

The SCIENCE Garden at SCI

The importance of horticulture and plant science for a sustainable future

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SCI – Society of Chemical Industry

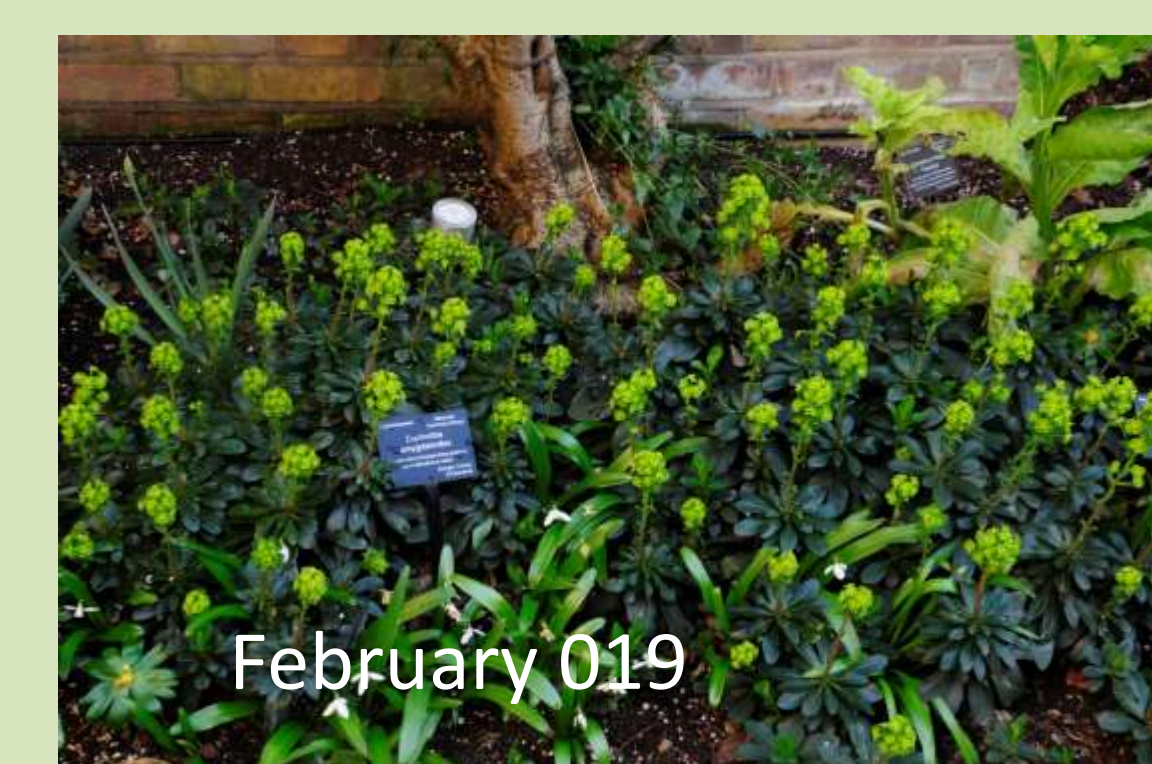
- Established in 1881 by scientists, inventors and entrepreneurs
- Multi-disciplinary and multi-science learned society covering wide range of industries with chemistry at core
- Aim to promote links between chemistry related sciences and industry for benefit of society
- Aims to foster innovation and support the commercialization of science via new products and processes

SCI Horticulture Group

- Formed in 2008
- To act as a forum for the Horticulture Industry
- Facilitates building of links between higher education and research institutes, botanic gardens, growers and producers of horticultural crops and associated supply companies
- Promotion and education about the importance of horticulture for sustainable future

The SCIENCE Garden

- Project commenced in early 2017
- Garden was officially opened in July 2017
- Plants celebrate SCI and Chemistry in a multitude of ways.
- Plants all have links with one of the following:
 - History of the Society
 - Technical Interest Groups
 - Regional Interest Groups
 - Periodic Table



The SCIENCE Garden is:

- A public engagement tool for the Society
- An amenity resource for staff of and visitors to the Society
- A resource of plant “stories” for secondary school teachers
- A way for teachers to connect to scientists working with plants in a huge variety of careers

