



Climate Action Strathaven

CAS Allotments and Growers Survey

Results of Community Survey

- The survey was carried out online, using www.SurveyPlanet.com in the three weeks ended 8 September 2020.
- There were 41 respondents.
- For further information , e-mail info@CAStrathaven.org

Growers Survey

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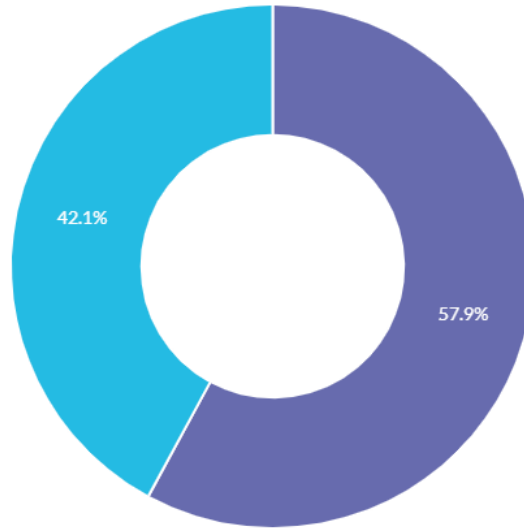
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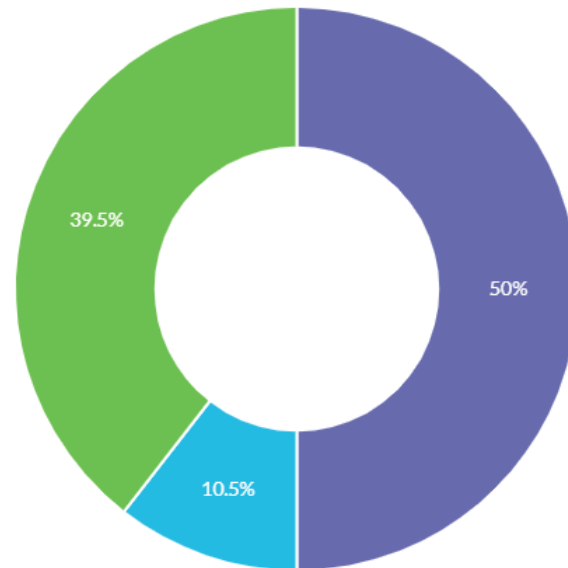
Q1

Do you have an area of garden you can cultivate vegetables in?
Multiple Choice



Choice	Total
Yes	22
No	16

Q2 If you do, are you able to do so without help?
Multiple Choice

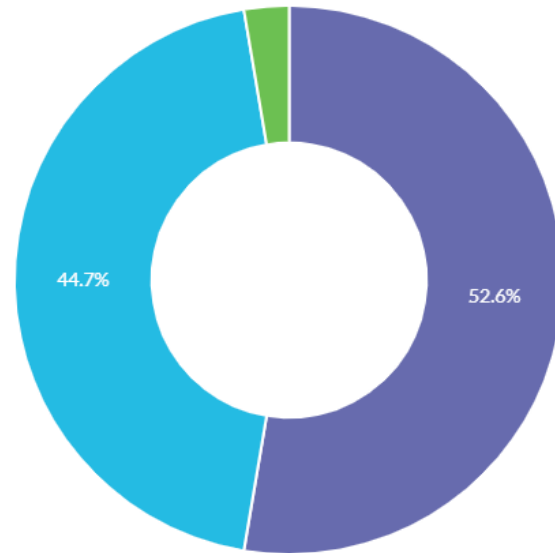


Choice	Total
Yes	19
No	4
n/a	15

Q3

Would help from a community gardener, visiting you once or twice a fortnight over the growing season, be helpful to you to grow vegetables & fruit at home?

