



## ROSEBUD COMMUNITY GARDEN

### FEBRUARY 2025 NEWSLETTER



### HAPPY NEW YEAR & WELCOME TO 2025!

#### Toilet

Just a quick reminder that the toilet is out of action at the moment. A new one is being organised and will be delivered soon. The old toilet has been pumped out and will be stripped out and repurposed as a storage shed. Volunteers will be needed to cut up and remove the fittings inside the toilet.

Annie is working on a grant from the MP Shire to pay for the new toilet. Fingers crossed!

#### Committee Meeting: Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> February 10am.

We have decided to bring the committee meeting forward as there are some pressing issues which need attention.

#### Cubby House

It is great to see our cubby house being used by our smaller visitors but would parents, grandparents, etc. please check that it is left in a reasonable condition after use. I was disappointed last week to find it in a really disgusting state with the pictures on the floor and every surface covered in a thick layer of sand.

#### Surplus Produce

If anyone has extra cucumbers that they don't need, Gail would like to make pickled cucumbers for our Open Day at the end of the year. Also, Jenni has organised a cupboard for surplus produce outside the back garden gate for community members to share.

**Hoses**

1. Please do not remove fittings from hoses.
2. Please roll up hoses so that they are not a tripping hazard.
3. All taps are to be turned off before members leave the garden.
4. Timers are only to be used on drippers or micro sprays NOT sprinklers. (This is because of flooding incidents)

**Watering**

Lots of plants and trees in the garden are showing evidence of stress as we haven't had enough rain, so if everyone could spend a bit of time doing some extra watering it would really help to save our garden.

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> February Drinks**

On a happier note, we are having a get-together on Sunday afternoon from 3-5pm to celebrate the new year, summer, back to school and anything else you can think of! Everyone welcome.

BYO drinks and nibbles.

Happy Gardening,

Sandra Freeman