## HOW TO LEAVE A GIFT IN YOUR WILL

A gift in your Will to the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh can be:

- A sum of money
- A share of your estate
- A specific item like property, shares or personal items

The Botanics Foundation is a registered charity that supports the work of the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh, and any gift you make is exempt from inheritance tax. We strongly recommend you consult a Charity number: SC027758

solicitor to ensure your will is up-to-date, legally valid and accurately reflects your intentions.

If you choose to remember the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh in your Will, your solicitor will need the following information

**Botanics Foundation Registered Office:** 20A Inverleith Row. Edinburgh, EH3 5LR

I intend to leave/I have left a gift to the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh in my will:

A sum of money

A share of my estate

A specific item

The Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh benefits from gifts left with no restriction, so we can direct your gift where your help is needed most. If you have a preference for how your legacy will support the Gardens and wish to let us know, please share here:

## I WOULD LIKE TO JOIN THE 1670 CIRCLE

If you have decided to pledge a gift in your Will to the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh, please complete and return this form to become a member of the 1670 Circle.

NAME	
ADDRESS	
	POSTCODE
TELEPHONE	
EMAIL	

I would like to join the 1670 Circle.

As a member of the 1670 Circle, I would like to receive invitations to events and receive communications for and offers from RBGE.

If you are happy to share, we would love to know why you would like to remember the Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh in your Will. Please tick this box if you would like to have a conversation with us.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:

**PLEASE GET IN TOUCH** AT ANY TIME ON:

Legacies Officer Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh 20A Inverleith Row Edinburgh EH3 5LR

**Call** 0131 248 2987

Email 1670circle@rbge.org.uk Find out more at rbge.org.uk/1670circle

Lam a Member of RBGF

Personal data The personal data we hold will be used by the RBGE, or other parties acting under the instructions of the RBGE for a range of activities if you have consented to them. These include 1670 Circle administration, sending publications and information, offering benefits and services, organising events, and in our fundraising and volunteering programmes. If you'd like to find out more, you can view our privacy notice. If you wish to update your details or how we contact you please email 1670circle@rbge.org.uk or write to us at the address above or call us on 0131 552 7171. Read our full privacy notice at rbge.org.uk/privacy-notice/development-privacy-notice.

## CONTINUE OUR LEGACY FOR THE NEXT 350 YEARS & BEYOND

The Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh is a registered charity whose work would not be possible without the generous donations of our supporters. Planned legacy giving supports our wide-ranging activity, including:

- Global conservation work in the face of a biodiversity crisis
- Inspiring horticulture to develop the living collection
- Community outreach, fostering wellbeing in vulnerable people
- Educational programmes, inspiring the next generation of researchers and horticulturists
- Art programmes that offer audiences creative ways to explore the natural world

A gift in your Will helps us to protect our natural world and nurture future generations.



## **NURTURING OUR COMMUNITY**

There is growing evidence that regular exercise and physical activity can help aid recovery and prevent recurrence of cancer. This fits well with gardening activities at the Botanics such as the Edible Gardening Project and work in the Demonstration Garden.

Our Move More group, a Macmillan Cancer Support and Edinburgh Leisure Centre Initiative, has been working with us for three years, and meets every Wednesday to care for their own plot; from preparing the soil, sowing seeds, and caring for plants, to harvesting food.



