

## **TNG December News 2018**

Annual subscriptions are due in January. \$60 Full plot holder membership is \$60, concession for low income health care card holders only is \$30 and Associate membership (no plot) is \$10.

### **Electronic Bank Transfer is preferred:**

**Name of Account: Taroona Neighbourhood Garden**

**BSB: 633000**

**Acct No. 157051541**

Please put your name and plot number in as a reference so we know who has paid.

Instructions for how to pay are on our website here: <https://taroona.tas.au/neighbourhood-garden/how-to-pay/>

Who is H Wright? A subscription has been paid in this name but we do not have a member of this name. Please email back if you have paid as H Wright and let us know which is your plot and which name you use for membership, otherwise we will have to assume the amount is a donation.

There is no busy bee in December, but if you would like to do some work in the garden please weed a section of the community plots.

### **Thanks to our mowing and watering teams**

Many thanks to the mowing and watering teams who will be tending to their responsibilities over the holiday period. Members can help the mowing team by keeping rubbish and other items off the grassed area, clearing growth which overhangs plot edges, and rolling up hoses onto hangers after use.

### **Watering in hot weather**

Watering in the evening or early morning is better for the plants. If watering in the heat of the day is unavoidable, don't spray onto the foliage, but run the water over the soil only. Every drop of water on foliage acts like a tiny magnifying glass in direct sunlight, burning the leaves.

### **Bunnings donations**

Bunnings Kingston has kindly donated goods and a day's labour to the garden. A new bench has been constructed to replace the dilapidated bench outside the lower gate, which provides a welcome rest place for some of our older residents taking a walk in the park. An ailing lime tree has been transplanted into a new raised bed with fresh soil and some rosemary companions. Thank you to Jessika from Bunnings for her work and for providing the goods and materials.

### **Coming up in 2019**

Working bees on Sunday January 13, February 17 and March 17. The AGM will be on March 12, 2019.



Jessika from Bunnings poses beside the new raised bed which was donated with soil to fill it and rosemary plants to keep the lime tree company.

Seasons greetings to all our members and their families.

From the TNG Committee