



In support of the VISTA Gardens' community, below are the current committees with which to volunteer.

Name	Description	Chair/Co-Chairs
Compost	Work collaboratively with the Community Food Pantry to collect excess food for composting. Turn and sift to create composted soil amendment for the gardens.	Becca Petrilak Petrilakres05dgx@verizon.net 813.760.9666 Rolf E Evenson rolfe4108@yahoo.com 727.426.6032
Marketing/Community Relations	Promote the garden to the community and find fundraising opportunities.	OPEN
Education	Identify and organize opportunities to teach gardening techniques and nutrition, and work in collaboration with the Garden Committee to assist gardeners in growing vegetables, fruits, and flowers organically.	Nicole Jagusztyn nicolejag@yahoo.com 813.500.1810
Social	Create fun activities for the membership outside of gardening.	Laurie Kleiner lauriek123@gmail.com 813.758.9457
Membership	Maintain roster of members and garden map. Respond to prospective member contacts, greet and tour prospective members, enroll new members, and provide membership orientation.	Keshia Arlinghaus keshia.arlinghaus@gmail.com 813.416.6711 Rolf E Evenson rolfe4108@yahoo.com 727.426.6032
Volunteer	Recruit and manage recurring and special event volunteers.	OPEN
Communications	Produce VISTA Matters newsletter. Build and maintain content on the vistagardentampa.org web site. Curate and monitor social media presence.	Marc Perkins-Carrillo tampaliving13606@gmail.com 213.769.9127
Infrastructure	Perform maintenance of equipment, infrastructure and other assets. Provide landscape design and grounds maintenance.	Marty Kleiner martink4321@gmail.com 813.404.3140
Grant Writing	Seek funding sources and write grant proposals.	Mary Ellen Dallman drgrandma47@aol.com 813.573.5336

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Wildflower Garden	Develop and maintain landscape demonstration garden of Florida native plants and steward the Little Free Library.	Roberta Owens legacyofcaring.ro@gmail.com 813.573.5532
Children's Events	Plan and present activities for parents and children at the garden.	Ann Wallace erinfla@aol.com 813.340.9421
Woodland Committee	Restore VISTA's woodland areas, including removal of invasive species and planting of native species.	Elizabeth Warner vistawoodland@gmail.com 813.205.0701
Garden Committee	Plan and coordinate the tending of shared areas (garden pathways, green spaces, bird houses and feeders) and support subcommittees, including the House of the Rising Seeds (HRS), Herb and Flower Gardens, Native Plant Landscape, Monarch Waystation Garden, and the Pond.	Eric Christoffersen ericpools63@gmail.com 561.308.0772
House of the Rising Seeds (HRS)	Organize and maintain the HRS. Seed and raise plants for garden members.	OPEN
Herb Garden	Seed, transplant, and tend herbs. Develop plant information resources.	Rita Mouradian Rita.Mouradian@gmail.com 813.516.5723
Flower Garden	Plant and tend six raised garden beds, including wildflower, edible and cut flower sections.	Richard and Donna Birnholz rbirnholz@zedek.org 813.205.3184
Native Plant Landscape and Monarch Waystation Garden	Provide care for and development of native plant and pollinator gardens.	Vicki Kuse vickis414@aol.com 816.678.8425
Pond	Maintain the health and beauty of VISTA's Pond.	Janet Stanko janestan@bellsouth.net 904.208.1341