Multiple Choice



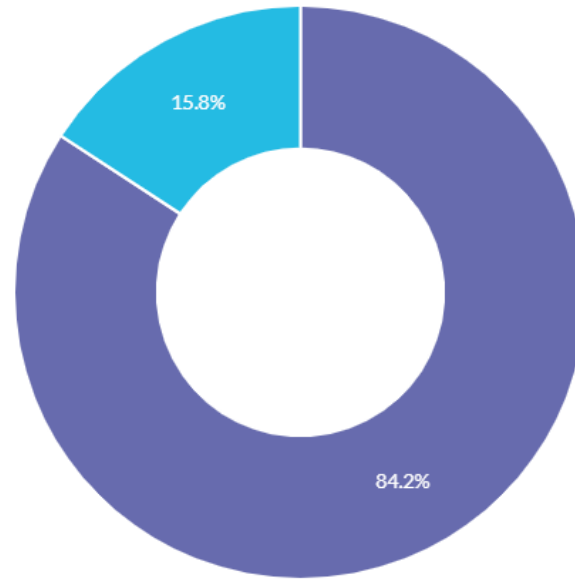
Choice	Total
Yes	20
No	17
Other comments	1

Other comments: I have a very small area I grow potatoes in grow bags etc but would be able to grow more without assistance if I had an allotment area.

Q4

Are you aware of any allotments that are currently available in Strathaven area?

Multiple Choice



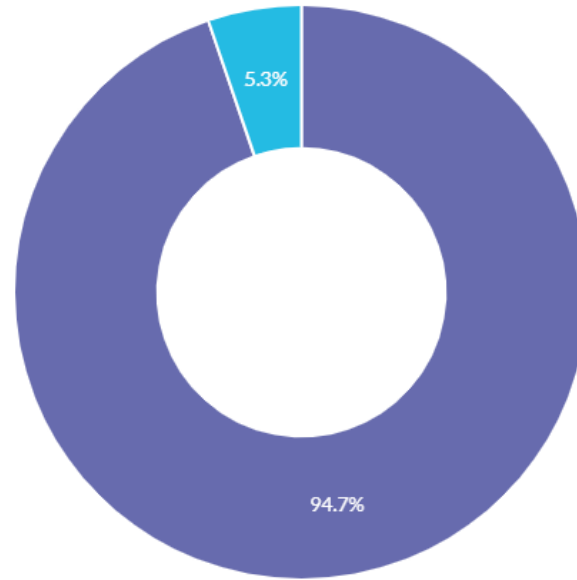
Choice	Total
No	32
Yes - please give details	6

Strathaven Park; I believe there are some but dont know where, I am on the waiting list.; Planters in the park; Looking into using some land I own for this; Raised beds at park and in EK at Murray

Q5

Do you have a (too) large garden for your own use, that you would be willing to let another family use to grow vegetables/fruit, in return for a share of the produce?

Multiple Choice



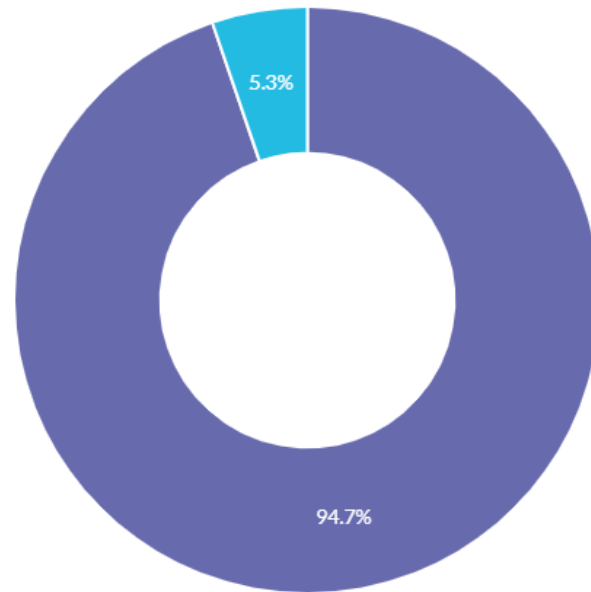
Choice	Total
No	36
Yes - please give details	2

I have a lane that could be suitably used; My back garden is enormous with plenty of room

Q6

Are you aware of any other projects or local organisations that are trying to establish allotments or community garden?

