



# Bells Reach Community Garden Minutes

**Date:** 20/07/2015 at 6:00pm

**Location:** Bells Reach Sales Office Boardroom

Attendees			Apologies		
Hannah Williams	(HW)		Mark Stephens	(MS)	
Stephen Pinel	(SP)		Alexa Josic	(AJ)	
Kirby Chaney	(KC)		Oonagh Weeks	(OW)	
Leigh Chaney	(LC)				
Brad Quinlivan	(BQ)				
Phil Smith	(PS)				
Barb Wright	(BW)				
Craig Richardson	(CR)				

N°	Agenda Item	Action By	Action Date
1	<b>RECAP ON THE PAST MONTH</b>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Treasurers report - \$2,210 (this is available for future maintenance and expenses)</li> <li>o Security cameras installed overlooking the garden</li> <li>o 23 official members, 16 private plots taken (2 left). Bambini childcare have joined</li> <li>o Kirby Chaney – New Secretary</li> <li>o New introductions</li> </ul>	Note	
2	<b>WORKSHOP/EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES</b>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o HW has scheduled a meeting with Bruce Malloy to discuss opportunities for education workshops</li> <li>o Michael Hunt has agreed to provide a lesson on composting when he returns from his holiday. Garden group have advised Sunday 2pm is the preferred time.</li> <li>o KC has allocated 2 plots to bambini childcare for educational purposes</li> <li>o Members are encouraged to meet at 2pm on Sundays as an opportunity to share skills and knowledge</li> <li>o KC drafted a one page flyer to be dropped to Belcarra offering discounted memberships</li> <li>o We no longer require tyres for growing potatoes as we have been advised this is not organic. CR to share his information on the best way to grow potatoes.</li> </ul>	HW KC KC CR	
3	<b>HOW IS THE GARDEN GOING</b>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Any vandalism/theft/issues?</li> <li>o BQ to purchase some S hooks for the shadow board in the shed</li> <li>o Door stop required</li> <li>o KC to prepare an inventory</li> <li>o CR to provide some scrap pipe to BQ for rear gate lock footing</li> <li>o HW to have the Bore pump looked at – we potentially require a tank</li> <li>o HW to order Bells Reach Community Garden stickers</li> <li>o How are the working bee's going?</li> <li>o Please use the bubler in the BBQ shelter when there is no sun to power the pump</li> <li>o Light for the shed to be purchased</li> <li>o Rubbish bin and removal of rubbish – please use the bins next to BBQ shelter</li> </ul>	BQ KC CR HW HW	
4	<b>COLLABORATIONS</b>		



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Unity College</li> <li>○ Additional sculptures coming from year 12 students</li> </ul>	SP	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Buddina Community Garden (BCG)</li> <li>○ Hannah to confirm with Monika that 27/09/2015 works best for the committee (to be reviewed as this clashes with the educational workshops)</li> </ul>	HW	
<b>5</b>	<b>FUNDRAISING</b>		
	<b>Future Fundraising for timber maintenance</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ QLD Government Gambling Grant</li> <li>○ Australia Post Grant</li> <li>○ Combank Community Grant</li> <li>○ NIB Insurance</li> <li>○ Bendigo Bank Grant</li> <li>○ Council Small Grant</li> </ul>	All	
<b>7</b>	<b>OTHER</b>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Look into native bees – SP to send HW info on bees</li> <li>○ Facebook page – KC has been updating</li> <li>○ Filming for website - 26/07/2015, everyone welcome to attend.</li> </ul>		
<b>Next Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month (17/08/2015)</b>			