2013 Vegetable Variety Trial Demo Garden

In an effort to promote ecological gardening techniques and vegetable varieties (the citizen science project that rates veggies and offers links to seed sources), Cornell Garden-based Learning is facilitating the creation of demonstration gardens in 19 counties around New York State. Host sites include 17 Cooperative Extension offices and 2 community gardens.

The design includes **5 vegetable beds**, **4 flower beds**, herbs and specific techniques for **ecological gardening**. Vegetable beds are designed with succession plantings and crop rotations for an extended harvest season. Each demonstration garden is similar to the layout below, using multiple raised beds ~3 feet x 3 feet to create a combined garden that is 15 feet x 15 feet, as shown.

As part of this demonstration garden, host site staff and volunteers are recording their experiences at the Vegetable Varieties for Gardeners Site:

Rate these and other varieties, find seed sources, and more

**Vegetable Varieties for Gardeners**

http://vegvariety.cce.cornell.edu