Creative Harvest

There's an artist in my food garden.

23 & 24 January 2021 10am to 4pm

\$5 per garden or \$20 for all gardens (Children free)

Tickets available online at <u>bbsn.org.au/events</u> or at any garden.

Productive and inspirational food gardens in West Gippsland are opening to the public, teaming up with local artists and food artisans. The event is designed to show people gardens that grow food well, so they can learn from the experiences of others. It's a great opportunity to meet like-minded people to share ideas. The gardens range from suburban house backyards to large acreages. Gardens will feature working artists and food artisans with their work for sale.



Event subject to COVID-19 compliance requirements at the time. Check website <u>bbsn.org.au</u> for details.

For more information:

Visit: www.bbsn.org.au

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Creative Harvest Gippsland

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A celebration of the food gardeners and local artists of West Gippsland

Creative Harvest 2021 **Garden descriptions**

1. John & Jan's Garden

55 Lynne Ave, Moe South

A natural swimming pool filtered through reed beds, a cat run from the house to an enclosed blueberry patch and netted vegie beds incorporating chooks are features of this established garden. The creative is Sharon Anderson, a painter.

2. Eurabbie

52 Earls Rd, Yarragon South

A large garden on this small sheep farm includes a developing orchard, raised bed vegie garden, berries, a large chestnut tree and lovely views. The creatives are Laurel and Wayne

Foenander. Laurel is a painter, and Wayne makes sculpture.

3. The Edge

95 Earls Rd, Yarragon South

This small farm provides food for the family from sheep, beef, chickens and a milking cow as well as vegies and a small orchard. Set in the hills with glorious views of the Valley and Baw Baws. The creatives are landscape painter Graeme Myrteza, and jewellery maker Elizabeth Smoorenburg.

4. Green Hills Farm

460 Yarragon Sth Rd, Yarragon South

This farm since 2015 has established a 60 tree 'fruit salad' orchard, large vegie garden, bee hives, chickens, greenhouse, worm farm and a 3-bin composting system on their way to develop a closed-loop garden. Creatives are Caroline Hammond with bees and bee products, printmaker Helen Timbury, and painter Claire Mosely.

5. The Rowleys

33 Rankins Rd, Trafalgar

A large orchard is the feature of this garden on the Trafalgar flats, which has winter drainage problems to contend with. Summer vegetables grow very well. The creative is landscape painter and mosaic artist Alene Bonser.

6. Monkey Gully

700 McDougal Rd, Neerim South

The unique setting of this garden features a productive vegetable garden using permaculture principles, a large variety of fruit trees, berries and chickens. The creative is textile artist Joan Best.

7. The Taylor's Garden

2 Red Hill Court, Neerim South

Follow the progress of this brand new garden being cleverly constructed on a steep slope with clay soil. A thriving vegetable garden is being developed. The creatives are children's author and illustrator Spider Lee, and sculptor Cathy Smith.

8. Vue

130 Stoll Rd, Jindivick

A lovely garden and views are features of this off grid B&B. Guests are served home grown vegetables, fruits, preserves and honey from the productive garden. Creatives are sculptor Graham Duell, beekeeper Marty Dunn, and owner Anita Day will be selling preserves and jams from garden produce, and honey from Marty's hives.

9. Markus & Ginnie's off-grid hobby farm

The goal is to grow as much of their food as possible including Jeff and Jeanette Hyde.

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10. The Lillico Garden

54 Christies Rd, Lillico

A well established garden with over 50 fruit and nut trees, fauna. Visiting Creatives are Roz Galindo with handmade soaps, and the Warragul Poultry Club with hints and advice on keeping

3 Marrabel Court, Warragul

An optimum use of space on this urban block allows for an amazingly diverse range and number of edible plants, including sub-tropical plants in the carport. The creative is Cathy Almond with jams and preserves.

24 Witton St, Warragul

This very small attractive garden is being developed to grow lots of food using all the available space.

13. Butler's garden

294 Armours Rd, Warragul

A well established large attractive garden includes vegetables, fruit trees, chooks, bees and both exotic and native ornamental plants. The creatives are Joan Bognuda, a painter, and Jindi Free Range Egg Farm, with free range eggs and some hens for sale.

14. Ungulla Country Garden

590 Invermay Rd East, Drouin South

An acre of garden is filled with natives and exotics, companion planted orchard, food garden with raised vegetable beds, hothouse and citrus grove. The creative is worm farmer Peter Norton, with worm castings and advice on worms and composting.

15. Lesley & Geoff's Garden

270 Coster Rd, Modella

This extensive garden set in farmland produces mountains of food of great variety and has chickens, bees, Macadamia trees and is fertilized with nettle tea. The visiting creatives are Harry Hoo with fresh Asian rolls, and Warragul Poultry Club with hints and advice on keeping chooks.

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vegetables and herbs and a small forest with ponds for native chooks.

11. House of Joy

12. Helen's garden





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