Multiple Choice



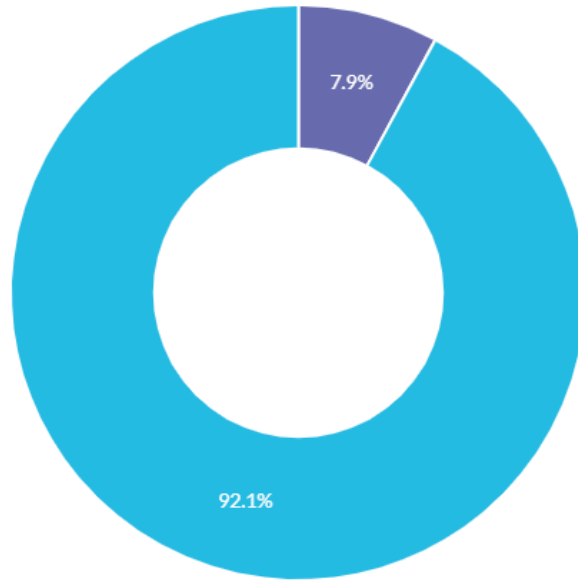
Choice	Total
No	36
Yes - please give details	2

Friends of Strathaven park have a community growing project

Q7

Have you ever applied for an allotment?

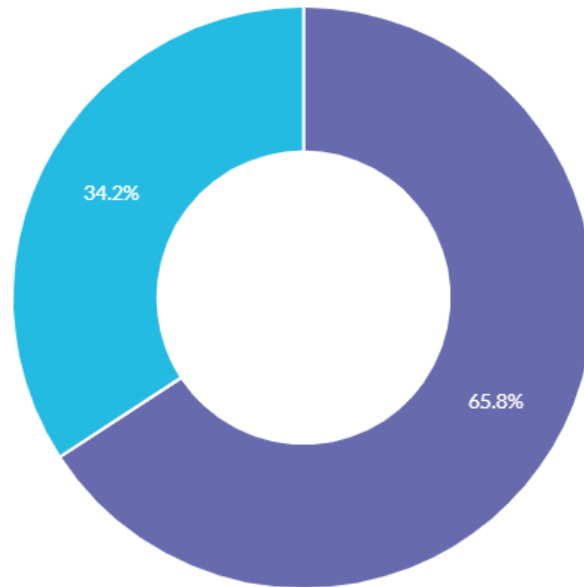
Multiple Choice



Choice	Total
Yes	3
No	35

Q8

Would you be prepared to commit to tending one on a yearly basis?
Multiple Choice

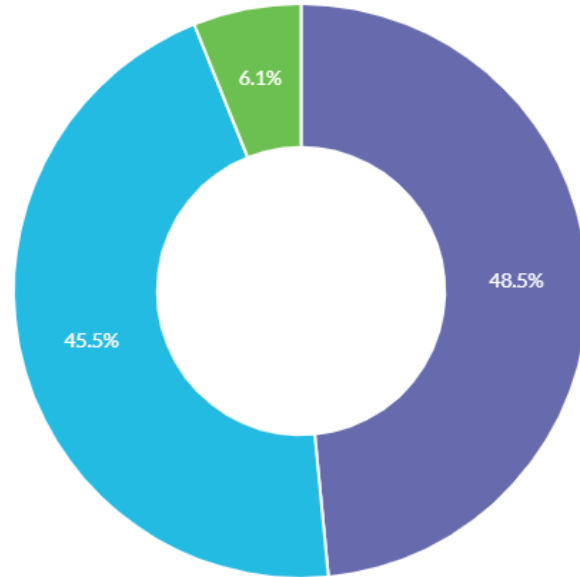


Choice	Total
Yes	25
No	13

Q9

What size of allotment would you prefer Mini - enough for two people Midi - enough for a small family Maxi - enough for a large family

Multiple Choice

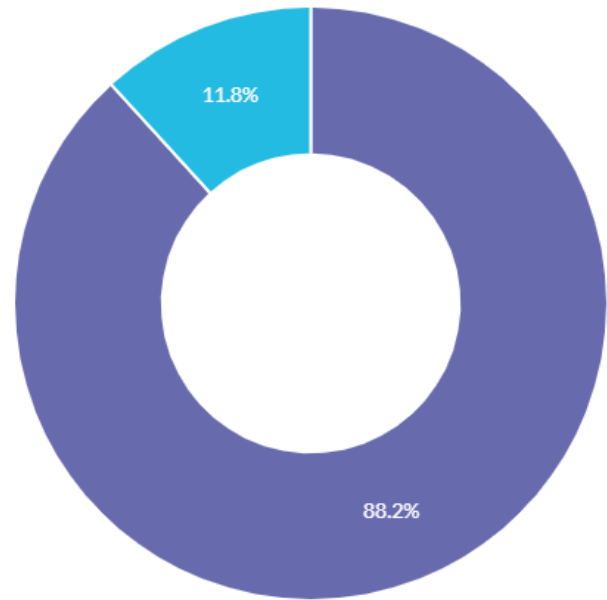


Choice	Total
Mini	16
Midi	15
Maxi	2

Q10

Would you be willing to pay a small rent towards the upkeep of the site?

