Membership Information

1. Membership is available to those aged 18 years and over.
2. The subscription year is from 1 January until 31 December with payment due on or before 2 January in each year.
3. The subscription paid by members joining for the first time at the annual Family and Plant Sale Day will cover the full period through until 31 December of the following year.
4. The subscription paid by members joining for the first time on or after 1 September will cover the full period through to 31 December of the following year.
5. There is a reduced subscription for Senior Citizens who have attained State Pension Age. This also applies to Family Membership when at least one member has attained State Pension Age. This concession must be claimed at the time of payment and is not retrospective.
6. Family membership covers two adults and any of their children (under 18 years of age) living at the same address. To take advantage of membership benefits such as attending lectures, the names of both Family Members and their children must be advised in advance to the Membership Secretary.
7. Adult members are normally permitted access to the Botanic Garden (and when coded entry facilities are available to the Arboretum) during daylight hours when closed to the general public and may be accompanied by up to four guests per membership. Note that this is not available on Plant Sale and Family Day and any other days of special events notified by the Director.
8. Any payment received which is less than the current subscription will be treated as a donation unless the balance is paid within the current year.

Payment of Subscription

Members are particularly requested to pay subscriptions by standing order to minimise administration. The Committee has resolved that for those paying by bank standing order the subscription will not be increased before 1 January 2020. Alternatively, cheques made out to Friends of the University of Leicester Botanic Garden will be accepted but subject to increase for 2018.

Life Membership

Those wishing to apply for Life Membership should enclose a cheque for £120 (single) or £170 (Family).

Visitor Information

Admission to the Botanic Garden and Attenborough Arboretum is free (except on special event days).

The Botanic Garden is open:
- 10am-5pm every day
- Closed: Christmas to New Year period
- Friends of the Garden have out-of-hours access via a keypad

Entrance and parking on Glebe Road (LE2 2LD)

The Attenborough Arboretum is open:
- 9.30am-3.30pm Monday to Thursday
- 9.30am-3pm Friday
- Except bank holidays and University closure days

Entrance via College Court or Knighton Road.

On-site parking available.

All the main paths are wheelchair accessible.

More information can be found on the Garden Website: www.le.ac.uk/botanicgarden

The Friends Honorary Membership Secretary may be contacted by e-mail at: FULBGmembership@gmail.com

How to find us

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The Friends
The Friends of the Botanic Garden was founded in 1980 to promote the development of the Garden's amenities and plant collections.

Privileges of Membership

Special Access to the Garden
Members may normally visit the Garden at times when it is closed to the public. Special guided tours are also organised on a seasonal basis.

Meetings
Evening and daytime meetings, lectures, and membership events are held throughout the year, as well as visits to other gardens and places of horticultural interest.

Newsletters
Members receive regular Newsletters, which contain notices of meetings, news items and articles on plants or features of current interest in the Garden.

Plant exchanges
The association provides a forum for the free exchange of plants among members.

Application Form
Please complete the form below, tick the relevant boxes, enter details of your bank account (see overleaf for other methods of payment), sign below, and post to Friends of the Botanic Garden, University of Leicester, University Road, Leicester LE1 7RH.

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How did you hear of the Friends? ...........................................
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Are you interested in volunteering in the Garden or for events?  

Standing Order form
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Please pay HSBC Bank plc, 2 Gallowtree, Leicester LE1 1DA (40-28-08) for the account of the Friends of the University of Leicester Botanic Garden, account number 21077260, the sum of £13 / £14 / £15 / £17 / £19 / £21 (thirteen / fourteen / fifteen / seventeen / nineteen / twenty-one pounds) and debit my account accordingly, now, and on 1 January 2018 and on 1 January in each subsequent year until cancelled by me in writing.

Please ensure you quote the reference

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*when making payment.

Signed ....................................................................................
Date .....................................................................................

*Leave reference blank

Please post this standing order and the application form to
Friends of the Botanic Garden
University of Leicester
University Road
Leicester LE1 7RH
(NOT direct to your bank)

With effect from 1 January 2018 the rates shown will be increased by £1 for single annual, £2 for Family annual, £10 for Single Life and £20 for Family Life.