

Waiting list Application

Membership Fees:

Before applying for a plot you will need to be a paid up member of the MCCG Inc. This requires paying an annual membership fee of \$20 full and \$10 concession. Fees are due each November. If your membership becomes unfinancial the committee will have the right to remove your name from the waiting list or if you are a plot holder, reallocate your plot to another member on the waiting list.

Eligibility Criteria/ Application Process:

There are a limited number of plots available to be allocated on the site. Applicants need to complete this form to enable the Committee to assess and prioritise applications and assign them to the waiting list.

All applicants must meet the following eligibility criteria:

1. Must live within 3 km of the garden.
2. Must have less than 6m² of useable garden space

Priority will be given to those applicants:

- Who have been on the waiting list the longest
- Who show effort and provide assistance to the garden by attending working bees or volunteering in any other capacity
- Who are healthcare card holders

Please answer the following questions to assist with your application:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Suburb: _____ Post code: _____

Home Number: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

Next of Kin: _____

Emergency Contact: _____

What size plot are you applying for? (Please circle)

- Small
\$120 full \$40 conc. (6 square meters, for 1-2 people)

- Medium
\$180 full \$60 conc. (9 square meters, for 2-3 people)

- Large
\$240 full \$80 conc. (12 square meters, for families or groups of 4 or more)

(See note below for more information about plot fees)

Please outline what involvement you have had with the garden to date:

- Working bees (Number attended)

- Other events (Number attended)

- Assistance with fundraisers - Please specify

- Other involvement – Please specify

We need a wide range of skills to keep the garden going. Do you have any specific skills or experience you could offer to the group?

Do you hold a current health care card?

Yes

No

Tell us a bit about yourself - why you'd like to be part of the Merri Corner Community Garden?

Personal Information:

By applying for a plot, you are agreeing to have your email address added to the MCCG members mailing list. This list is used to send out newsletters, and reminders about busy bees and other MCCG events.

We recognise the importance of keeping personal information confidential and up-to-date, and if you'd like details of how we manage this, please refer to our Privacy Policy

This statement sets out how we manage personal information to meet these needs and our legal obligations.

Stay in Touch

We also have a facebook page (Merri Corner Community Garden) and a website at www.merricorner.org.

We encourage you to check these for updates or just to stay in the loop with MCCG goings on.

To pay your Membership fees:

1. Make a direct deposit for your fee (as outlined above) to our bank account:

BSB: 633-000 (Bendigo Bank)

Acct No: 138611835 Acct

Name: Merri Corner Community Garden Inc.

Please make sure to write in the reference field your name so we know who the money is from .

OR

Send a cheque made out to "MCCG inc" c/o 6 Nunan Street, Brunswick East 3057

2. Email the treasurer via info@merricorner.org if you would like a receipt.

Note about plot fees:

If you are successful in being offered a plot, your plot fee incorporates your membership fee of \$10/\$20 (single/concession) or \$40 (couple or family) so this would be deducted from your plot fee.

If you feel this is too much to pay in one instalment, you can contact the Committee to arrange paying by instalments (quarterly or half year).

If you have any ongoing queries about your place on the waiting list, or the plot allocation process, please email our Membership coordinator via info@merricorner.org