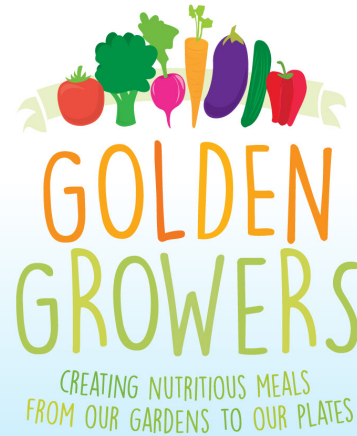


## Edible Gardens Sustainability & Self-Sufficiency Workshops



## EDIBLE GARDENS RETURNS

Golden Plains Shire Council is thrilled to deliver the successful Edible Gardens Program in 2025, with 15 brand-new Sustainability and Self-Sufficiency Workshops running from May until July to educate local gardeners.

Facilitated by Horticulturist Craig Castree, the workshops will provide participants with skills in sustainable practices to nurture gardens and promote self-sufficiency.

Topics include how to use your garden to reduce energy costs, how to become more self-sufficient, companion planting, composting and food waste, general pruning and grafting, edible gardens for beginners and much more.

To register for the workshops, visit [goldenplains.vic.gov.au/edible-gardens](https://goldenplains.vic.gov.au/edible-gardens).

Please note - places are limited for in-person workshops. For further information, contact Council's Senior Community Development Officer by calling 5220 7111 or email [GPSHealthandWellbeing@gplains.vic.gov.au](mailto:GPSHealthandWellbeing@gplains.vic.gov.au).

## PREVENTION OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN WITH DISABILITIES WORKSHOP

Golden Plains Shire Council in partnership with Women with Disabilities Victoria is proud to present a Prevention of Violence Against Women with Disabilities workshop that will be held on Wednesday 14 May from 6 to 7pm, online via Zoom.

Facilitated by individuals with lived experience, the workshop will explore the concepts of disability and ableism, as well as the prevalence and impact of violence against women and gender-diverse individuals with disabilities.

The workshop will also examine how gender and disability inequalities intersect to contribute to violence and discuss key actions needed to prevent such violence.

To register for the workshop, visit [goldenplains.vic.gov.au/events](https://goldenplains.vic.gov.au/events).