunday 23 Apr, Sunday 11 June (2-6). Combined adm £8, chd free. Home-made teas at St George's Hall. **PLEASE NOTE NOT ALL GARDENS OPEN ON ALL DATES.**

This popular historic hillside village has a great variety of high quality, well-stocked gardens - large and small, old and new. Blockley Brook, an attractive stream which flows right through the village, graces some of the gardens; these inc gardens of former water mills, with millponds attached. From some gardens there are wonderful rural views. Children welcome but close supervision is essential. Regional finalist in The English Garden's The Nation's Favourite Gardens 2021.

BELL BANK: Mr & Mrs C D Walters. Open on Sun 11 June

BLOCKLEY ALLOTMENTS: Blockley and District Allotment Association, blockleyallotments.wixsite.com/blockleyallotments. Open on Sun 19 June

CHURCH GATES: Mrs Brenda Salmon. Open on all dates

COLEBROOK HOUSE: Mr & Mrs G Apsion, www.instagram.com/colebrook_house_gardens. Open on all dates.

ELM HOUSE: Chris & Val Scragg. Open on Sun 23 April

NEW GARDEN: GARDEN HOUSE: Mr Nick & Mrs Ginny Williams-Ellis. Open on Sun 11 June

THE MANOR HOUSE: Zoe Thompson. Open on Sun 11 June

PORCH HOUSE: Mr & Mrs Johnson. Open on Sun 23 Apr

SNUGBOROUGH MILL: Rupert & Mandy Williams-Ellis. Open on Sun 11 June

WOODRUFF: Paul & Maggie Adams. Open on all dates

End of group opening

13: Charlton Down House: Charlton Down, Tetbury, GL8 8TZ
Neil & Julie Record

18: The Coach House: Church Lane, Ampney Crucis, Cirencester, GL7 5RY. Mr & Mrs Nicholas Tanner

TUESDAY 25th

81: Wortley House: Wortley, Wotton-Under-Edge, GL12 7QP
Simon & Jessica Dickinson

WEDNESDAY 26th

44: Lords of the Manor Hotel: Upper Slaughter, Cheltenham, GL54 2JD
Mike Dron (Head Gardener)

77: Westaway: Stockwell Lane, Cleeve Hill, Cheltenham, GL52 3PU
Liz & Ian Ramsay

SUNDAY 30th

GROUP OPENING 25: Eastcombe and Bussage Gardens: Eastcombe, Stroud, GL6 7EB. 3m E of Stroud. Maps available on the day from Eastcombe Village Hall GL6 7EB & Redwood GL6 8AZ. On street parking only. Tickets valid Sunday & Monday due to length of trail (2 miles). Sunday 30 Apr, Monday 1 May (1.30-5.30). Combined adm £8, chd free. Light refreshments at Eastcombe Village Hall. Ice creams at Hawkley Cottage. Refreshments in aid of The Long Table CIC Brimscombe, Stroud.

Medium and small gardens in a variety of styles and settings within this picturesque hilltop village location, with its spectacular views of the Toadsmoor Valley. In addition, one large garden is located in the bottom of the valley, approachable only on foot as are some of the other gardens. Full descriptions of each garden and those with wheelchair access can be found on the National Garden Scheme website. Please show any pre-booked tickets at village hall or Redwood. WC at village hall and Hawkley Cottage. Plants for sale at village hall and some gardens.

CADSONBURY: Natalie & Glen Beswetherick

17 FARMCOTE CLOSE: John & Sheila Coyle

20 FARMCOTE CLOSE: Ian & Dawn Sim

21 FARMCOTE CLOSE: Mr & Mrs Robert Bryant

HAWKLEY COTTAGE: Helen & Gerwin Westendorp.

12 HIDCOTE CLOSE: Mr K Walker

HIGHLANDS: Helen & Bob Watkinson

1 JASMINE COTTAGE: Mrs June Gardiner

1 THE LAURELS: Andrew & Ruth Fraser

REDWOOD: Heather Collins

NEW GARDEN: WHITE HOUSE: Jane Gandy.

WOODVIEW COTTAGE: Julian & Eileen Horn-Smith.

YEW TREE COTTAGE: Andy & Sue Green.

End of group opening

36: Home Farm: as above

