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CHELSEA FLOWER SHOW

THE MAIN DRAW

Plans and sketches for some of the inspirational gardens set to feature at this year's RHS event



Let's Hear it from...

Landscape and garden designer Jo Thompson



Green roofs

Big opportunities to install for landscape contractors

Portfolios

See how three companies implemented their projects



Rooftop Workplace for Tomorrow

Designed by Patricia Fox
 Built by Giles Landscapes
 Sponsored by RBS in association with Walworth Garden Farm
 STAND – RHW37

Rooftop Workplace of Tomorrow is an extension of

the working office which uses vacant urban rooftop space. The garden offers an innovative, thought-provoking environment that can be used by both individuals and groups. Individuals can sit in contemporary hanging chairs and network using a smart phone or tablet. Conferences can be held within the lounge

area beneath the weatherproof canopy. This area has a 3m x 3m video/projection screen that projects sound and visuals, and is surrounded by beautiful planting (which includes a pick-your-own herbal tea bar). This garden challenges our perception of workplaces, and offers inspirational ideas for the future.



A Rural Muse

Designed by Adam Frost
 Built by New Ground Landscapes
 Sponsored by Lands End Clothing
 STAND – MA3

This garden is designed for a Stamford couple who love their region's landscape and environment, especially the walks

of the well-known local peasant poet John Clare. Adam Frost has taken inspiration from the diverse countryside that shaped so much of Clare's poetry to create a space for entertaining and relaxation, designed with biodiversity and wildlife in mind. Many of the elements have multiple functions, such as the stone boulders that double up as stepping stones and seating.



The Telegraph Garden

Designed by Sarah Price
 Built by Crocus.co.uk
 Sponsored by The Daily Telegraph
 STAND – MA20

The Telegraph Garden evokes the beauty and romance of wild areas of the British countryside. Perennials, rushes, grasses and meadow flowers grow around an intricate pattern of

pools in Chilmark limestone. The copper details draw inspiration from the mineral-rich upland streams and rills of North Wales and Dartmoor. A stepping-stone walkway leads across water to a seating area on a group of boulders. The rear of the garden is framed by a glade of tall, graceful birch trees. The garden uses atmospheric planting and natural stone to create a beautiful, contemplative, private space.