



Begun in October 2022, Talbot Green Hands (TGH) is the local chapter of Interfaith Partners for the Chesapeake (IPC). We are a collaborative group of local faith communities, taking action to restore and protect our shared waterways.

October 2025

THIS MONTH'S TOP STORIES

Talbot Green Hands' Nicolette and Jordan Dallman pose with machete and turning fork by their new pile at the PCE community garden site. Nicolette will chop up the 'green' (nitrogen-heavy) weeds, spent plants, and food scraps while Jordan gathers 'brown' (carbon) ingredients for the first PCE pile they will manage on their own.



Brandy, a volunteer with Blackwater Rising in Cambridge uses the Yakisugi 'light charring' process to prepare a board for the composter soon to be built at the Locust Street community garden. The 3 bin

wood & wire composter will be built by Blackwater Rising volunteers with the help of Talbot Green Hands' Jonathan Williams.



Update on our school-year garden:

Sweet, crunchy snowpeas are ready for snacks 2 months after being planted on the first day of school!
We have been harvesting chard and kale since the first month.



UPCOMING EVENTS

The date for building a 3 bin wood and wire composter is Saturday November 15th. We will begin around 9:00 am and break for lunch with volunteers from our sister environmental organization, Blackwater Rising, in Cambridge. Bring a hammer and a cordless drill with a T25 bit if you are interested in helping.

Blackwater Rising is also having a Harvest Festival next Saturday October 25 at 3:00 pm, at their community garden on 8 Locust Street, Cambridge where one of our Yakisugi wood and wire composters will be raffled off!

David King fires up a board to reduce decay using the Yakisugi method



Talbot Green Hands monthly meeting October 16 at 11:00 at The Presbyterian Church of Easton and by zoom (email us for a zoom invitation): talbotearthday@gmail.com



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