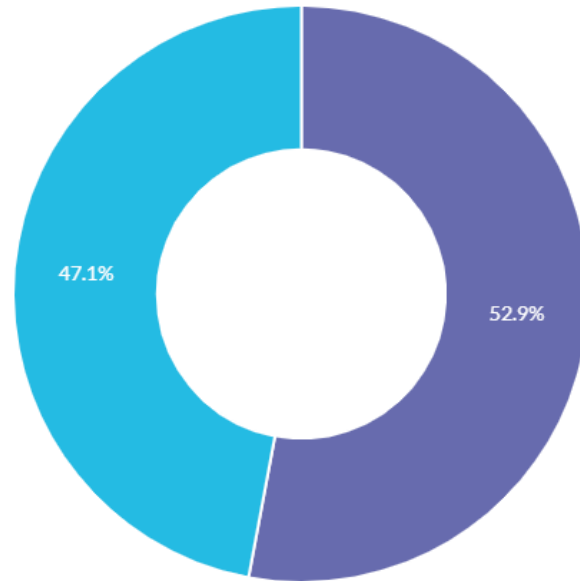
Multiple Choice



Choice	Total
Yes	30
No	4

Q11

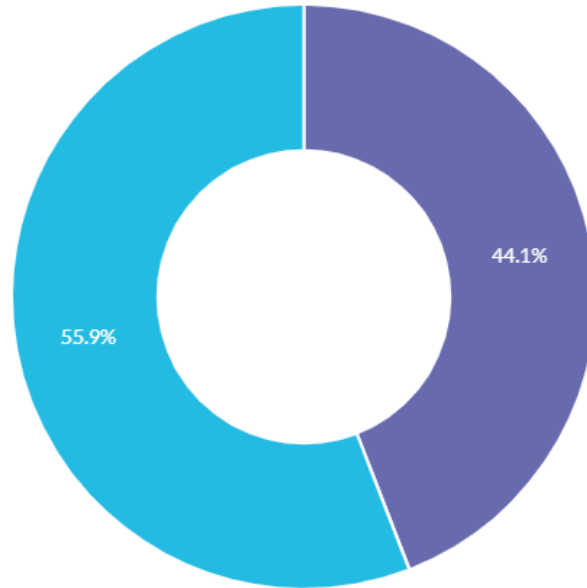
Would you like to be involved in the organisation of a community garden or allotments for Strathaven?
Multiple Choice



Choice	Total
● Yes	18
● No	16

Q12

Would you like to help others learn to grow their own veg/plants?
Multiple Choice

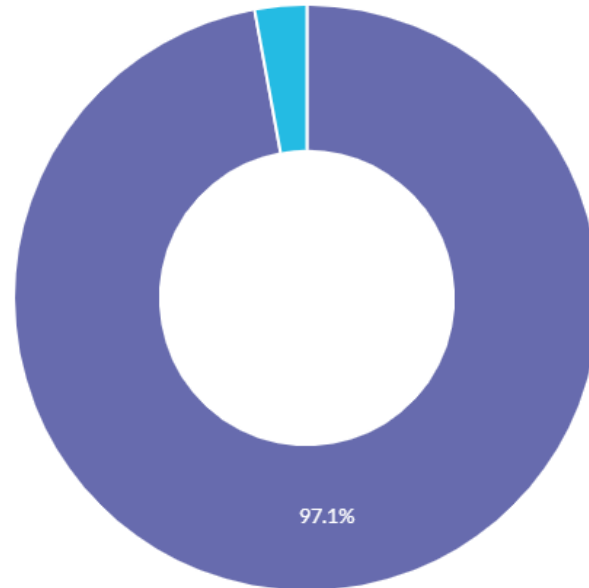


Choice	Total
Yes	15
No	19

Q13

Are you a local business who would like to donate to the project, funding/seeds/tools/manure(if you are a farmer) help with cultivation?

