

Summer Garden Visit Group



For the summer of 2026 we offered members the opportunity to visit local gardens from the 'Scottish Gardens Open for Charity 2026' book.

The gardens chosen were only open by appointment, which means that dates could be arranged to suit, subject to availability. Travel was by members' own transport; lifts were offered by other members where possible.

Costs were payable to the garden and were either a set fee of £5 or by donation, as specified by the garden owners. Members could come along to as many or as few visits as they wanted.

The gardens visited were:

- Hawk House Garden, Thankerton
- Covington Mill Farmhouse, Thankerton
- Craigieburn House, near Moffat

After our visits we enjoyed a chat over a hot drink and biscuits/cakes and we all agreed that the outings were a huge success.