

## **The Glen Resource Centre: Community Gardener (Part Time) - Food Production (<https://www.activelink.ie/node/115569>)**



### **Community Gardener - Food Production**

**We are seeking applications for the following part time post:**

**POST WILL INITIALLY BE FOR 12 MONTHS**

#### **Overview:**

Established in 2008 as part of the HSE Health Action Zone & Food Focus initiative, The Glen Community Garden, located within the grounds of The Glen Resource Centre, aims to help local people and communities gain access to quality, fresh fruit and vegetables. Using Community Development principles within the "Rapid" areas of Corks Northside, this role will guide and integrate urban sustainable food production in a community setting.

Over time, the garden's development has been overseen by volunteers, supported by a horticulturist advisor and community partners, ensuring its growth and commitment to sustainable development and health goals.

The Community Gardener will play a key role in sustaining and expanding the existing range of food-growing, biodiversity and sustainability projects at the Centre. This community setting encourages innovation and inclusion, enhancing local ecosystems through partnerships within the community garden network & Health Action Zones, Growing places for Wellbeing project.

The Community Gardener will bring extensive knowledge of organic food growing practices, distribution, and social innovation. They will be motivated to empower and activate community members, fostering connections with residents, volunteers, groups, local schools, and Centre staff.

**Please see Job Description and Application Form attached below.**

### **Application Process**

**Please complete attached application form and include a short cover letter detailing suitability for the post.**

**Return via email to [glenresourcecentre@gmail.com](mailto:glenresourcecentre@gmail.com) (<mailto:glenresourcecentre@gmail.com>)**

**Shortlisting process will apply**

**Postal Address:** Glen Resource and Sports Centre, Glen Avenue, The Glen, Cork T23 DH95

**Email Address:** [glenresourcecentre@gmail.com](mailto:glenresourcecentre@gmail.com) (<mailto:glenresourcecentre@gmail.com>)

**Closing Date:** Monday 2nd June

**Proposed Interview date(s):** Weeks of 16th – 27th June

**Taking up Appointment:** Post begins on 1st September 2025

**Location of Post:** The Glen Resource Centre and Ballyvolane area and surrounds

**Informal Enquiries:** Ailish McDonald [087 0979707](tel:0870979707) (<tel:0870979707>)

Garda Vetting Process will apply for successful candidate

Reference Checking for successful candidate will apply

**Region**

Cork

**Date Entered/Updated**

12th May, 2025

**Expiry Date**

2nd Jun, 2025

Attachment	Size
<a href="#"><u>Job description Glen Community Gardener 2025.pdf</u></a>	170.18 KB
<a href="#"><u>Application Form Community Gardener May 2025.pdf</u></a>	274.37 KB

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