



Hi John Middleton Community!

Spring is here and we would like to extend a warm welcome to ALL to become involved with your family to support and enjoy the John Middleton Gilbert Garden.

When school is in session, students and teachers spend time in the garden to incorporate experiential learning as they engage in academics, team building, and personal growth. It would be wonderful to have parents, grandparents, and any additional family members volunteer to tend to the garden with a class or harvest with a class to then create a garden dish to enjoy together.

During the summer months, The Gilbert Garden Club gathers once each week to tend to the garden, harvest, make a dish, and enjoy time together. Anyone is welcome to participate in these gatherings. Families and school staff are also encouraged to participate in other ways, such as offering to bring any gardening knowledge, handy work experience (as we have items that need repair), and tending to the garden by offering to water and weed.

So please spread the word that if anyone is interested in participating in garden based activities in the spring, summer, and/or fall to reach out to Mrs. Jennifer Gregg by email at jgregg@sd735.org or by phone at 847-676-8056.

Thank you so much!

John Middleton School