



Grange Lane Allotments: Application for Committee Membership

Please complete the sections in the box below and send it by email to: Secretary@GrangeLane.com by **Sunday 23rd January**. If you do not have email, your application can be posted in the letter box to the right of the top gate addressed to the Secretary. An email or letter from the person seconding your nomination must also be included.

Name and Plot Number	Sarah Thurman, 227
Committee Position Interested In	Co-Chair (together with Tyrrell Evans)
Why are you interested in this position? 150 words max	<p>The Grange Lane Allotments are an incredibly special place and I've been lucky enough to have had a plot for around 10 years. I want to help ensure that it is still a wonderful place in the long term.</p> <p>There are quite a few projects to manage in the months ahead - including negotiation of a new lease with Dulwich Estates (through CDAS), work on paths and drainage, taking forward the feedback and suggestions from the recent survey. I think I've got the energy and skills to help take many of these things forward. Tyrrell and I work really well together and I think we would do justice to the shared role.</p>
What are your relevant skills and experiences? 150 words max	<p>I've had a plot for 10 years and have been a member of the committee for 3. I've been interim Co-Chair since November. I now have a good understanding of how the committee/Dulwich Estates and CDAS work, and the (many!) challenges of managing the site.</p> <p>In my professional life I've held many senior positions in the social sector (in charities, housing associations and local government). I have experience in managing people, project planning, governance, fundraising, consultation, community development and financial management. I'll bring these experiences and skills to the role of chair.</p> <p>My vegetable-growing skills need more work!</p>
Who is seconding your nomination? (Include both their name and plot number)	Don Marshall, Plot 226