## Community Garden News - School holiday visitors

We usually have students and their teachers in the Community Garden on Tuesdays, but during the school hols we had some special visitors.

During the first week we had a group of playgroup mums with their bubs and preschoolers. The kids used the garden as a play-gym and got lots of exercise chasing the chooks and climbing in and out of the empty apple bins. Thanks to Sandra Dykmans for organising this.

If you know anyone who would be interested in a garden playgroup - one day a week, fortnight or month – at least in the good weather - please let us know.





During the second week we had visitors from the Kyneton Horticultural Society. They came for a tour of the whole school garden with Renee Taylor who organises the Volunteer Gardening Group. There was a lot of swapping of information and stories, and plans for future swapping of plants. Over a cuppa it was great to hear some of them reminisce about their own school days at the college.

The Community Garden is being more widely recognised and used and this is great for the whole Kyneton community.

We are still harvesting lots of tomatoes, although some of the plants are showing the first signs of frost damage. It seems like the garden is in a particularly frosty spot. There is still some kale and capsicum on the go although we've picked the last of the cucumbers for this year. We've also picked the big pumpkin and Caroline Sharpe has plans to turn it into pumpkin soup.

As the Community Garden activities are all coordinated by Kyneton Transition Hub please direct any enquiries to <a href="mailto:KynetonTH@gmail.com">KynetonTH@gmail.com</a> or phone Julie on 5422 3023. Or check out our website here: <a href="http://kynetontransitionhub.com/kyneton-community-garden-2/">http://kynetontransitionhub.com/kyneton-community-garden-2/</a>.

Join us any Tuesday from 9.30 am or third Saturday of the month between 2 and 4 pm.

Workshops are held on the second Tuesday of the month during school terms at the usual time.

During school hours please check in at the school office first.