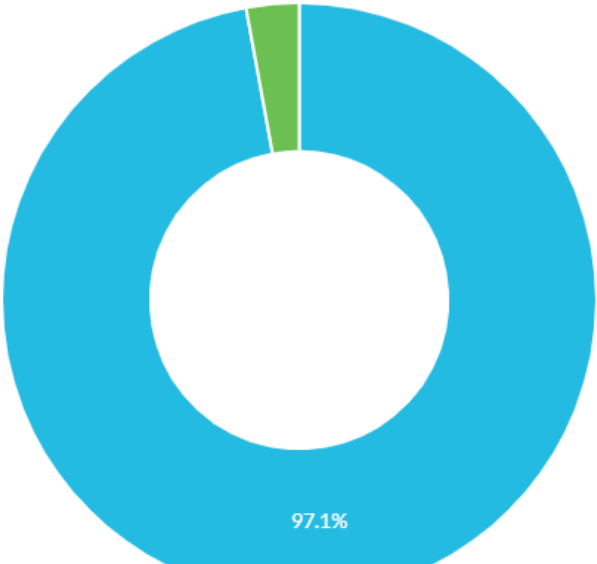
Multiple Choice



Choice	Total
No	34
Yes - please give details	1

Q14

Are you a local landowner with a plot of land that could be used? It would have to be near the town
Multiple Choice

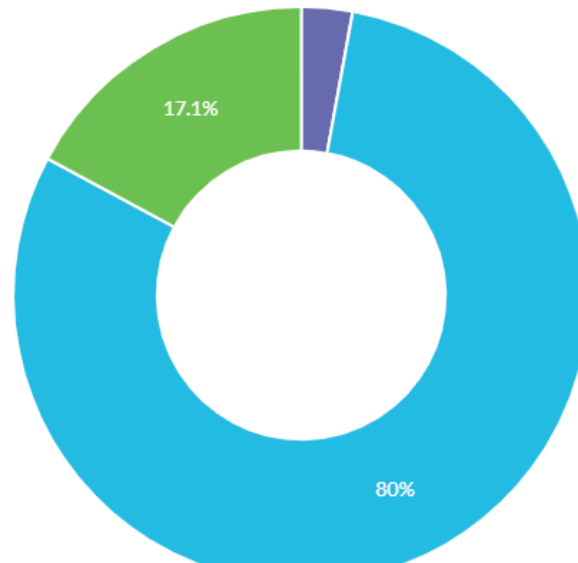


Choice	Total
Yes	0
No	34
Maybe - please give details	1

Q15

Is there an area near you which it may be possible to cultivate

Multiple Choice



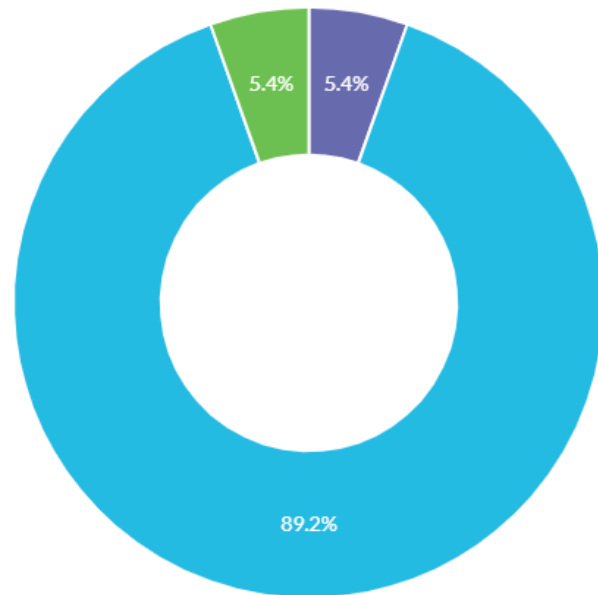
Choice	Total
Yes	1
No	28
Maybe - please give details	6

Large are of grass across from sheltered housing car park at Cochran's street; There is a very small area of land on each side of the old school on colinhill road which is rather derelict.; Crosshill crescebt; Glassford primary school additional land and areas sureounding the village

Q16

Are you a local organisation who could contribute skills or advice to the project?

