



GLASNOST GARDEN

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In 1990, the Agricultural and Forestry Experiment Station initiated an exchange program with the Siberian Branch of the Russian Academy of Agricultural Sciences headquartered in Novosibirsk. Part of that program involved an exchange of plant materials in which GBG was fortunate to participate. During the summer of 1990, we visited the main Agricultural Research Station in Novosibirsk and the Lisavenko Plant Breeding Institute in Barnaul. Some of the seeds we brought back are planted in this Glasnost Garden. Foremost in this collection is a group of *Alliums* (chives, welsh onions, garlic) that is part of the lifelong work of Dr. Elizabeta Greenberg, Russian Academy of Agricultural Sciences, Novosibirsk. Dr. Greenberg has collected wild and cultivated *Alliums* from all over Siberia and has selected and bred those that are best adapted to Siberian gardens. She generously shared some of her seeds and bulbs with us. This collection of *Alliums* was planted in 1990 and has survived one winter. Look for other Siberian plant materials in the research test gardens to the east of the vegetable garden.

SIBERIAN PLANTS ON DISPLAY IN THE VEGETABLE GARDEN

Name	Source
<i>Allium ascalonicum</i> 'SIR-7' - shallot	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium sativum</i> - garlic (2 kinds)	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium altaicum</i> - Altai onion	Novosibirsk (from wild)
<i>Allium senescens</i> - dwarf alpine onion	Novosibirsk (from wild)
<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> Ledebur Mix - chives	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> 'Chemal' - chives	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> 'Velta' - chives	Novosibirsk (original source, Germany)
<i>Allium schoenoprasum</i> Siberian Mix -chives	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium sp.</i> Chinese Mix - aromatic onion	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium fistulosum</i> - 'Salad' Welsh onion	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium fistulosum</i> 'April' - Welsh onion	Novosibirsk
<i>Allium fistulosum</i> 'Gribovskii' - welsh onion	Novosibirsk
<i>Beta vulgaris</i> 'Sibirskaya Ploskaya' - beet	Barnaul
<i>Brassica juncea</i> 'Krasnoi' - Indian mustard	Novosibirsk

<i>Brassica oleracea capitata</i> 'Sibiryachka' -cabbage	Barnaul
<i>Brassica oleracea capitata</i> 'Nadezhda' - cabbage	Barnaul
<i>Cichorium intybus</i> - chicory	Novosibirsk
<i>Daucus carota sativa</i> 'Shantane' - carrot	Barnaul
<i>Daucus carota sativa</i> 'Losenoostrovskaya' -carrot	Novosibirsk
<i>Lactuca sativa</i> 'Moskovskii Parnekovoy' lettuce	Novosibirsk
<i>Raphanus sativus</i> 'Sibirski' radish	Barnaul