



**Henley Green Community Garden**

COMMUNITY RECYCLING PROJECT

# FOUNDATION OF 3: HELEN + EMMA + NICOLE



Now

**15** individual members

**14** families

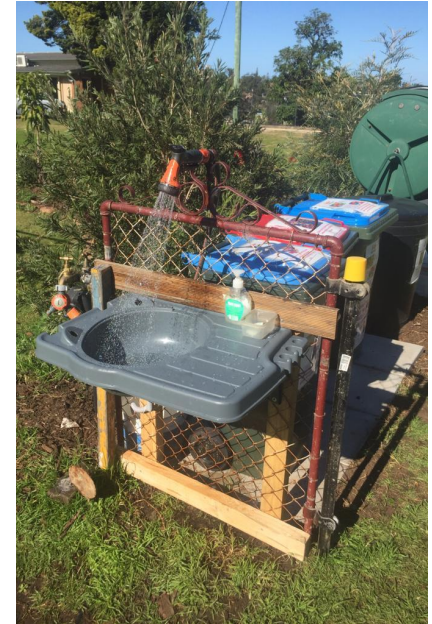
# BRILLIANT OVERVIEW

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THE GARDEN GURUS TV





# BUILDING HENLEY GREEN COMMUNITY GARDEN



We have utilised many old or unwanted items such as; cubby house, gazebo, gate, pavers, table, umbrella, shelving, fridge, crockery, hoses, pots, paint, lawnmower, woodchip, stakes, bins, worm-farms, plants and seeds to name most.





# OUR PURPOSE

Grow healthy food and relationships from our collaborative efforts.

Facilitate intergenerational learning to improve our environmental and social impact.

**Become more connected and sustainable**

Utilise waste locally to reduce  
↓ transportation and ↓ landfill.

Create own growing medium to continually build and maintain a sustainable community garden.





# COMMUNITY RECYCLING

## Making it Easier to be Green

We help people deal effectively with the pesky little items that are tricky to reuse or recycle at home.

We save fruit and veggie scraps from landfill for worm-farms & composting.

We provide a friendly and accessible place to get involved safely.

## In our 1st month we have collected:

- ✓ Over 1800 Milk bottle tops (6kg)
- ✓ Coffee pods and 150 litres of grounds
- ✓ Over 2500 Bread Tags (1kg)
- ✓ Dozens of egg cartons
- ✓ 2 cubic metres fruit/veg kitchen scraps

**We have produced:** 3 cubic metres of Compost

**We have learned:** Composting on a larger scale than at home is very effective and popular!

# COLLECT ITEMS TOO SMALL FOR CURBSIDE RECYCLING SYSTEMS

- ★ Aussie Bread Tags for Wheelchairs
- ★ Plastic Milk Bottle Tops and the “Tamper evident” Rings (Planet ark)
- ★ Spectacles - Lions Recycle for Sight
- ★ Coffee Pods - Terracycle, Nespresso







# WE COLLECT CONTAINERS TO RE-UTILISE



★ plastic punnets



★ egg cartons



★ plastic pots



# COMMUNITY COMPOSTING

## We collect:

- ★ Vegetable & fruit scraps from kitchens
- ★ Coffee grounds from local cafes
- ★ Untreated wood shavings & wood ash
- ★ Eggshells (dried + crushed)
- ★ Alpaca poo

**We add:** Garden clippings, grass cuttings, chook poo, shredded paper, dry leaves & water.

$\frac{1}{3}$  GREEN +  $\frac{1}{3}$  BROWN +  $\frac{1}{3}$  MANURE







# BEAUTIFUL PLACE FOR GROWING CONNECTIONS



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