Multiple Choice

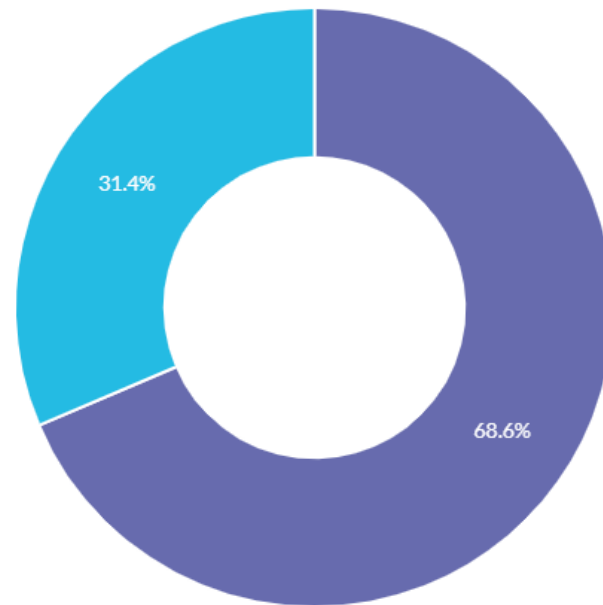


Choice	Total
Yes	2
No	33
Yes - please leave e-mail address	2

Q17

Would you like to be added to CAS general e-mail list ?

Multiple Choice

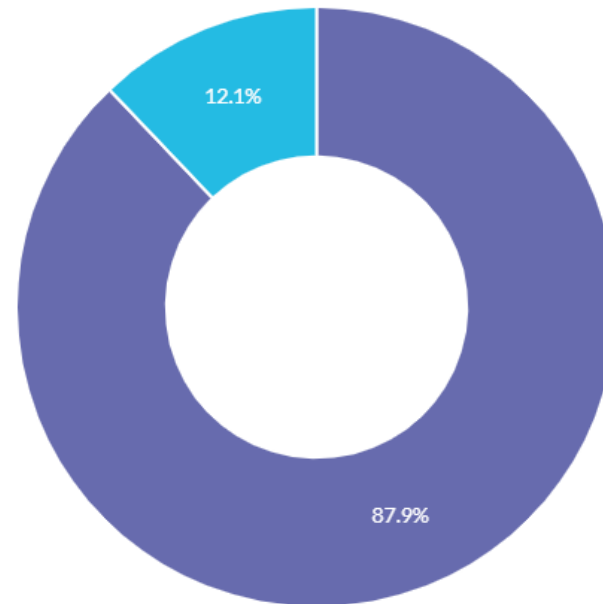


Choice	Total
No	24
Yes - please leave e-mail address	11

Q18

Are you interested in a possible role as a local community gardener if this service can be set up.

Multiple Choice



Choice	Total
No	29
yes - please leave contact e-mail and mobile number, or e-mail info@CAStrathaven.org	4

Q19

Do you have any other comments on the idea of starting allotments, or a community garden in Strathaven?

Essay



Date	Answers
Sep 25	Excellent idea!
Sep 23	There is also a fairly large green space behind Wester Overton Primary which could possibly be utilised.
Sep 21	Great Idea. I have enough with my own garden. Help from Community Council via the Kypemuir Community Fund., I am on the CC and will help with advice on funding. Contact strathaven.org <input type="text"/>
Sep 21	Time we started growing more of our own foods. This would help people get out a bit more and enjoy the benefits of gardening and eating wholesome vegetables etc
Sep 19	We think it's a great idea. My husband made a small raised bed for my daughter over lockdown and we've been growing veg for the first time. It's been such a lovely project. We would welcome any help and advice (we are complete gardener novices!) and would love to grow more of our own produce.
Sep 19	Sounds like a great idea, I've only just started growing this year but my garden is too small to grow all the things I would like to. I have time to help out with a community project but also like the idea of an allotment.
Sep 19	I know of a couple of places suitable in Glassford but when I enquired about it they weren't interested because it wasn't in Strathaven ,
Sep 13	If ever goes ahead please give priority to those who do not have a garden as was torture during covid
Sep 13	Good luck. I think it will be a roaring success. I would love to help out on occasion but can not commit due to work
Sep 13	I love the idea and hope it is successful. I can use part of my own garden to grow food but don't feel I have the skills/experience to advise others.