



Edible Gardens Open Day



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| 1 | Cecilia
16 New Street | 9am-12noon |
| 2 | Paul & Mary
71 Wedge Street | 10am-12:30pm |
| 3 | Jan
10 Granite Hill Lane | 10am-12.30pm |
| 4 | Marion & Bob
2 Sanctuary Drive | 10am-2pm |
| 5 | Anna & JD
10 Edgecombe Street | 10am-3pm |
| 6 | Kyneton Community Garden
Kyneton Secondary College, Epping Street
0425 724 156 (phone for wheelchair access) | 11am-4pm |
| 7 | Kyneton Community & Learning Centre
34 Mollison Street | 2pm-4pm |

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Garden	Find out about	Brief description of garden	Pest management	Inspired by	Guiding principles
1 Cecilia 16 New Street 0406 611 005 <i>9am-12noon</i>	• drip watering system • chemical free • raised vegie beds • seed saving	My garden is a garden in progress. 18 months ago there was nothing here and now I'm getting closer to be able to grow food on my 'front lawn'. I consider myself as a 'food not lawn activist' and I am learning on the job.	• companion planting • chemical-free • mass plantings to 'share' with pests	• Google searches • Digger's Club • 'My Veggie Patch' • Facebook groups	• chemical-free • I want to be able to eat affordable organic food that hasn't travelled too far • I apply methods that suit my garden and budget
2 Paul & Mary 71 Wedge Street 5422 2429 <i>10am-12:30pm</i>	• herbs • seed saving • plant swapping • annual vegies • perennials • Pennyroyal lawn • composting without using bins (we dig it in)	An original 1950s garden, which we have enhanced. It is also home to a beautiful 19th century hawthorn hedge. I have several distinct edible garden areas – they are very small due to limited water. The design is about easy access to pick and harvest. We spend about 1-2 hours per week gardening. I use my own seed and swap seedlings with other gardeners in the town. We have tame magpies that visit.	• hand management of cabbage moth caterpillars on broccoli		
3 Jan 10 Granite Hill Lane 5422 3828 <i>10am-12.30pm</i>	• wicking beds • composting • raspberry growing • netting • native bee hotel • biochar	A 7 acre property just 5km from town, with various fruit trees and a vegetable and raspberry patch. It's taken a few years to adapt to Kyneton's climate, and we're still learning and trying new things. There will be a produce display on the open day.	• chemical free • companion planting • netting • plant selection	• Earth Garden magazine • Gardening Australia	• organic gardening • conserving resources through re-use and recycling • willingness to experiment and try new things
4 Marion & Bob 2 Sanctuary Drive 5422 7475 <i>10am-2pm</i>	• gardening in small spaces • wicking beds • raised gardens • recycled bath • worm tea	A relatively new garden to accompany a new house, this is a work in progress. The edible garden is located in a small back yard.	• chemical free • trialing a cage trap for Myna birds	• Mt Macedon Horticulture Society • various gardening books	• even older people can start a new garden from scratch • motivated because we prefer home grown tomatoes and fruits to store-bought
5 Anna & JD 10 Edgecombe Street 0403 619 331 <i>10am-3pm</i>	• that progress is slow • using chooks as part of the garden cycle • compost teas	Chemical-free garden with a focus on soil regeneration. The block was fairly neglected and had been inhabited by dogs and lots of ivy and Morning Glory weed (which we are still managing). We save as many seeds as we can. Most of our stock has come from the Diggers Club. Any sunny patch, including the front yard in the future, is designated for edible plants.	• chooks • chemical-free • companion planting • mass plantings to 'share' with pests	• Diggers Club • Jackie French • Gardening Australia website • Jonathon Sturm • Google searches	• a bit of permaculture • a bit of biodynamic • definitely chemical-free
6 Kyneton Community Garden Epping Street 0425 724 156 <i>11am-4pm</i>	• wicking beds • native bee hotel • permaculture basics • chooks • chemical free	Started last year by the Kyneton Transition Hub, the garden is open to all. It is based on permaculture and sustainability principles. Wicking beds have made this a very productive garden in its first (very hot) season. There are monthly workshops and working bees as well as regular weekly sessions.	• chemical-free • companion planting	• Permaculture • Transition town movement	• Permaculture • building community • sharing knowledge and experience • reuse/recycling
7 Kyneton Community & Learning Centre 34 Mollison Street 0421 577 649 <i>2pm-4pm</i>	• wicking beds • gardening in small spaces • link with using local produce	A small community garden that shows what can be done in a small space. The garden is associated with a monthly community lunch, which is also open to everyone. Participants cook and eat together using fresh local ingredients. Join us at Kitchen Connections on the last Friday of the month from 11am.	• chemical-free	• Permaculture • local producers	• sharing knowledge • building community based on shared meals

All gardens have full or partial wheelchair access except Jan's.
Photographs may be taken in all gardens.