

# Open Gardens

## Tom & Annie's Garden 2 Swanston St Queenscliff

SWAN BAY ENVIRONMENT ASSOC.

PLANT STALL AND INFO

COFFEE, TEA & SLICES

With magnificent views over Swan Bay, this is a thoughtful garden to be lingered in and relished. The native garden has evolved over twenty-five years and features local indigenous plantings. The shape and scale of the vegetation follow the curve of the deck to frame and enhance the view. Tom's design creates a visual link between the vegetation on the coastal reserve on Swan Bay, and makes the most of the view to the north. The garden is low maintenance and needs little or no watering.

Tom and Annie subscribe to the principles of the SBEA Gardens for Wildlife group, promoting biodiversity for native flora and fauna. They enjoy the variety of birds, skinks and geckos that live in or visit the garden. Plants are largely sourced from the Swan Bay Environment Association community nursery.

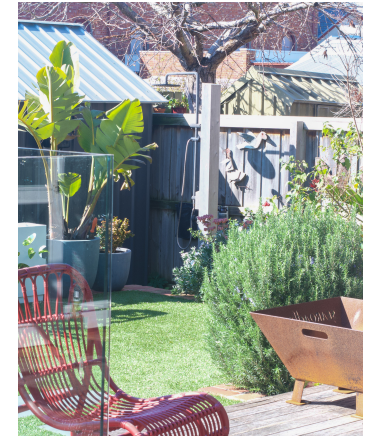


## Clare's "Appletree Lane" 50 Stokes St Queenscliff *ENTER FROM REAR LANEWAY*

RAFFLE PRIZES ON DISPLAY

A cheery, compact backyard oasis with views of Queenscliff Town Hall and St George's Church. The back yard, with pool and spa, opens out onto a

delightful laneway—a much used walkway—that Clare and her neighbours have planted with an array of cottage garden plants and espaliered



heritage apple trees, extending the reach of the garden to an engaging community space. Having evolved over twenty-four years from a paved area with chooks and cubby house, the current easy-care garden design was created alongside the pool construction and provides an extension to the living space for family and friends and a loved canine to enjoy.

**Local Gardening  
Enthusiasts  
are excited to present  
a series of open gardens  
for your enjoyment.**

**10 am - 5pm  
Saturday 12 November**

A special treat is on offer for gardeners and those who enjoy beauty and the outdoors.

Five diverse and inspiring gardens around Queenscliff and Point Lonsdale are open to the public.

*Raffle Tickets, food,  
cuppas and plants  
are available to purchase  
at various gardens.*

**This event is hosted by  
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