## **International Congress in Berlin 2024**

The International Congress of the Fédération Internationale des Jardins Familiaux took place in Berlin on 27 and 28 August. 'Allotment gardens in Europe: Green for all' was the theme of the 39th congress organised by the Bundesverband der Kleingartenvereine Deutschlands e. V. (BKD). The guests from national organisations, politics and science exchanged views on biodiversity, urban planning and climate change.

At the same time, the Bundesverband der Kleingartenvereine Deutschlands e. V. (BKD) opened its new federal centre. To mark the occasion, the international organisation planted a tree as a symbol of the bond between the international allotment garden family. This ornamental cherry (Prunus hillieri Spire) is intended to grow and blossom in the same way as the exchange between the international allotment garden federations.



