



Volunteer Role: GROUNDSKEEPER

Who are we?	Creeds Farm Living & Learning Centre is a neighbourhood house serving the community of Epping North & Wollert in Victoria.
Role Purpose	Creeds Farm Living and Learning Centre has a beautiful community-owned and sustainably built building, lovely grounds and a community garden. Our grounds have just been completely weeded, pruned and mulched and now we need a groundskeeper to help keep it that way. Our community garden group attends to the community garden once a month but need a helping hand more regularly.
Specific Tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic garden maintenance such as weeding and tidying. • Sweeping/blowing of pathways and grounds. • Mowing the nature strip. • Watering when needed. • Seasonal pruning. • Managing waste, e.g., putting out the bins weekly. • Taking care of our worm farm. • Taking care of our compost bin. • Waste management. • Some outdoor maintenance tasks and minor repairs.
Skills and Qualities Needed	<p>We welcome different skills and abilities. For this role, you will need:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A welcoming and friendly manner. • Love of the outdoors and gardening. • Supportive of sustainable garden practices such as organic gardening, the use of environmentally safe pesticides and herbicides and water conservation. • Ability to do physical gardening tasks. • Knowledge of how to use garden equipment. • Knowledge of how to take care of different plants and trees. • Ability to do minor repairs and maintenance work.
Commitment	3 hours a week on days and times that suit you and the weather allows.
Support and Training	You will receive volunteer training and will be given guidance and support. During this support any relevant skills training that may be required will be identified and if training in the identified area is accessible to Creeds Farm, this skill development will be facilitated.
Expectations of Volunteers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abide by Creeds Farm Living & Learning Centre Policies and Procedures. • Willingness to use support systems. • Co-operation with staff, volunteers and the Community Garden Group.

- Commitment to attend training if needed.



Location of volunteering

Creeds Farm Living & Learning Centre
2 Snugburgh Way
Epping
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[GOOGLE MAPS](#)