

## What skills and experience do you have?

We have many areas which would benefit from a range of skills such as general activities , preparing supper, quarterly mail outs, the annual Horti-Couture and the annual Xmas party.



### HAVE YOU AN EYE FOR DETAIL?

The Friends provide assistance at various botanical exhibitions in the Richard Randall gallery in the grounds of the Mt Coot-Tha Gardens along with other future art and craft events

### THE MASTER CLASS GARDENERS PROGRAM

Supporting our new Master Gardener Class programme to help the team provide an in-depth learning experience for the participants and work alongside leading horticulturists during the workshops

### WHERE TO FROM HERE?

Complete the online form on [www.fbbgsa.org.au](http://www.fbbgsa.org.au) or print and email the application form to [info@fbbgsa.org.au](mailto:info@fbbgsa.org.au).

Any questions and wish to talk to us send a message via email [info@fbbgsa.org.au](mailto:info@fbbgsa.org.au)

Look for opportunities noted in our weekly Mailchimp eNews, Facebook, Twitter and in quarterly newsletter.



## Volunteer Opportunities with The Friends



# Volunteer Opportunities

We encourage you to become more closely involved and benefit from the friendship and sense of community that comes from volunteering at an organisation such as ours.

We welcome and need a wide range of skills.

Our members come from all walks of life. You can start by just joining in

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## INTERESTED IN EVENT PLANNING?

Our events committee looks after our activities and events program planning, booking as well as helping on the day with organisation including serving refreshments. Events include monthly speakers meetings, weekend talks conferences, morning teas, small gatherings, exhibitions etc.

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## INTERESTED IN SOCIAL MEDIA, EDITING AND PUBLISHING?

Volunteers with computing and editing skills are always welcome on the team to administer social media platforms, upload posts and produce brochures, media releases and assist the Newsletter Editor



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## CREATIVE WITH IDEAS FOR MARKETING AND PUBLICITY?

We are always looking for people with relevant experience or who are happy to get involved in this essential area of marketing and membership

# Gardens programmes

## Enjoy getting dirty and working with

### KITCHEN GARDEN VOLUNTEERS

The Friends offers herb and vegetable gardening experiences from March to September each year (may be extended beyond these times in the future). This includes traditional plants as well as bush tucker/ native plants. BCC staff initiate projects for the FBBGSA volunteers to complete each month and range from planting, weeding, potting up, cultivating, composting etc. Volunteers work in small groups to complete the tasks and learn by doing as well as education offered by the BCC staff.



### PROPAGATING VOLUNTEERS

The Friends conduct morning sessions to learn to propagate plants at Mt Coot-Tha Gardens on a monthly basis.

Skills covered in the programme include selecting stock for propagating; time of year; watering; fertilising; different growing media; potting up of cuttings; care when handling and monitoring systems and recording results.

