

What Do We Do?

Our Community Garden contains many different features which have been gradually implemented by our committed group of volunteers, such as:

Garden plots - for growing fruit and vegetables organically

Communal plots - for production of fruit and nuts for all to share

A Children's Playground and sand pit - made from recycled materials

Chooks, rabbits, pigeons and bantams - all of which help recycle waste and provide a sustainable food source

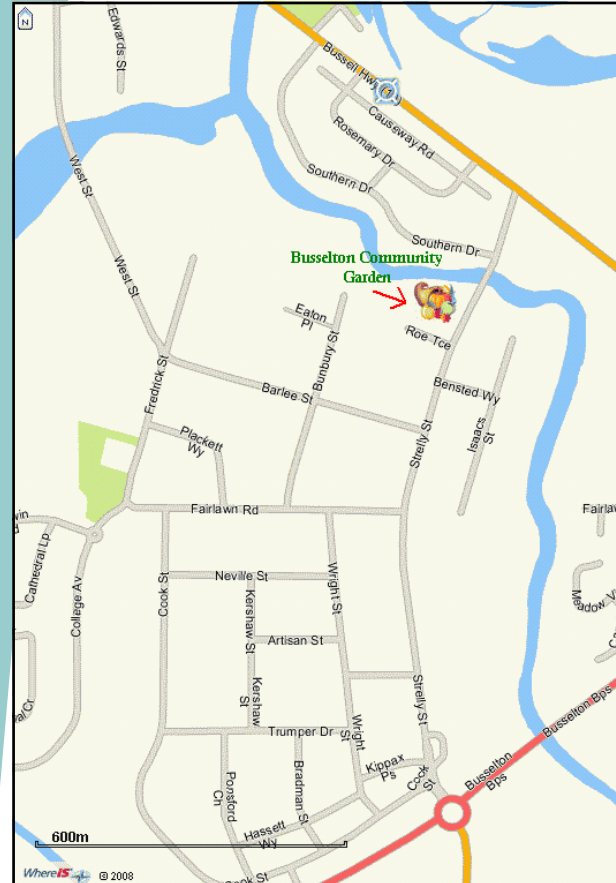
A hothouse - for raising seedlings

Compost bays - we turn waste into a soil enhancer for use in the garden

Worm farms - provide a rich source of nutrients for our plants

A gazebo and pizza oven - for providing shade and a place to relax and socialise

Rainwater tanks and a windmill/bore— provide a sustainable source of water for irrigation



**CONTACT US AND ADOPT-A-PLOT OR
JUST COME ALONG AND VISIT**



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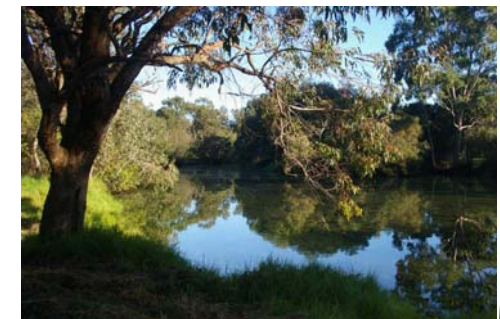


**SUSTAINABILITY IN
PRACTICE**

The Community Garden is the sustainability flagship of the Busselton Shire.

We grow food organically and locally so we can reduce food kilometres and care for the environment.

It is open to everyone in our community.



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About Us

Busselton Community Garden are a not for profit, incorporated body, who are in the process of constructing and managing a Community Garden, located in the Shire of Busselton, in Western Australia.

The purpose of the garden is to provide a place



for people to come together and grow their own fruit and vegetables on individual plots and

communal areas, using only organic methods.

By growing food locally – we're saving the planet! But we're not only about improving the local environment, the garden is also a great way to improve your social network and learn more about organic gardening.

People of all ages and abilities can get involved – shouldn't you?

The Eco House—Stage 2

Stage 2 of the Garden is the 'Eco House' which is currently under development and will provide:

- A practical demonstration of sustainability measures such as grey water reuse, solar power, efficient fixtures and fittings, and passive methods of heating and cooling, which can be re-created in existing homes across the Shire and the State;
- Office space for use by Busselton Community Garden Incorporated, and areas for use by local artists and other groups for workshops, classes and courses;
- An 'Eco Cafe' - open to the public, which will show case locally grown and organic produce. The cafe is being developed in conjunction with and will be run in part by, 'Intetworks' who assist people with disabilities to gain life skills - what better way to do this then running a cafe!
- Additional garden areas for producing edible produce.

Development of the Eco House is being assisted by grants from the South West Development Commission and the Shire of Busselton. Drop in to see the progress we are making on the Eco House when next you visit the garden!

Get Involved



You can get involved in a variety of different ways:

- Let us keep in touch with you via our quarterly e-newsletter;
- Reserve your own garden plot (\$55) or (\$35 concession); or
- Come to the site on one of our busy bee days and just lend a hand with some digging, weeding or planting.

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