

Caley Bros.

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This year at the RHS Chelsea Flower Show, Caley Brothers present 'Project Mushroom', a curious display of edible and medicinal mushrooms sitting upon home-grown mycelium plinths, that can be seen nestled amongst a wildflower meadow.

With a variety of projects from our new **debut book 'Project Mushroom'** at the heart of our display, we want to inspire visitors to get growing their own delicious mushrooms through a series of easy to grow projects - regardless of space, budget or season - we have a mushroom project to suit.

Our aim at Caley Brothers, is to connect people to the world of fungi and growing mushrooms in an easy and accessible way, while demystifying the uncertainties behind mushrooms and getting people growing at home.

Sustainability is at the heart of everything we do. We employ a green and seasonal approach to mushroom farming. **Our entire exhibit has been consciously designed to be 100% recycled**, composted, or reused, allowing us to save on unnecessary waste and landfill.

Founded in 2019 we adopted the name Caley Brothers, after our grandad and his brothers' 1950's grocers, despite being two sisters. Caley Brothers is now an independent business based in the heart of West Sussex.

We have been fortunate to have worked with Kew Gardens for the past 2 years. After installing their first mushroom beds, and hosting a number of making workshops, we have just published our first book '*Project Mushroom*' which is a project based book and has been written in collaboration with Kew Gardens.

We have also entered one of our display mushrooms 'The Tarragon Oyster' in for **Plant Of The Year**, and look forward to seeing how it is received by both the judges and the audience during the show.

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'Project Mushroom' is a collaboration, we have been working closely with a diverse range of small, UK based companies to bring this display of edible and medicinal mushrooms. From pottery by Channel 4's The Great Pottery Throw Down, Adam Johnston, and our own grown meadow from Pictorial Meadows to some truly unique mushrooms by Kaizen cordyceps, Gourmet Woodland Mushrooms and Marvellous Mushrooms.

Supporting all our growing projects are a series of structural pillars, all hand-made and grown by the Caley Brothers team from recycled card, sawdust, and mycelium. Each pillar has its own unique form and characteristics, and as they have been left to dry, they have all produced a stunning flush of delicious mushrooms. After the show season, all our pillars can be broken down and composted, taking them back into the ground where they will continue to enhance the soil and vegetation around them.

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MUSHROOM LIST:

Pleurotus Ostreatus
'Grey Oyster Mushroom'

Pleurotus Djamor
'Pink Oyster Mushroom'

Pleurotus Citrinopileatus
'Yellow Oyster Mushroom'

Pleurotus Eryngii
'King Oyster Mushroom'

Ganoderma Lucidum
'Reishi Mushroom'

Lentinula Edodes
'Shiitake Mushroom'

Cordyceps Militaris
'Cordyceps Mushroom'

Hericium Erinaceus
'Lion's Mane Mushroom'

Pleurotus Cornucopiae
ar. Euosmus
'Tarragon Oyster Mushroom'

Agaricus Bisporus
'Button Mushroom'