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# West Auckland's Community Gardens 2013



### GLEN EDEN Lucinda Place Community Orchard

Lucinda Place Community Orchard is nestled beside the Waikumete Stream in Glen Eden. Amongst a few old heritage fruit trees are 30 or so 2-3 year old trees planted with the support of Project Twin Streams Glen Eden. There are plum, apple, peach, feijoa, citrus, macadamia and persimmon all under -planted with various companions. The orchard is cared for without the use of chemicals. Scythes are use to mow the orchard. Community run working bees are every 6 weeks. There are a range of people from experts to beginners who are passionate about growing food.





<u>http://goo.gl/maps/UtCjS</u>

Address: between 6 and 8 Lucinda Place Glen Eden Coordinator: Kirsten Email: <u>kirstyngarakau@gmail.com</u> Links: <u>Lucinda Place Community Orchard « Project Twin Streams</u> <u>Glen Eden Transition town</u>

# TITIRANGI Bishop Stream Neighbourhood Garden

Bishop Stream Neighbourhood Garden has been going for 3 years. The raised beds are individually owned and we have developed common areas where we grow herbs and other vegetables. We also have fruit trees growing down the slope below the beds.

Our water comes from Bishop Stream and is piped into our water barrels by gravity feed, a truly marvellous system that has kept us going all through the dry summer.

We don't have a co-ordinator as we work as a team with regular working bees.

The aim of our garden is two-fold: to have a supply of fresh organically grown food and to create a sense of community in our neighbourhood.

Location: between 56 and 58 Wirihana Road, Titirangi. Contact: <u>bishopstream@gmail.com</u>



http://goo.gl/maps/uFsRX

## TE ATATU PENINSULA Te Atatu Community Garden "Creating a Sustainable Community"

Encouraging and sharing gardening skills and produce. Our aim is to get the community involved so that we can create our own organic gardens and parks, eat healthier and think more sustainably in our community environment, learning together.

Through growing your own food we create a sense of achievement and become more sustainable.

The garden is established on the grounds of the Community Constable's office in Te Atatu. It is currently administered /operated by the Te Atatu Community House, who are now planning a community garden for Kaumatua Reserve.

Contact details: Facebook: Te Atatu Community Garden Jacqui: 834 5827 email: <u>tatpcomh@xtra.co.nz</u> Isabelle: <u>izebelle@gmail.com</u>



# HENDERSON Epping Community Garden

The garden has been established for more than four years and initially arose from Project Twin Streams. We are a volunteer garden, we garden as a group all sharing the work and all benefiting from the harvests. Anyone is welcome to join the gardens - we hold monthly meetings where our gardeners get together to work on the gardens and socialise. It's a great way to learn how to garden and meet new people while providing food for your family. We also have a recently planted fruit orchard.

Epping Community Garden is on Buscomb Avenue between Rosebay Rise and Woodford Ave at Epping Esplanade Park





<u>http://goo.gl/maps/Wp4pz</u> If you are interested in joining our gardens please contact Christine at <u>angel\_devil1\_45@hotmail.com</u> Ph 0220198463 or join us on facebook <u>https://www.facebook.com/#!/EppingCommunityGarden</u>

http://goo.gl/maps/ci6GC

# HENDERSON Millbrook Edible Garden

(MEG) sits in parkland adjacent to a public walkway which is used extensively for recreational activities. The garden has been open for over four years. It is a community component of Project Twin Streams, organised under the McLaren Park Henderson South (<u>MPHS</u>) Community Initiative.

Although the number of volunteers is small the garden it is well regarded within the neighbourhood. Most of the area is gardened in common, though three groups do maintain individual plots, as well as participating in the larger garden.

The common plots are used to produce a limited range of easy-tomaintain crops. This approach has proven popular with the general public, who are invited to harvest at will - and to help in the gardens.

#### Garden Coordinator = Tina Samealu

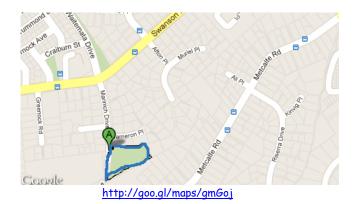


# RANUI Ranui Community Garden

Operating under the Ranui Community House.

Established in 2003 and growing since 2006- the oldest community garden out west.

We have small plots that are leased, two orchards, a propagation house and extra space to grow.



Contact: Buffie Address: 22 Marinich Drive, Ranui Email: Ranui-garden@hotmail.co.nz Facebook page: http://www.facebook.com/pages/Ranui-Community-Garden

#### MASSEY Woodside Community Garden Operating under the Riverpark Action Group



"Growing since November 2010 - Volunteers welcome" Located in a quiet reserve next to a stream with plenty of birdlife and space for children to run and play. "Trees for Babies" fruit trees planted in 2011 are adjacent to the garden.

Address: Woodside Reserve, 28 Woodside Rd, Massey (down R.O.W)
Email: rag.riverpark@gmail.com

\*Website: <a href="http://www.woodsidecommunitygarden.wordpress.com">www.woodsidecommunitygarden.wordpress.com</a>

Phone contact: 838 8011 or 021 066 5091

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### MASSEY Cedar Heights Community Garden

We grow seasonal vegetables as a community. We also have young feijoa plants and other fruit trees in the park that were planted a few years ago. We meet on the last Saturday of every month to work on the garden. More volunteers are welcome.

#### Gardens visible from motorway beside Royal Road onramp.



Address: Makora Park, cul de sac end of Cedar Heights Avenue. (plenty of parking available) Contact person: Juliet Hope Email: <u>hopegems@ihug.co.nz</u> Phone contact: 832 37 90 or 027 22 11 535 Facebook: <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/403062646377058/</u>

### MASSEY Jadewynn Drive Gardens

It was designed and developed in April 2011 from an idea and dream that my wife and I had on bringing our local community together. With the support and encouragement from a small number of other local residents the garden plan evolved.

With the help from a multitude of organisations that have donated resources to enable us to now have a fully established functional garden that delivers not only fresh edible produce, but is a place to meet new friends, exercise and just chill out!. Thank you Waitakere Rotary Club.

The garden is open to everyone, not just residents of the local area. There are no hard and fast rules, just contact me, tell me your ideas and needs, and together, with the support the garden has, we together can make it happen! I've loads of free space, so come along, pick your plot, plant your seed, watch it grow, then eat it! It's as simple as that!

Location: Jadewynn Drive Gardens is located on an empty section just up from the Jadewynn Park Reserve.

Contact: Matt Harper MBE 09833 8180



### MASSEY

#### Triangle Park Massey Community Garden

Promoting gardening and healthy eating. Reasons to join us: A sense of achievement that comes through growing your own food needs; Learn the skills of gardening; Learn about organic gardening; Making friends with people in your neighbourhood; Improving the local environment; Healthy outdoor exercise; Shared decision making and co-operation.

#### Session times: 10am -12noon Wednesdays & Saturdays Just come along!

Massey Community House, 385 Don Buck Road, Massey Contact details: Judy or Viv via Ph.8339220 www.westgardens.org.nz

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