

# Twelve Fine Oranges



## Kings Cross Community Garden

5<sup>th</sup> February 2021

Hello Gardeners

It is hard to believe, but we are approaching the end of Summer. This year's harvest has been impressive with approximately 70 varieties growing in the garden, the compost is clearly helping and we have been lucky with the amount of rain over the summer.

### Membership

It is with great pleasure that we can announce the milestone of surpassing 100 garden members. Thanks for joining and supporting the garden. If you would like to be added to the KXCG WhatsApp Garden group (garden management matters) or KXCG WhatsApp Social group (to keep in touch with garden friends), please let us know by responding to this email.

### Stage 2 of the Community Garden

As part of the Lawrence Hargrave Reserve upgrade, the City of Sydney (Council) will extend and significantly improve our community garden. Our main criteria are to ensure enough sun for growth and sharing the Lawrence Hargrave Reserve with the community. At the moment we can expect this next stage to commence early March and aim to finish in August. We expect quite some construction during the upgrade, but access to the garden will be granted at all times.

### Working Bees and Weekday Maintenance Roster

As a member you can attend our weekly working bees that occur on Saturday mornings from 8-10am (9-11am in winter) and on Sunday afternoons from 4-6pm (3-5pm in winter). We also have a maintenance roster for during the week. If you'd like to be a part of the daily maintenance team, which includes, checking the garden, watering, pest and plant management, compost and worm farm management, please let us know.

### New Garden Committee

We held our Annual General Meeting (AGM) back in December 2020 and the new Garden Committee has been nominated. The committee consists of the following members: Helen Pankhurst (chair), Grant Doyle (secretary), Maree Sheehan (deputy chair), Liz Silverstone (planting & planning), Kylie-Ann Sotiriou (communications), Santana Eidel (communications) and Paul McNeilly (treasurer).

Please note that we have placed a new member information sheet in the garden shed to give detailed information on garden matters and please follow us on Instagram at ['kingscrosscommunitygarden2011'](https://www.instagram.com/kingscrosscommunitygarden2011) to stay up to date with our latest news.

We look forward to seeing you in the garden in 2021!

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Kings Cross Community Garden Committee